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Obituaries

MILBURN W. MANN
Milburn Wendell Mann, 85, of 219 W. Liberty Street, Oakland, died Monday afternoon, January 2, in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born December 10, 1892 in Romney, W. Va., he was a son of the late Henry and Caroline (Millen) Mann. He was preceded in death by his wife, Etta Mae Lee Mann, who died June 17, 1976, and two sons, Foster and Warren.

Mr. Mann was a retired office manager of the Maryland Employment Security Department. He was a 50-year member of Oakland Lodge 192, AF & AM; and served as worshipful master in 1944 and 1945. He was also a 50-year member of Garrett Lodge 113, Knights of Pythias.

Surviving is one sister, Mrs. Edward Kahl, Oakland.

The body was taken to the John O. Durst Funeral Home in Oakland, where services were conducted Thursday morning at 11 a.m. with the Rev. George D. Porter officiating. Interment was to be in the Oakland Cemetery.

Masonic memorial services were conducted at the funeral home Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Palbearers were members of the Knights of Pythias and the Masonic Lodge.

EARL M. GEORGE
Earl Mahlon George, 64, of Addison, Pa., died Tuesday, January 3, in the VA Hospital, Pittsburgh.

Born at The Cove, he was a son of the late Melchoir J. and Louisa (Spearman) George.

Mr. George was a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his widow, Wilma (Linkous) George; three daughters, Mrs. Earlene M. Lytle, Warren, Ohio; Mrs. Patricia Meyers and Miss Ludie B. George, both of Addison; a stepson, Garland C. Harris, Radford, Va.; three brothers, Robert George, Salisbury; Ray W. George, Keyser Ridge; and James E. George, Grantsville; two sisters, Mrs. Edith Butler, Swanton, and Mrs. Lena McClintock, Keyser Ridge; 11 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The body is at the Humbert Funeral Home, Confluence.

Services will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. in St. John's Lutheran Church, Addison, by the Rev. Curtis Allison. Interment will be in the Addison Cemetery. The body will be taken to the church one hour prior to services.

MRS. MARGARET HARVEY
Mrs. Margaret Harvey, 75, of Bloomington, died Saturday, December 31, in Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser.

Born in Luke, she was a daughter of the late John and Mary (Blair) Jack.

Twice married, she was preceded in death by both husbands, William Hill and Victor Harvey.

Mrs. Harvey was a member of the Piedmont Presbyterian Church, Bloomington Ladies Auxiliary, Bloomington Senior Citizens, Piedmont Pythian Sisters, and was a 50-year member of Bethlehem Chapter 14 O.E.S.

She is survived by a son, Jack Hill, Bloomington; three stepsons, Victor Harvey, Rawlings; Harry Harvey and Glenn Harvey, both of Bloomington; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Alice Stephens, Westernport, and Mrs. Patsy Mantone, New Jersey; and a brother, Andrew Jack, Cumberland; a sister, Mrs. Thomas Cox, Cumberland; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted in the Boal Funeral Home, Westernport, Tuesday at 1 p.m. with Rev. Charles Riller officiating. Interment was in Philo Cemetery.

EARLE DAVID DODGE
Earle David Dodge, 83, of Route 4, Martinsburg, W. Va., died Sunday, January 1, at Kings Daughters Hospital.

Born February 4, 1894 in Garrett County, he was a son of the late James S. and Virginia Harriett (Chisholm) Dodge.

He retired in 1959 after 43 years service with Westvaco's Luke mill. He was later associated with Vic's Auto Sales of Martinsburg.

He was a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church of Piedmont and was affiliated with Protestant services at the Baker VA Post chapel. He had been active in the Knights of Pythias since 1920 and was a member of Lafayette Lodge Three of Piedmont. He also was a member of Piedmont Company 10 Uniform Rank, and also was a member of the Woodmen of the World of Oakland.

He is survived by his widow, Margaret E. Dodge; a daughter, Margaret A. Dodge, at home; a son, Reuben Dodge, Salisbury, Pa.; three sisters, Mrs. Edith R. Hostetler, Johnstown, Pa.; Mrs. Dorothy Bennett, of Clearwater, Fla.; and Miss Virginia Dodge, Alexandria, Va.; and a brother, Charles Dodge, Brookhaven, Miss.

The body was at the Brown Funeral Home, Martinsburg, where services were conducted Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. by Chaplain Fred A. Duckett. Interment was in Pleasant View Memorial Garden.

MRS. DORSEY PAUGH
Mrs. Bessie Oda Paugh, 53, of Mt. Zion, died Tuesday, January 3, at her residence.

A native of Swanton, she was a daughter of Mrs. Percy (Paugh) Tichinel and the late John Tichinel.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by her husband, Dorsey Paugh; one daughter, Peggy Ann Paugh; and one son, Steve Paugh, both at home; five brothers, Stanley Tichinel, Calvin Tichinel, and Earl Tichinel, all of Aliquippa, Pa.; Kenneth Tichinel, Kitzmiller; and Grover Tichinel, Route 1, Swanton; three sisters, Mrs. Pauline Lambka, Elk Garden; Mrs. Gladys Brown, Aliquippa; and Mrs. Marie Brown, El Paso, Texas.

The body is at the David A. Burdock Funeral Home, in Kitzmiller, where friends will be received today from 7 to 9 p.m. Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. in the Mt. Zion Methodist Church with Reverends Frank Johnson and George Tichinel officiating. Burial will be in the Mt. Zion Cemetery. The body will be taken to the church one hour prior to the services.

ALLEN STANTON
Allen Stanton, 79, of Star Route, Grantsville, died Tuesday, January 3, at his home.

Born at Bittinger, he was a son of the late Thomas and Catherine (Snyder) Stanton.

He was a member of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Bittinger.

Surviving are his widow, Alveta (Wilt) Stanton; eight sons, Donald Stanton, Star Route, Grantsville; Allen Stanton, Jr., Midlothian; Charles T. Stanton, Frostburg; Michael Stanton and Jeffrey Stanton, both of Grantsville; William Stanton, David Stanton and Jamie Stanton, all at home; three daughters, Mrs. Maxine Warnick, Star Route, Grantsville; Mrs. Bonnie Spicker, Route 2, Grantsville; Miss Cindy Stanton, at home, and 10 grandchildren.

The body is at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville. Services will be conducted there Saturday at 2 p.m. by the Rev. John Briner. Interment will be in Bittinger Cemetery.

MRS. PAUL E. SISLER
Mrs. Ruth Ellen Sisler, 66, of Route 3, Hazleton, W. Va., died Thursday, December 29, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital following a lingering illness.

A native of Friendsville, she was a daughter of the late Orval and Nellie (Thomas) Friend. She was a member of the Blooming Rose United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband, Paul E. Sisler; two sons, Terry Eugene Sisler, Grantsville, Ohio, and Douglas Sisler, Friendsville; a daughter, Mrs. Gloria Capps, Gaithersburg; two sisters, Mrs. Loretta Sisler and Mrs. Genevieve Meyers, both of Friendsville; and seven grandchildren.

The body was returned to the residence. Services were conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Blooming Rose United Methodist Church by the Rev. Phillip Geoghan. Interment was in the Blooming Rose cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were handled by the Newman Funeral Home of Friendsville.

MRS. GRANT DEIBLER
Mrs. Rachel Deibler, 97, formerly of 9 Centennial Street, Frostburg, died Monday night January 2, at the Goodwill Mennonite Nursing Home, Grantsville, where she had been a patient 14 months.

Born in Avilton, she was a daughter of the late Zack and Margaret (Durst) McKenzie. Her husband, Grant Deibler, preceded her in death.

Mrs. Deibler was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church and the Sodality.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Mildred Wilhelm, Mrs. Alma Cunningham, both of Frostburg; and Mrs. Julia Muir, Cumberland; one sister, Mrs. Tillie Warren, Grantsville; 17 grandchildren, 40 great-grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Durst Funeral Home in Frostburg.

The family requests that expressions of sympathy take the form of contributions to the St. Michael's Church building fund.

Mass of the Christian Burial was celebrated this morning at 9:30 at St. Michael's Church. Interment was in the parish cemetery.

Palbearers were William Diamond, Jon Diamond, Martin Plummer, Robert Colgan, Michael Colgan and Ray Colgan.

A. RAY SPEICHER

A. Ray Speicher, 75, of Elyria, Ohio, formerly of Meyersdale, Pa., died Wednesday, January 4, in Elyria.

Mr. Speicher was born at Accident, a son of the late Charles and Minnie (Engelhart) Speicher.

He was a member of Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Elyria, and active in Masonic organizations there.

Surviving are his widow, Beatrice (Harden) Speicher; and a sister, Mrs. Loula Miller, Meyersdale.

The body was brought to the Price Funeral Home, Meyersdale. Graveside services will be conducted Saturday at 11 a.m. in Union Cemetery.

CARL H. RICHTER
Carl H. Richter, 69, of Route 2, Maple Grove Road, Grantsville, died Friday, December 30, at his home.

A native of The Cove, he was a son of the late George and Mary (Foy) Richter. He was a member of Christ Lutheran Church and was an Army veteran.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Eleanor (Younkin) Richter; two sons, William Richter, Route 2, Grantsville; and Carl Michael Richter, Friendsville; four daughters, Mrs. Elaine Tressler and Mrs. LaDonna Hare, both of Grantsville; Mrs. Yvonne Collier, Accident; Mrs. Susan Wilhelm, Frostburg; seven brothers, James Richter, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio; Albert Richter, Addison, Pa.; Walter Richter, Accident; Edwin Richter, Uniontown, Pa.; Arthur Richter, Laurel; Vernon Richter, Accident; Clarence Richter, Belle Vernon, Pa.; two sisters, Mrs. Iva Maki, Olmstead, Ohio; Mrs. Roberta Bernard, Grantsville; 16 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Services were conducted Monday at 1:30 p.m. in the funeral home by the Rev. David Fetter. Interment was in Grantsville Cemetery.

The family requests that memorials take the form of contributions to the Heart Fund or American Lung Association.

DELLA M. DIELING

Mrs. Della M. Dieling, 81, of Detroit, Michigan, died there December 11 after an illness of several years. Born at Bond, Md., she was the daughter of the late Josephus Howell and Maggie (Fulmer) Howell. Her husband, Leo Dieling, preceded her in death.

Surviving are four daughters: Mrs. Elizabeth Flanagan, New Jersey; Mrs. Josephine Serracino, Warren, Mich.; Mrs. Helen Holliday, Ohio; Mrs. Martha Elie, Detroit; one son, Thomas A. Dieling, Garden City, Mich.; sixteen grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; three half sisters, Mrs. Hazel Bernard, Swanton; Mrs. Ethel Broadwater, Barton; and Mrs. Leona Rice, Cumberland; three half brothers, Albert Howell, Canton, Ohio; Elmer Howell, Deer Park; and George Howell, Baltimore.

Funeral services and interment were held in Michigan.

Nurses' Workshop To Convene At Sacred Heart

On January 19 and 20 a workshop on "Burn Management" will be held for Region I area nurses at Sacred Heart Hospital. A two-day workshop is presented in cooperation with the Specialty Referral Burn Treatment Center at Baltimore City Hospital. The first day is devoted to resuscitation of the burn patient; the second day presents intensive care considerations and includes a discussion with Lt. Thomas Herz, formerly of the Baltimore City Fire Department, and Beth Helvig, Nursing Clinical Specialist at Baltimore City Burn Center.

Topics covered are emergency resuscitation of the burned patient, fluid management, wound care, psychosocial support, pain management, and complications of burn injuries.

The workshop will be held in the Ground Floor Classroom, Sacred Heart Hospital and will run from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. A registration fee of \$2.00 per nurse will be collected to cover costs incurred by the hospital.

Persons having questions concerning this workshop should contact David P. Ramsey, Regional Coordinator, at 895-5934, P.O. Box 34, Grantsville, Maryland 21536. Pre-registration is required. This may be accomplished by calling Mr. Ramsey's office or through any Nursing Director.

Weather For 1977 Is Mostly Below Normal

Weatherwise the year of 1977 was mostly below normal. January was considered by many to be the coldest on record. March, two months later, was one of the warmest on record. Also an unusual occurrence was a tornado in June.

Temperatures averaged 41.8 or 1.7 below normal. Highs averaged 58.2 degrees or 2.2 below normal. The high mercury reading for the year occurred July 16, when it was 88 degrees. January high temperatures averaged 22 degrees or 17 below normal. October was a cool month with a deficiency of 4.4 degrees. March had the warmest average, being 5.6 degrees above normal. January lows averaged 3.4 degrees or 16 below normal. The lowest temperature recorded was minus 22 degrees on February 8. August was the only month with highs and lows averaging out to normal, 67 degrees.

The year's precipitation added up to 44.89 inches or 4 inches below normal. June was the wettest month with 6.18 inches, an inch and a half above normal. This was followed closely by July with 5.89 inches. September was the driest with only 2.43 inches. Snowfall for the year totaled 69.1 inches or just 4 inch below normal. The 1976-77 snowfall amounted to 88.2 inches. It seemed like a lot of snow in January but the accumulation was for the full month, there was no usual 'January thaw.'

Maryland Roads

Death Toll Down

(UPI) — Maryland's 1977 traffic death toll was the lowest in 13 years and state police credited traffic patrol policies for the continuing decline.

Police spokesman Bill Clark said preliminary figures indicate that 667 persons were killed in traffic accidents on Maryland roads in 1977, compared to 678 in 1976.

"We expect to have some delayed deaths to add to the total but not as many as would be necessary to reach last year's figure," he said.

"This year was the lowest death count on Maryland roads in 13 years (and) we feel that increased police enforcement on the roads is having its impact," said Clark.

Clark said Operation Yellow Jacket, begun a year ago, put more police cars on patrol in high-risk areas.

"The accident rates in those high-risk areas are because of speed and alcohol — which can be patrolled against," said Clark. He said most of those areas were state and local highways, not part of the interstate system.

Clark said that state police policy runs contrary to the national trend of putting more patrolmen on interstate highways to enforce 55 mile per hour speed limits.

Aurora Community

Education Project Underway Tonight

The Aurora School Community Education program will get underway today, January 5, with general enrollment for a men's basketball league from 7 to 9 p.m.

There will also be enrollment for a sewing class under the instruction of Mrs. Lenora Flowers, from 7 to 9 p.m.

On Monday, January 9, there is scheduled a women's gymnastics class from 7 to 9 p.m.; and a guitar class, Harley Wood, instructor, from 7 to 9 p.m.

For further information, contact Mr. Wood, who is the coordinator, at Route 2, Box 223, Horse Shoe Run, W. Va.

The Northern Athletic Boosters club met December 20 at the school, with Mrs. Bonnie Doerr and Mrs. Delos

Carpenter elected to the nominating committee.

The club will hold its next meeting January 20 at 7:30 in the cafeteria, just prior to the Northern-Bruceon Mills basketball game. Officers will be elected at this meeting, and all interested persons are urged to attend.

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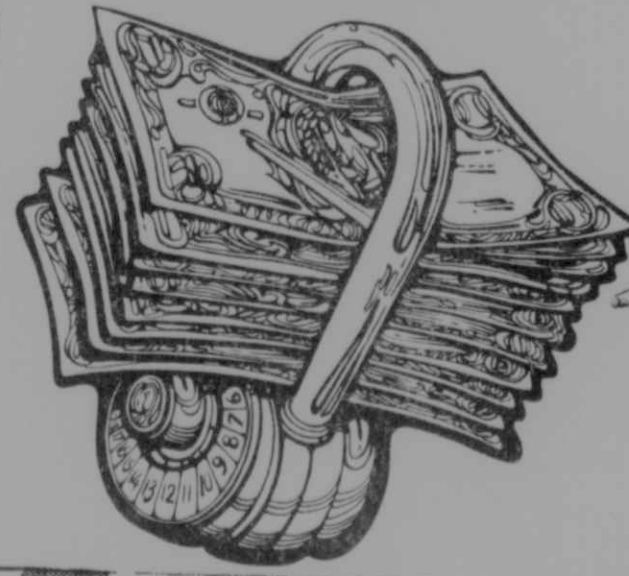
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ment concerning a 7½-hour day. William G. Beltzel, 55, Accident, was fatally injured in a farm tractor accident April 1. Quincy G. Umbel, 60, Friendsville, was killed in a two-car collision near Morgantown April 2. Marion B. Leary, 101, Oakland, died April 5. The Commissioners revised plans for the courthouse project. Fifty attended an April 5 hearing on the proposed relocation of U. S. Route 219.

Protestors tried to stop funding for the County Courthouse project, forming picket lines at the courthouse on April 11. The plan for longer school days continued in effect for Garrett County to make up for time lost due to the weather. Arson is listed as the cause of a fire which severely damaged a Deer Park home April 14. Garrett County stood to lose \$90,000 in state aid for education.

Clara Shockley, Bayard, has been accepted as a Rotary International Exchange Scholar. Delegate DeCorsey Bolden joined those in opposition to the Courthouse expansion project. Charles Craver, of Green Glade, caught a 44½ inch, 19½ pound Northern Pike April 20, in Deep Creek Lake, setting a new state record. Kevin Savage and Jonna Shaffer are declared winners in the Optimist Club speech contest. A home owned by Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilt, North Glade, was destroyed by fire April 21.

Dr. Jan W. Janssen was named acting president of Garrett Community College, replacing Dr. Alfred C. O'Connell. O. T. Graser, Oakland, was named a Sustaining Paul Harris Fellow in Rotary International by action of the Oakland Rotary Club. Jessie McCullough was elected president of League of Women Voters of Garrett County April 25.

May
Maurice S. Brookhart retired as vice president and cashier of Garrett National Bank and was replaced by James Adair. Approximately 85 persons protested against the courthouse project and higher tax assessments at the May 2 meeting of the Garrett County Commissioners. The Board of Education requested a \$900,000 increase in the school budget. A mobile home owned by Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Gilpin, Swanton, was destroyed by fire May 4.

Diana Custer was named valedictorian and Sharon Naylor, salutatorian, for the Southern High School Class of 1977. The annual Savage River Whitewater races were scheduled for May 21-22. Kenny Price and The Seldom Scene are to be featured at the 1977 Autumn Glory Festival. Garrett County Commissioners responded to complaints about the courthouse project and jail demolition.

The Garrett County Commissioners notified the Maryland Department of

Transportation of their intention to discontinue sponsorship of the Garrett Bus System. Carl Dayton Schrock and his wife, Bessie A. Schrock, pleaded guilty on May 13 to charges of manslaughter and child abuse, respectively. Garrett County Memorial Hospital administrator Kenneth A. Richmond announced major building plans for the hospital. Cindy Greco was named valedictorian and Gina Humberston, salutatorian of the Northern High School Class of 1977.

Low bidder for the renovation and addition project for the Garrett County Courthouse was Pevarnik Bros., of Latrobe, Pa., with an offer of \$2,425,125. The Garrett County Teachers' Association and Board of Education ratified the 1977-78 contract. A Westernport youth drowned when a car plunged into Savage River May 24. Fifteen tons of trash were collected in the Deep Creek Lake cleanup project. The U. S. Whitewater Team was chosen at Savage River races May 21-22. Forty-three received diplomas at Garrett Community College graduation exercises.

June
Garrett County high schools were to graduate 362 seniors Sunday, June 5. Charles Hebb, 41, was in critical condition at West Virginia University Medical Center following a shooting incident at Wotring's Truck Stop on Route 50. Garrett County Federation of Teachers' Union turned in a petition to the Board of Education seeking an election by teachers to determine the county's exclusive contract bargaining organization.

Timothy R. Miller, 15 months, died June 4 as a result of injuries received in a tractor accident at his home near Gortner. Cynthia Greco and Darrell Evans, Northern High School, and Jack Riley and Susan Eberly, Southern High School, received the Danforth awards at recent graduation exercises. Mrs. Jane Rentschler was appointed Extension Agent for Home Economics, effective June 20. Charles Hebb was in satisfactory condition after a shooting incident the previous week.

Garrett County's tax rate for Fiscal Year 1977-78 will decrease by ten cents. The Garrett County Teachers' Association defeated the American Federation of Teachers, 180-102, in voting for teacher contract bargaining rights. The Department of Natural Resources reduced the size of Youghiogheny River corridor by 3,000 acres. A 14-year-old Garrett County youth, William L. Gay, Jr., was electrocuted June 11 while climbing a tree in the yard of his Pleasant Valley home. Circulation of The Republican exceeded 100,000.

A tornado struck Garrett County on June 20, causing extensive damage to homes in the Hutton-Corinth area and the Silver Knob Sand Co., on U. S. Rt. 219 South. There were

no injuries. The Army Corps of Engineers sought bids for the final phase of the Bloomington Dam Project.

Earl K. Harvey, 47, Swanton, was killed in a tractor-trailer mishap June 27, in Hampshire County, W. Va. The jobless rate in Garrett County is 4.8 percent. Valerie Loughrie, student at Northern High School, was named Star Farmer at Maryland F.F.A. Convention. Carl Schrock was given five years on a manslaughter charge by Associate Judge Fred A. Thayer June 30. Opponents voiced strong opinions to the Department of Natural Resources on the Youghiogheny Scenic corridor controversy at the June 23 public hearing.

July
Imhoff's Service Station, Loch Lynn, the 135 Amoco station and AB&G Motel, Sand Flat, were all broken into and burglarized. William G. Baker, Oakland, was elected District Governor of 22-W Lion's Club International. Carson and Barnes Circus was underway at the Wisp Ski Area, sponsored by the All Ghan Shrine Temple of Cumberland. Temperatures were hot and humid.

Garrett County Commissioners voted July 11 to adopt four recommended sites as "areas of critical state concern" including Piney Mountain State Park, Youghiogheny River corridor, Finzel swamp and Deep Creek Lake. A Swanton couple received burns in a boat explosion near Hazelhurst, Deep Creek Lake, July 9. Robert Garrett, noted Garrett County historian and resident of Deer Park, died July 8 at the age of 82. The Oakland-Mt. Lake Park Lions Club and the Oakland Rotary Club joined forces to help realize the potentials of Broad Ford Recreation area. Members of the Southern Garrett County Rescue Squad worked two hours July 8 to free Kenneth Nutter, Keyser, from his tractor-trailer rig which crashed on U. S. Route 219 south of Oakland. He sustained broken legs.

David A. Baker, 21, Oakland, was fatally injured in a hit-and-run incident July 16 along State Route 39 two miles west of Oakland. Services were conducted July 18 for Wilbur F. Spangler, 20, of Grantsville, who accidentally drowned July 7 at Pleasant Valley 4-H Recreation Area Lake at Bittinger. Temperatures for the week were in the high 80's. Crews from Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad were assisting flood victims in Johnstown. David C. Wilburn, 21, of Grantsville, was in serious condition at Sacred Heart Hospital in Cumberland after being shot at his residence in a domestic quarrel.

The Garrett County Commission on Aging has expressed interest in the commissioners in taking over sponsorship of Garrett Bus System. Arnold Christian Georg, 69, Accident, was killed in a tractor incident on the Accident-Bittinger Road July 22. The Maryland State Sail-

boat Championship set for July 30-31 was dedicated by the Deep Creek Yacht Club in honor of Gordon K. (Sandy) Douglass, renowned boat singer and builder. A Bittinger woman, Miss Lucille Giotflety, 68, was tied to a chair by robbers who then proceeded to ransack her home and walked away with \$200 July 24. Assets of \$132 million were reported by the First and Garrett National Banks.

August
Potomac Edison was granted an 11.3% rate increase August 1. More than 100 persons attended a public hearing August 1 sponsored by the State Highway Administration concerning the proposed new bridge across Deep Creek Lake to carry U. S. Route 219 traffic. The lowest bid to the Army Corps of Engineers for construction of a portion of the Bloomington Dam was submitted by the S. J. Groves and Son Co. with a bid of \$16.6 million.

Mrs. E. Catherine Eggers, Oakland, was fatally injured when she was struck by a car in Lewisburg, Pa., August 5. The 21st annual Garrett County Fair was in full swing. The Garrett County Commission on Aging was awarded \$27,826 of Title III funds for services to the elderly. Citizens and Garrett County Commissioners voiced disapproval of part of the plan for a new U. S. Route 219 bridge over Deep Creek Lake.

Livestock sales at the Garrett County Fair totaled over \$50,000. Hugh H. Graham, 8, of Baltimore was fatally injured August 12, when accidentally run over by a car driven by his mother on Thousand Acres Road. Courtney R. Tusing and James R. Stanton, both of Oakland, were appointed to the Garrett County Memorial Hospital Board of Governors and Alva Gortner retired from the Board. The Mt. Lake Park Water Company began work on a two-year project to improve that town's water system.

Ronald H. Sisler, 19, Accident, was killed August 19 in a one-car mishap one-quarter mile north of Accident. Sen. Edward Mason met with the Garrett County Commissioners August 22 to discuss the severance tax on coal. A Meals-On-Wheels program was scheduled to begin October 1.

September
Acting Governor Blair Lee, Comptroller Goldstein and other state officials toured Deep Creek Lake and county mine sites August 30. A 15-year-old Grantsville youth, Larry W. Durst, was found dead at his home from asphyxiation due to aspiration of stomach contents. Garrett County received Head Start funding for the 1977-78 school year. Larry O. Lipscomb, 24, Terra Alta, was arrested for rape and battery of a 20-year old Garrett County woman. Marilyn Metheny was chosen director of the Title III Program for the Garrett County Commission on Aging. Burglars made off with \$1,787 in goods from Windy Knolls after a breaking and entering

August 24.

A total of 5,713 pupils attended county schools on September 6, the third day of the 1977-78 school year. Deputies were investigating several breakings and enterings of summer cabins around Garrett County. The C&P Telephone Co. of Maryland filed for a 2.47% rate increase September 8. Acting Governor Blair Lee was chosen to be Grand Parade Marshal of the 10th annual Autumn Glory Parade. Members of the Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad successfully delivered a baby girl for Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brant, Oakland, in a driveway off Bumble Bee Road September 7.

Robert Leroy Rush, 42, of Frostburg, was charged with assault with intent to murder after allegedly shooting Robert G. Passarelli, 26, Frostburg in the right foot at Stonehenge Inn, Route 40, September 10. Garrett County received a \$78,000 grant from HUD. Four Loch Lynn children were found unharmed September 12 after being lost and spending the 30-degree night in a hayfield. Stanley Callis, 49, shop foreman at Shire's Tin Shop, Oakland, died suddenly at his Loch Lynn home, September 15.

Comedian Van Harris was slated to be the speaker for the annual Friends of Garrett County dinner to kick off the 10th annual Autumn Glory Festival. Willis J. Savage, Friendsville, was charged with nine motor violations and two criminal counts after being involved in a high-speed chase by police which began in Oakland and ended near Cranesville. Mrs. Martha Howard, Bloomington, celebrated her 102nd birthday September 17.

The Maryland Board of

Public Works gave approval September 20 to a plan to expand public recreation facilities on Deep Creek Lake. Garrett County Memorial Hospital Building and Renovations plans were released by Kenneth A. Richmond, administrator.

Department of Natural Resources assured Oakland of funding for sewer projects, despite an overall reduction in funds for such projects throughout the state. Lloyd B. Younk, 43, of Grantsville, died September 22 when the crane he was operating came in contact with some high tension lines along U. S. Route 40. Col. J. Haig Jackson was elected chairman of the Governing Body of the Health Systems Agency of Western Maryland. A 16-year-old youth allegedly attacked D. Noel Obenshain, on September 24, striking him in the head numerous times with a hammer at Mr. Obenshain's home at Deep Creek Lake. Mr. Obenshain was a patient at West Virginia University Medical Center, Morgantown, for four days. St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in Oakland broke ground September 25 for a new Christian Education Building on Liberty Street.

October
A record crowd was expected to visit Garrett County for the Autumn Glory Festival. Teresa Hinebaugh, senior at Northern High School, was named 1977 Autumn Glory Queen. Garrett Community College was to receive funds to help train over 500 persons in mining techniques. A committee of five persons was appointed by Delegate Bolden to study the salaries of some elected officials in Garrett County. Dr. Glicin Meadows was re-instated president of

the Garrett County unit of the American Cancer Society. Garrett County Commissioners voted October 3 to support proposed legislation to redistribute money collected from the state's coal production surcharge.

A fire October 7 resulted in nearly \$9,000 damage to the home of R. Thomas Thayer on the Oakland Sang Run Road. The week of October 16-22 was designated National Business Women's Week for Garrett County by the county commissioners.

Garrett Community College received a \$420,000 grant from Appalachian Regional Commission for construction of a coal mining technology center. HVTS, a Swedish-Swiss consortium established in 1972, acquired a majority interest in American HV Test Systems, Inc., Accident.

The Garrett County Board of Education learned October 13 that the Title I Summer School program held in Garrett County had been nominated to the U. S. Office of Education as an exemplary program. More than 1,000 names were removed from Garrett County Voter books. A bond rally was slated for October 24 in Grantsville to help fund a woodworking-furniture making corporation in that area. The Garrett County Board of Education decided to file suit against the general contractors involved in road construction at the Broad Ford-Southern Middle School as result of the road falling apart. A light dusting of snow was received on the mountaintop October 17, 1977. The Autumn Glory Festival was called the "Best Ever."

The Republican news department announced the addition of United Press International

wire service. A Baltimore man tried in Garrett County was found guilty of second degree murder. Garrett County Memorial Hospital Board of Governors was increased by four members. Joyce Bischoff, Charles Morris, William Shirer and Esther Yoder. The Southern Highlander Marching Band was slated to perform in the National Championships of Marching Bands in Philadelphia October 29-30.

November
Bruce W. Mulloy, 28, was charged with raping a 13-year-old girl October 31 in the Finzel area. George C. Pattison, Sr., 50, Bloomington, was killed November 2 when crushed between his car and another vehicle on Route 135. A barn owned by J. Logan Weber, located on old U. S. Route 219 South near Oakland, was destroyed by fire October 30. Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home broke ground October 28 for a new facility in Oakland. Police were seeking a young male in connection with the rape of a 15-year-old girl in Oakland October 28. Maryland's Attorney General, Francis Burch, and his family toured Garrett County October 31.

A disastrous flood was averted by a cooperative effort of people from Maryland, West

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Letters to the Editor

The Editor
The Republican
Oakland, Maryland

UMWA miners seek the support of non-union miners during a contract strike because non-UMWA coal miners benefit from UMWA contract gains.

For example, companies such as Mapco, which manages the Mettiki mine, key the wages and benefits they offer to the UMWA contract. They calculate the total economic cost to them if they were under the UMWA contract then they either distribute the costs in a different and reduced ratio such as paying a higher daily wage rate and less in fringe benefits such as medical and pension coverage or they increase the economic benefits slightly.

Additionally, when the UMWA wins contract gains the non-UMWA companies simply increase their wages and benefits accordingly.

And, smart non-union companies layoff their employees during a UMWA contract strike enabling them to collect unemployment benefits and food stamps during the duration of the strike.

In return non-UMWA companies don't have to comply with UMWA contract requirements prohibiting a new inexperienced employee from operating dangerous electric-powered mining equipment at the mining face during his first 90 days. They can order a new employee with no training whatsoever to operate this equipment or face discharge.

They can fire an employee on a whim and without just cause.

But perhaps most important they don't have to contend with a UMWA mine and safety committee which protects their members rights on the job.

Additionally, non-UMWA coal miners benefit from the UMWA when the union lobbies in federal and state legislatures for strict mine safety laws and enforcement of those laws, increased workman's compensation benefits, and consumer protection legislation.

Is it too much to ask non-UMWA miners to honor our picket lines and cease their free ride during our contract negotiations?

We don't think so and we think now you and your readers can understand why.

Sincerely,
David L. Moe,
Recording Secretary
Local Union 1829
District 31
United Mine Workers
of America

Dear Sir:
I would like to thank you for your reply to the Coal Miner's Wife. I also have some questions that need an answer. I keep asking them but never seem to get answers.

1. Why don't the state or federal governments protect non-union workers and their employers? Is it that they fear not getting re-elected?

2. What right do striking unions have to disrupt jobs of working people who haven't chosen to be represented by a union? (Less than one-fifth of American workers belong to unions).

3. What would happen if I was to destroy a car or property belonging to a union worker?

4. What has caused the inflation rate to raise faster than labor and energy?

5. Why can the people who represent less than one-fifth of the workers control our government?

6. Isn't time we look at Great Britain and see how strikes and over-unionization has crippled a once strong country?

I regret, I must ask you not to use my name since I have had threats against me and my business if I don't keep my "big mouth" shut.

Signed
Concerned

Dear Sir:
Union High School has lost a young and able teacher in the person of Mr. Larry Myers.

Larry was in a fatal car accident over the holidays. The students at Union are shocked and hurt at his passing.

He was the Junior class sponsor as well as the sponsor of the Student Council. The entire teaching and supportive staff here at the Union Complex have expressed their feeling of loss.

Mr. Myers was in his second year as a teacher here at Union. He had experienced unusual success for a beginning teacher. His rapport with the students was excellent and because of his well organized classes and knowledge of the area in which he was teaching, he experienced a minimum of discipline problems.

He will long be remembered by the students and the people on the mountain. He had an interest in school a ready smile, and an enthusiasm for work which will be hard to replace.

On behalf of the entire staff I want to express a personal loss of a fine young teacher which sends out grief in this community.

Joseph P. Ferrell

Dear Editor:
We Garrett Countians are noted for our stoic ability to endure, but only up to a point. Beyond that point we take uncontrollable action.

Your publication of December 29, first page, in description of a trailer fire states "... and there were no injuries, although members of the Southern Garrett County Rescue Squad stood by the scene."

This implies that injuries are usually received!

We are proud of our rescue squad, resent public print that reflects adversely even if only by implication. Action on our part was a necessity.

Our kangaroo court convened, deliberated most seriously and declared that the

gravity of your offense cannot be mitigated by any plea. You are hereby sentenced to the most severe penalty—THREE SLAPS, WET NOODLE!

Phil Garman
Clerk of kangaroo court

Dear Mr. Garman:
I assure you, we will appeal.

Editor

Dear Editor:
The assessment Department is taking most, if not all of the blame for the upcoming jump in our real estate taxes. Ironically, at the same time, the County Commissioners are pointing to the 10 cents decrease in the tax rate—less than 4%, as one of their major accomplishments. While it may be true that there are inequities in the way assessments are made, the real problem is the tax rate.

For years the Commissioners, past and present, of both parties, have been passing the buck on the ever increasing county tax on real property by claiming they have nothing to do with the increase in assessments. True enough, but they do control the tax rate.

As the market value of real estate continues to go up, the assessments are going to continue to increase also. One solution to the tax problem would be to have a flexible county tax rate. If this were the case and the average increase in the assessments were, let's say 30%, and if the tax rate were adjusted accordingly, allowing for inflation and other cost increases, we would not be faced with these skyrocketing tax increases.

It doesn't take an economist to figure out that if your assessment increases 25% and more and the tax rate decrease is less than 4%, the increase in your tax is considerable.

So the final responsibility for real estate tax increases falls squarely on the shoulders of the County Commissioners. There has been a substantial increase in the assessments and we need a corresponding decrease in the tax rate. There is plenty of time for such an adjustment before the tax bills are made up.

Yours truly,
Jerry Stewart,
Oakland

Dear Sir:
It is seldom if ever I write a letter to the editor of a newspaper, but in light of the past few weeks, I felt compelled to do so. My entire reasoning behind this is that I am most impressed with your Letters to the Editor column.

I left Garrett County over a year ago when this column was just getting its feet wet. Like others at the time, I felt that this was one more bit of filler for the lack of something else to print. Indeed, the people of Garrett County have proved me wrong.

Your column has brought to light the many opposing and contrasting viewpoints that exist in Garrett County. It has proved that not everyone is in favor of new concepts (Witness the feedback pertaining to the Courthouse Annex). The column has served as a medium to express both sides of the issue (The recent Mine Workers strike) and on numerous occasions has served as a means of praise and thanks to Garrett Countians for a job well done. Most important though, is that it gives the people a place to speak out—to let their ideas be heard. I hope that the people make continued use of this fine service supplied by your newspaper.

To you and the staff at The Republican, I wish to commend you all for providing the County with the opportunities that only a newspaper such as yours can truly provide.

Sincerely,
Lcpl Christopher E. Donley
CHC Asst. USMC

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Front Page Summary

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Virginia, Washington, D. C. and Harrisburg, Pa. following a gate mishap at the Stony River Reservoir in Grant County. Three were arrested in a drug raid on Water Street, Oakland, by city and county police November 7. Three sisters and one man, all of Friendsville, were arrested November 3 on charges of burglary, larceny and receiving stolen goods. Dean B. Cowie, 64, a renowned nuclear scientist, drowned November 8 at his residence on Deep Creek Lake. Nancy M. Nemith was named business manager of C&P Telephone Company's Oakland office, succeeding Alan W. Meyer.

The Garrett County Commissioners were seeking a \$54,000 grant for a development plan for the Garrett County Airport. The commissioners adopted 13 amendments to the Deep Creek Lake Zoning Ordinances. Plan A of the re-location of U. S. Route 219 in Oakland was approved by the U. S. Department of Transportation. The Garrett County Board of Education policies were criticized by members of the Advisory Council on Vocational-Technical Education. The Department of Natural Resources was asked by the Garrett County Commissioners to support two area projects, one increasing funds for an energy and resource development program and the other furnishing Garrett County with 400 acres for an industrial park.

The Garrett County Planning Commission asked all agencies involved that the building moratoria in Oakland and Mt. Lake Park be lifted despite insufficient water and sewage facilities. Hunting season was set to open November 26. Charlard Sportsweater Company decided not to locate in Friendsville. The Garrett County Commissioners and Delegate Bolden met November 21 to discuss potential legislation which might eliminate the Garrett County liquor dispensaries. Maurice S. Brookhart, Oakland, received the Citizen of the Year Award from the Oakland Rotary Club.

December

The first day deer kill November 26 was down due to a mountain snowstorm. Tom Bittinger, Oakland, won \$125,000 in the Maryland State Lottery. The U. S. Supreme

Court refused to hear a case involving a Loch Lynn girl who was seriously injured in a carless mishap in 1966. Four persons were injured in a head-on collision November 28 on Route 38 near Deer Park. A grant of \$355,000 for a water rehabilitation program in Mt. Lake Park and Loch Lynn was awarded by the Farmers' Home Administration.

The deer kill for 1977 totaled 768 in Garrett County, 20 less than 1976. Lee Sutherland, former outstanding student at Northern High School and his flight instructor, Daniel K. Toston, were killed in a plane crash December 5 near Water-look, Maryland. The mountain-top was hit by a blizzard December 6, causing drifts of two to three feet and forcing the closing of county schools.

Two Grantsville young men were arrested near Foxtown Road November 22 and were charged with possession of marijuana and a controlled dangerous substance with intent to distribute. Picketing by striking United Mine Workers of America occurred at various mines throughout the county. Strikers attempted to shut down all mines and to stop construction work by the McNally-Pittsburg Company at the Mettiki mine. An injunction was issued by the Garrett County Circuit Court December 13 to break up the pickets and to stop the property destruction and harassment by the picketers. The Garrett County Board of Education approved the design and development documents for the Grantsville Elementary School. The C&P Telephone Company's rate hike went into effect December 12. The Garrett County Board of Education and the Garrett County Health Department announced that all students must have immunizations by January 1, 1978.

A permanent injunction was issued December 19 by the Circuit Court forbidding more than four picketers to congregate at any gate of the Mettiki Mine site. Melvin Whitfield, 63, of Westernport, was fatally injured in a one-car mishap on U. S. Route 219 near McHenry December 16. It was later discovered that cause of death was a heart attack. The trial of Ellwood Leuschner, charged with the murder of two Salisbury boys, was moved to Garrett County Circuit Court December 20. George Edwards was named chairman of the Garrett County Board of Com-

missioners December 19.

Picketing continued at the Mettiki mine site, despite the injunction against it. Immunization for students were again stressed by the Health Department and the Board of Education. Charles E. Pariseau was appointed court commissioner by District Court Judge Lewis Jones following the resignation of Daun Weirers. The Garrett County Farm Bureau received an award at the annual state convention in Pikesville for having the best service-to-member program in 1977. The children of William C. Crawford, who were killed in a private plane crash in Garrett County in 1976, sued the Federal Aviation Administration and the pilot of the plane for \$1 million in damages.

Mettiki Files

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materials in and out of the facility.

The suit also charged that employees of the company and 10 contractors working at the \$50 million plant have been threatened and the plant has been damaged.

The company claims costs have increased and construction delayed because of the picketing.

Scout Troop 63

Goes Caroling, Plans Activities

Members of Accident Girl Scout Troop 63 went Christmas caroling in their town December 22.

Scouts taking part were Alisa McCord and family, Karen Frank and family, Julie Uphold, Johnny Thoman, Vicki McCrobie and family.

The Girl Scouts concentrated on singing for the elderly and shut-ins. Refreshments were served at the Accident fire hall following the caroling.

Future activities for the Junior Girl Scouts will include weekend camping, roller skating, swimming, cookie sales and badge work.

Troop 63 has nine girls, with meetings held every Tuesday from 3:15 to 4:45 at the Accident fire hall. The troop is sponsored by Springman's Greenhouse, Accident, and leaders are Patty McCrobie and Sally Schwing.

Three Are Placed

On Probation

Three persons were placed on probation following presentence investigations. Another was fined for assault and battery by Judge Lewis R. Jones in District Court during the week ending January 4.

John Marvin Crocco, RD 3, Oakland, was placed on probation for two years following a presentence investigation. Crocco pleaded not guilty of possession of marijuana at a trial in September. He was found guilty and the investigation was ordered. Monday the guilty verdict was stricken and Crocco was placed on probation for two years under supervision.

Michael Hershberger (also known as Halle B.), Kitzmiller, pleaded not guilty of assault and battery at a trial in November. He was found guilty and a presentence investigation was ordered. Monday he received a six-month suspended sentence and paid costs. He was placed on probation for two years under supervision.

Gene Gilpin, RD 2, Swanton, pleaded not guilty of malicious destruction of property and

assault and battery at a trial in July. He was found guilty on both counts and a presentence investigation was ordered. Monday, he received a one year suspended sentence on each and paid costs. He was placed on probation under supervision for two years. The two sentences were to run concurrently.

Gary Lee Duff, Star Route, Deer Park, has been charged with receiving stolen goods and assault and battery. On the first charge, he pleaded guilty and his sentence is being delayed until after a trial in Circuit Court. The second charge was dismissed due to lack of prosecution.

Bob Welch, Star Route, Oakland pleaded not guilty of assault and battery on John V. Kisselovich near McHenry last month. He was found guilty and fined \$100 and costs.

Mary Louise Bittinger, RD 2, Swanton, has been charged with breaking and entering and larceny. She was released on a property bond pending trial in Circuit Court.

The last Union veteran of the Civil War died in 1966 at the age of 109, according to VA. The last survivor of the Confederate Army died three years later, at 117 years of age.

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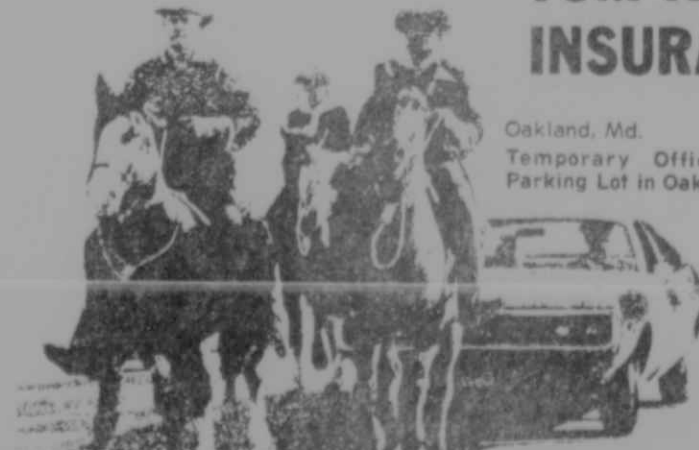
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All issues of The Republican from 1877 through 1939 are microfilmed, and fill only part of the space in one file drawer at the Ruth Enlow Library, as demonstrated by library staffer Mrs. Carolyn Jessup. Two members of the Garrett County Historical Society, B. O. Aiken and Mrs. Ruth Calderwood, have already had occasion to look through the files as they worked on research for a pending publication about county history.

History on film is now available at the Ruth Enlow Library, with a complete set of microfilmed copies of The Republican newspaper from 1877 until 1939.

With the use of a microfilm viewer, library patrons may peruse the paper at their leisure, seeking historical facts, family tree information, or stories about county happenings. Births, deaths, all the day to day living, are faithfully recorded for posterity. Advertisements are seen on the front page, offering prices which seem outrageously cheap to today's consumers.

The microfilming was done under a Library Services and Construction Act grant, a

federal grant for cooperative and innovative projects. The entire project began about two years ago, and the viewing equipment has been installed at the library since 1963.

All of the microfilm presently available at the library does not completely fill even one special drawer of a filing cabinet. There are also copies of the New York Times and a few census population schedules on microfilm available.

The microfilm is coordinated by the Enoch Pratt Free Library in Hagerstown, where the original microfilm copies are stored, and is available for loan to patrons of other libraries, including Garrett Community College.

OAKLAND PERSONALS

Mrs. Vernie Smouse spent several days over the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. Russell Smouse and family in Baltimore and Mrs. Charlotte Staley in Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sweitzer, Star Route, Kitzmiller, became the parents of a son Thursday, December 29, in Sacred Heart Hospital in Cumberland.

Col. J. C. O'Donnell of Marietta, Ga., and Horace O'Donnell, of Uncasville, Conn., spent several days during the holidays with their father, Edward O'Donnell, in Mt. Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith D. McLaughlin, Swanton, became the parents of a daughter Tuesday, January 3, in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Mrs. E. I. Baumgartner spent the holidays with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Shuman, in Baltimore.

Miss Laurie Ann Scott spent the holidays with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Edge, in Ellicott City.

Mrs. John Duncan of Pitman, N.J., is spending some time with her daughter, Dr. Jean Shaw. Coming this weekend to take Mrs. Duncan home are Mr. and Mrs. David Green.

The Wednesday bridge club met yesterday at Cornish Manor for lunch and cards.

Mrs. Foster D. Bittle spent the Christmas holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bittle in LaVale and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Tracy in Arbonvale, W. Va.

Mrs. Lelia S. Carr, of Angleton, Texas, returned home last Friday after spending ten days in the area visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Schoch, Loch Lynn Heights, and other members of the family.

Visitors of Mrs. Mabel Lantz and Mrs. Betty Foy of Mt. Lake Park, last Thursday, Friday and Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lantz and children of Virginia Beach, Va.

Saturday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Madden and daughter, all of Ellerslie; and Mrs. Rita Goodwin and sons of Kingwood, W. Va.; also Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sinclair and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lipscomb, all of St. George, W. Va. They also attended the wedding of Marilyn Foy and Bradley Teets on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Kitzmiller, Mt. Lake Park, returned home Monday after flying to West Columbia, S. C., to see their son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. John Justice, and their three children. On the way home, they visited their granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herndon, Hamilton, Va.

Mrs. Faye Nally spent the holidays with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Feldman in Silver Spring. Also there were Mrs. Nally's other sons and daughter and their families: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Daly and three children, of Allendale, N.J.; Mrs. Margaret George and two children of Virginia Beach, Va.; and Mr. and Mrs. James T. Nally and three children of Springfield, Va.

Mrs. Lonnie (Josephine) Shaffer is recuperating at home in Aurora, W. Va., after being a patient at Alderson Broaddus Hospital, in Philippi, W. Va.

One Birth Listed

One baby was born during the past week at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, on the final day of the old year. There have been no births reported for 1978, according to hospital officials.

On December 31, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Reed Reckart, W. Liberty Street, Oakland, became the parents of their second child and first daughter. The mother is the former Janet Yvonne Hardesty.

There were 38 admissions and 34 discharges during the week. Census this morning was 45 patients.

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FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

W.O.W. To Meet
W.O.W. Grove 8043 will meet on Wednesday, January 11, at 11 a.m., at the home of Mrs. Nancy Sanner. If members wish, they may bring a pieced or plain 36"x45" top to make lap robes, to be given to nursing homes. The hostess will serve refreshments.

Rangers To Meet
W.O.W. Ranger Unit 133 will meet at the Schroyer building on Friday, January 6, at 7 p.m., to hold a regular meeting, and a social hour with refreshments will follow.

Groups To Meet
The Rush Baptist Missionary Society will meet on Monday, January 9, at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Richard Selby. The United Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet Sunday, January 8, from 6:30 p.m., to 9 p.m., at Selby'sport Methodist Church, with Arlene Guard having the program and Cindy and Denise Friend serving refreshments.

The Women's Christian Missionary Society will meet Tuesday, January 10, at 7:30 p.m., at First Christian Church with Mrs. Patricia Schmidt having the program.

Dinner Honors Birthdays
A dinner was served Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Couch, Jr., and daughters, Rt. 40, to honor the birthdays of Terry Friend, Mrs. Couch, and daughter, Shayne. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Amos Friend and Penny, of here, and Tammy Couch and Donnie Glisan, Rt. 40.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. James Skidmore and Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Frey, Bowie, and Mrs. Julia Skidmore were Sunday callers of Mrs. Joyce Skidmore and family, McHenry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Bosley and family were New Year's dinner guests of Mrs. Elsie Savage and Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Metheny and daughters, Pam and Shelley, and Roger Sisler were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Spear and family. Visitors during the week were Mrs. H. C. Faucett and Mrs. Evelyn Jenkins.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde VanSickle and Jill were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Darchicourt and family, Carlisle, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Allen VanSickle and Michelle, Hopwood, Pa.; Don Kahl, Ellicott City; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Deal, Accident; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Kahl, Deer Park; Mr. and Mrs. George Foy and Eddie Kahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson and daughters, Jacksonville, Florida, visited for several days during the holidays with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Frazee and daughters.

Miss Rebecca Selby, Valley Pt., W. Va., was a New Year's weekend guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Selby. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Selby, Valley Pt., were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, the Selbys. Friday luncheon guests were Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Rush, of Rush.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sines were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Savage, Sr., White Rock; Ernest Savage, Jr., Baltimore. The Sines took Christmas dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Fike and Mrs. Verna Savage, near W. Va.-Md. line. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Savage and family, White Rock.

Terry Friend returned to Cumberland after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thomas and Roxanne, Green Gables, were Thursday visitors of Mrs. Jessie Rush and Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. James Skidmore and Janet and Mr. and Mrs. Greg Frey accompanied his mother, Mrs. Julia Skidmore, home here Sunday and visited until Monday. Mrs. Skidmore had spent the holidays in Bowie with James and family. Other Sunday callers were Mrs. Joyce Skidmore and Anita, McHenry; Denny Delaney, Grantsville; and Wally Mann, Olney.

AIC Ronnie and Peggy Teats and family, South Carolina; and Mr. and Mrs. Winston Teats and Barney were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fike. Ronnie and family left by plane from Washington, D. C., on Monday after a five-day visit with his parents, the Teats, here; and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Wiley and family, Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frantz, Baltimore, spent the past week here with his

mother, Mrs. Bessie Frantz. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson, Baltimore, visited from Tuesday until Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Frantz. Callers at the Frantz home were Mr. and Mrs. David Merson and son, Silver Spring; and Mrs. Joe Lechman.

Mrs. Margaret Rush is visiting her son-in-law and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Schroyer, Hagerstown. Mr. Schroyer returned to his home after a month in Washington County Hospital, Hagerstown, following a car wreck. He is slowly improving.

Christmas Eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lowdermilk and sons, Leo and Sam, were Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Lowdermilk, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary E. Friend and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Meyers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Frantz and daughters, Mrs. Mark Sanner, all of area; Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Lowdermilk and sons, Selbyport.

Brenda Kinsner was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Rush.

Mrs. Rosie Brown spent New Year's holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Teats and family, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Selby and granddaughter, Rebecca, and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Schroyer were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Friend. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Couch and daughters, Rt. 40; Herbert Vincent, Nieman, Dallas, Texas; Rick Bates, Dale Friend and Kim Schroyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jon Gormany, Washington, D. C., were New Year's weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley B. Miller and Eddie. Their three daughters, Sarah, Jennifer and Rebecca, returned home after a week's vacation with their grandparents here. Wednesday dinner guests of the Millers were Mrs. Mary Cooper and son, Tim, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Joe Cooper, and Harrison Timney, all of Lonaconing. Bruce Miller, Accident, was a Monday evening dinner guest of his brother and family, the Millers. Callers were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Timney and Mrs. John Thomas, Lonaconing.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vitez, Cindy and Dave, Mill Run; and Betty Vitez were Monday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sines, Oakland.

Randy Thomas, Suitland, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thomas. Roxanne Thomas returned to

Washington with her brother, Randy, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

Rick Bates accompanied Rick Shoemaker to Glen Burnie on Saturday and visited with him for the weekend. Rick Bates was a Tuesday luncheon guest of Rick Shoemaker and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Shoemaker. Sgt. Rick Wakefield was a Friday dinner guest of the Shoemaker family.

Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friend were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Evans and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Martin, Oakland; Mrs. Bonnie Cowen and children, Accident; and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wolfe. The dinner honored Mrs. Dale Evans for her birthday. Michael Wolfe, Memphis, Tenn., had spent the holidays here with the Friend family. His wife, Linda, accompanied her husband to Tennessee for a two-week vacation.

Ross Clemmensen, of Long Island, N. Y., visited during the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Cleda Clemmensen, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Livengood were New Year's dinner guests of Mrs. Thelda Frazee and family. Other visitors were Myron Livengood, Morgantown; Hugh Livengood, Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rodeheaver, Mt. Dale, W. Va.; Lucille Fike and Mrs. Tony Balsamo, Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaffer, Uniontown; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupp, Mill Run, visited on Wednesday evening and gave the elderly at the Frazee home a Christmas treat.

Mrs. J. W. Holman, Sr., was visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Holman, at Wilmington, N. C., for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beachley, Cape St. Claire, Md., spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Agatha Beachley during the holidays. Henry and his wife spent a week with a friend on a skiing trip to Vail, Colorado.

Ralph Thomas, Mrs. Lucy Thomas and Alvey Thomas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Thomas during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. David Merson and son, Silver Spring, were New Year's weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lechman.

Capt. and Mrs. Jesse Thomas and children left Friday for their home in San Antonio, Texas, after a holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. John McAfee, Cumberland, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas, here, Mrs. Dan Hickerson returned to Gainesville, Va., on Wednesday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

Miss Lucille Fike and Tony Balsamo, Pittsburgh, spent New Year's weekend with her twin sister, Mrs. Lillian Bates and Rick.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Swauger and children, Uniontown, were New Year's weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. Jessie Sines.

Sgt. Rick Wakefield arrived home on Wednesday, December 21, after being stationed in Air Defense in Greece, for the past two years. He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wakefield and family, and will leave Monday, January 9, for Sam Houston Hospital, San Antonio, Texas, for a 6-month course in "Neuro-Psychology Specialist" and will then be stationed at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Delbert Reckart, Painesville, O., visited here on Tuesday. Mrs. Beulah Rush, near Accident; and Mrs. Thelda Frazee accompanied him to Ohio and visited until Thursday. Delbert and grandson, Mitchell, accompanied Mrs. Rush and Mrs. Frazee home on Thursday.

Mrs. Sandra Guard and Mrs. Sherry Couch visited Mrs. Delores Humberston at Community Hospital, Meyersdale, Pa., on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. T. Friend and Penny were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Humberston.

New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gary R. Friend were Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Friend and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lee Friend, and Mr. and Mrs. William Burrow and family, Blooming Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lininger and family and Mrs. Jessie Sines were New Year's Eve dinner guests of Betty Vitez.

Sixteen Killed On State Highways
Sixteen persons were killed on Maryland highways last week according to the survey published by the Maryland State Police. Nine of those killed were drivers, one was a passenger and six were pedestrians.

Persons killed through December 31, 1977 total 667, compared to a total of 678 for 1976.

Two From Southern To Be Listed In

Music "Who's Who"

The 1978 edition of "Who's Who in Music" will carry the names of two students from Southern Garrett County High School, Oakland, who have been selected to be added to the list of the country's most outstanding high school music students.

Donald Wayne Cottrell, Jr., Oakland, and Vickie Lee Riggelman, Star Route, Kitzmiller, were nominated by their music teacher, Mrs. Carolyn Lambert-Wilt, and others of the nominating committee.

Students are chosen on the basis of their music ability, academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and future potential.

DEER PARK

Firemen Installed

The Deer Park Firemen met Monday, January 2, at the fire hall, when new officers were installed by Robert Shimer, fire marshal.

Following the installation of officers, buckwheat cakes and sausage were served to all present by the ladies' auxiliary.

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72 Comet, 2-Dr., 6, AT, PS, 1 Owner, Yellow	\$1750

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76 Impala Spt. Sdn., V8, AT, PS, AC, 32,042 Mi., Yellow	\$3950
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75 Bel Air, 4-Dr., V8, AT, PS, AC, Blue	\$2650
74 Caprice, 4-Dr., V8, AT, PS, AC, 1 Owner, Green	\$2850
73 Malibu, 4-Dr., V8, AT, PS, AC, 1 Owner, Blue	\$2100
73 Ply. Satellite Cpe., V8, AT, PS, V-Roof, 1 Owner	\$2150
73 Ford Gran Torino Spt., V8, AT, PS, 1 Owner, Red	\$1950
72 Impala 4-Dr., H/T, V8, AT, PS, 35,842 Mi., Blue	\$1850
72 Malibu, 4-Dr., V8, AT, 42,496 Mi., Gold	\$1825
71 Buick Skylark 4-Dr., V8, AT, PS, Green	\$1425

STATIONWAGONS

76 Malibu Classic, V8, AT, PS, AC, Firethorn	\$4100
73 Malibu, V8, AT, PS, 1 Owner, Blue	\$2250
73 Pontiac G/Safari, A/C, 1 Owner, Green	\$2350
72 Lemans, 3-Seat, V8, AT, A/C, Green	\$1995
72 Concourse, V8, AT, PS, 3-Seater, Green	\$1450

SALE PRICED USED TRUCKS

PICK-UPS

77 Chev. 1/2-T, V8, Silverado, AC, Demo, T/T Green	\$5943
75 Chev. 1/2-T, V8, AT, PS, 37,700 Mi., 1 Owner, Gold	\$3450
74 1/2-T, V8, Cheyenne, SS, 1 Owner, Gold & Wht	\$2875
73 Chev. 1/2-T, V8, 3-Sp., 1 Owner, Blue & White	\$2250
71 Chev. 1/2-Ton Van, V8, SS	\$1850

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75 Chev. 1/2-T, V8, SS, 33,639 Mi., 1 Owner, Beige	\$4095
74 Jeep 1/2-T, V8, AT, PS, White & Red	\$4150
73 Chev. 3/4-T, V8, 4-Sp., PS, 27,603 Mi., Blue	\$3450

TRUCKS

75 Ford 1-T, 12 Stake, V8, 4-Sp., 20,291 Mi., Red, 1 Owner	\$4425
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mid had a dinner recently for members of their family, friends and employees. The ladies' auxiliary to the Deer Park firemen served the dinner to 61 guests at the fire hall.

Personals
Mrs. Nora E. Smith spent a week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Rawlings.

Master Jerry Thrasher, LaVale, spent a week with his

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Thrasher, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Benn Underwood, Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Moore and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ron Welling, Wilmore, Ky., during the Christmas season.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Thrasher and son Jerry, LaVale, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Thrasher Sunday.



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SPECIAL REGISTRATION SCHEDULE

Spring Semester, 1978

Classes Begin Monday, January 16

Registration will be held at the McHenry Campus as well as the Oakland Center. However, you may register at the Oakland Center only

if you are a part-time student taking a course(s) that is offered at the Oakland Center. The McHenry Campus registration will be held in the college library.

Wed., Jan. 11

Library
9:00-11:00 A.M.
1:00- 3:00 P.M.
6:00- 7:30 P.M.

Thurs., Jan. 12

Library
9:00-11:00 A.M.
1:00- 3:00 P.M.
6:00- 7:30 P.M.

Fri., Jan. 13

Library
9:00-12:00 A.M.

- Orientation for new students will be held Friday, January 13, in LC-154 from 8:30-10:30.
- Students may register at the Oakland Center **ONLY** if they are taking classes at that location. If you are a student taking classes at both locations, you **MUST** register at the McHenry Campus.
- **LATE REGISTRATION** — Monday, January 16 thru January 20, 9:00 A.M. - 3:30 P.M., and 5:30-6:30 P.M.; Saturday, January 21, 8:30-9:00 A.M. Students who register for classes during the Late Registration period will be charged a \$5.00 late registration fee.

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Prefix No.	Course Title	Crs.	Secr.	Days	Time	Place	Prefix No.	Course Title	Crs.	Secr.	Days	Time	Place
Bus 101	Business Org. & Mgt.	3	B	MTW	11:00-12:00	LC 164	ERT 282	Forest Management Lab	3	I	M	3:30-5:30	TC 251
Bus 112	Principles of Accounting II	3	E	TTh	8:30-10:00	LC 161		Wildlife Techniques Lab	3	A	MW	8:30-9:30	TC 251
Bus 121, 122	Typing (Self-Learning Center)	3	*ARRANGE (see note below)			LC 163		Wildlife Techniques Lab	3	H2	Th	1:45-3:45	LC 152
Bus 125, 126	Shorthand (Self-Learning Center)	3	*ARRANGE (see note below)			LC 163		Wildlife Techniques Lab	3	R1	Th	6:30-8:15	TC 251
Bus 125, 226 **	Business Communications	3	O	M	6:30-9:30	LC 154		Wildlife Techniques Lab	3	R2	Th	8:30-10:10	TC 251
Bus 127	Principles of Marketing	3	P	Tu	6:30-9:30	LC 161	ES 121	Physical Geography	3	I2	W	2:00-5:00	LC 154
Bus 201	Business Law I	3	C	MTW	9:45-10:45	LC 161	Math 90	Preparatory Math	3	J	TTh	3:30-5:00	LC 161
Bus 204	Office Machines	3	G	MTW	1:00-2:00	LC 163	Math 101	Foundations of Math	3	D	TTh	10:15-11:45	LC 154
Bus 222	Secretarial Practice II	3	ARRANGE			LC 163	Math 105	College Algebra	3	M	MW	5:00-6:30	LC 154
							Math 115	Math for Science	1	J1	Tu	3:30-5:00	LC 154
HPE 102	Advanced Bowling	1	G3	F	1:00-3:00	OC	Math 122	Elementary Math II	3	Q	W	6:30-9:30	LC 155
		1	ARRANGE			OC	Math 151	Technical Math II	3	J	TTh	3:30-5:00	TC 250
HPE 104	Advanced Swimming	1	H2	Th	1:45-3:15	Wisp	Math 190	Calculus I	4	G	WF	1:00-2:00	LC 154
HPE 107	Volleyball (men)	1	A	MW	8:30-9:30	Gym		Calculus II	4	A	MW	8:30-9:30	LC 154
HPE 108	Volleyball (women)	1	C	MW	9:45-10:45	Gym	Math 210	Introductory Statistics	3	C	MW	9:45-10:45	LC 154
HPE 110	Basketball/Golf	1	F	TTh	12:00-1:00	Gym	MT 116	Ref & Air Conditioning II	3	Q1	W	6:30-8:15	TC 250
HPE 111	Badminton/Volleyball (co-ed)	1	E	MW	11:00-12:00	Gym		Ref & Air Conditioning II Lab	3	Q2	W	8:30-10:10	TC
HPE 112	Physical Fitness	1	C	MW	9:45-10:45	LC 164	MT 118	Ref & Air Conditioning IV	3	R1	Th	6:30-8:15	LC 152
HPE 120	First Aid	2	R	Th	6:30-8:30	LC 161		Ref & Air Conditioning IV Lab	3	R2	Th	8:30-10:10	TC 251
HPE 121	Personal Health	2	B	TTh	9:00-10:00	LC 164	MT 131	Fluid Power I	3	D2	Th	10:15-11:45	TC 251
HPE 203	Intro to Physical Education	2	D	TTh	10:15-11:15	LC 164		Fluid Power II Lab	3	P1	Tu	6:30-8:15	LC 157
HPE 222	Theory of Baseball	1	F	TTh	12:00-1:00	Gym		Fluid Power II	3	P2	Tu	8:30-10:10	TC
HPE 241	Sports Officiating	2	D	TTh	12:00-1:00	Gym	MT 140	Machine Tool Process I	3	H1	Tu	1:45-3:15	TC 260
Art 102	Basic Design II	3	F	TTh	12:00-1:30	Art Bldg		Machine Tool Process I Lab	3	H2	Th	1:45-3:15	TC
Art 201	Art Workshop I	3	P	Tu	6:30-9:30	Art Bldg		Machine Tool Process I	3	O1	M	6:30-8:15	TC 260
Art 205	Fundamentals of Sculpture	3	C	MW	9:45-10:45	Art Bldg		Machine Tool Process I Lab	3	O2	M	8:30-10:10	TC 260
Eng 100	Developmental English	3	O	M	6:30-9:30	LC 159	MT 150	Electrical Technology I	3	Q1	W	6:30-8:15	TC 260
		3	G	MW	1:00-2:00	LC 159		Electrical Technology I Lab	3	Q2	W	8:30-10:10	TC
Eng 101	English Comp I	3	I	MW	2:15-3:45	LC 159	MT 151	Electrical Technology II	3	C	MW	9:45-10:45	TC 250
		3	P	Tu	6:30-9:30	LC 159		Electrical Technology II Lab	3	A3	F	8:30-10:30	TC
Eng 102	English Comp II	3	E	MW	11:00-12:00	LC 159	MT 220	Mechanical Maintenance	3	R1	Th	6:30-8:15	LC 154
		3	D	TTh	10:15-11:45	LC 159		Mechanical Maintenance Lab	3	R2	Th	8:30-10:10	LC 154
Eng 103	Technical Writing	3	R	Th	6:30-9:30	LC 159	MT 250	Electrical Technology III	3	O1	M	6:30-8:15	LC 152

Rams Stop Huskies, 71-59, To Take First Place In Snowball Tournament

Southern's Steve Liller hit for 20 points as the Rams made it four straight wins in topping arch rival Northern 71-59 to take first place in the second annual Snowball Tournament Friday evening at Southern. Liller was named Most Valuable Player of the tourney.

East Preston took third place in the event by topping Central Preston 48-44 in the consolation game.

Joe DiSimone also had an outstanding game for the Rams, tossing in 19 points on seven goals and five of seven from the foul line. DiSimone joined Liller on the all-tournament squad along with Jim Spear of Northern and Mike Powers and Rick Hardesty of East Preston.

Liller connected on ten shots from the field as the Rams moved to a 20-14 first period lead and were never really threatened in the contest. The Rams hit 31 goals compared to 26 for Northern.

Dave Kahl also reached double figures for the Rams, hitting 10 points on four goals and two for two at the line.

Jim Spear paced the losers with 19 points and Phil Workman added 10.

Central Preston led 16-4 at the quarter and 22-15 at intermission but could not overcome the hot shooting of Mike Powers who hit 14 goals and led East Preston to a 30-28 lead going into the final stanza. Powers finished with 31 markers.

The Rams got into the championship round by defeating East Preston on Thursday evening, 76-54. Once again, Liller led all scorers with a 23-point performance on 16 goals and one for one at the charity line.

Southern led at the quarters 21-17, 42-29 and 60-38. Joe DiSimone added ten tallies for the Rams, as they won their third straight after three straight losses.

Southern outshot the visitors from the floor 37-18, although the West Virginians converted 18 of 28 attempts from the line compared to a two-for-five effort by the Rams.

Rick Hardesty finished with an impressive 32 points for East Preston.

Tony Doerr led the Northern Huskies into the championship contest, hitting 32 markers to spearhead the Huskies to an 82-69 decision over Central Preston. Bill Bender and Jim Spear followed up Doerr's performance with 22 and 19 points respectively.

Northern stayed just out of reach all the way through the contest, leading at the quarters 18-14, 42-38 and 59-50, and then poured it in on the final stanza.

The Huskies hit 36 shots from the floor compared to 29 for Central Preston and converted ten of 13 free tosses to

Preston's 11-for-16 effort. Colebank paced Central Preston with 19 points while teammates Ridenour had 17, Corbin, 13 and McGinnis, 12.

First Game				
	G	F	P	T
Northern	37	18	15	28
J. Workman	10	5	5	25
Schrock	8	0	0	8
T. Doerr	15	7	5	37
J. Spear	8	3	3	19
B. Bender	4	4	4	22
P. Workman	1	0	0	2
Ringer	0	0	0	0
Schwab	0	0	0	0
Miller	0	0	0	0
Beier	0	0	0	0
DeWitt	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	13	18	82
Central Preston				
	G	F	P	T
Colebank	7	5	5	19
Corbin	5	3	3	12
Barlow	0	0	0	0
Ridenour	17	3	4	17
Mayer	4	0	2	8
McGinnis	12	2	2	12
Totals	29	11	11	69
Northern	37	18	15	82
Central Preston	29	11	11	69

Second Game				
	G	F	P	T
Southern	19	10	10	25
S. Liller	10	5	5	23
B. Bender	4	0	0	8
T. Liller	5	2	2	10
J. DiSimone	5	2	2	10
D. Kahl	0	0	0	0
R. Messenger	2	0	0	4
M. Green	0	0	0	0
W. Steger	0	0	0	0
D. Stover	3	0	0	6
G. Estill	0	0	0	0
J. Simms	1	0	0	2
Totals	37	12	12	76
East Preston				
	G	F	P	T
M. Powers	14	7	7	31
R. Hardesty	10	4	4	22
Shaffer	2	1	1	4
Kirk	0	0	0	0
Loughery	0	0	0	0
Gibson	0	0	0	0
Lipscomb	0	0	0	0
K. Powers	0	0	0	0
Totals	26	12	12	54
Southern	37	12	12	76
East Preston	26	12	12	54

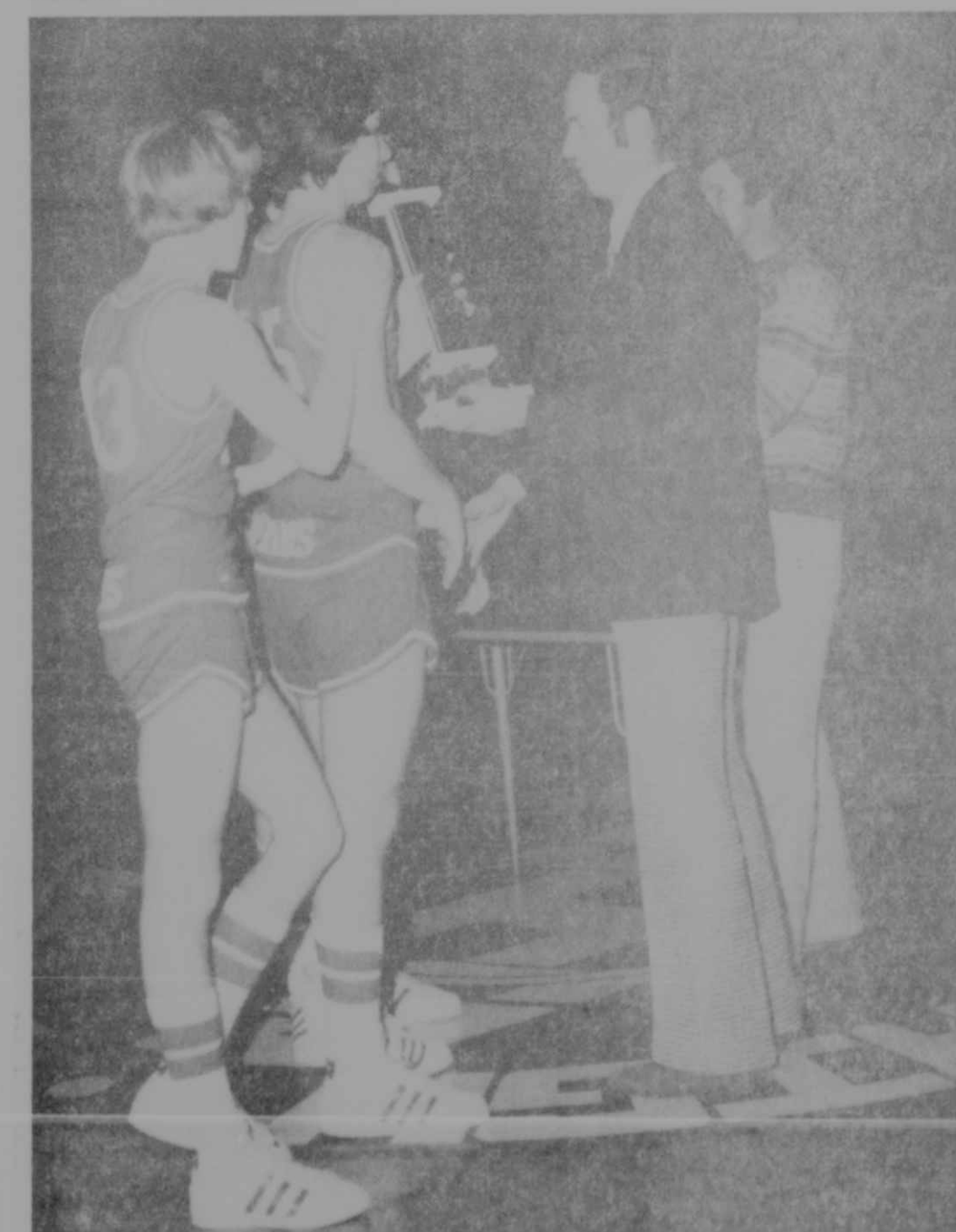
CONSOLATION				
	G	F	P	T
East Preston	14	7	7	31
Powers	14	7	7	31
Hardesty	10	4	4	22
Shaffer	2	1	1	4
Kirk	0	0	0	0
Gibson	0	0	0	0
Lipscomb	0	0	0	0
Totals	26	12	12	54
Central Preston				
	G	F	P	T
Colebank	4	0	0	8
Corbin	7	0	0	14
Barlow	2	0	0	4
Ridenour	2	0	0	4
Mayer	0	0	0	0
McGinnis	5	2	2	12
Totals	21	2	2	44
East Preston	26	12	12	54
Central Preston	21	2	2	44

CHAMPIONSHIP				
	G	F	P	T
Southern	19	10	10	25
S. Liller	10	5	5	23
B. Bender	4	0	0	8
T. Liller	5	2	2	10
J. DiSimone	5	2	2	10
D. Kahl	0	0	0	0
R. Messenger	2	0	0	4
M. Green	0	0	0	0
W. Steger	0	0	0	0
D. Stover	3	0	0	6
G. Estill	0	0	0	0
J. Simms	1	0	0	2
Totals	37	12	12	76
Northern				
	G	F	P	T
J. Workman	10	5	5	25
Schrock	8	0	0	8
T. Doerr	15	7	5	37
J. Spear	8	3	3	19
B. Bender	4	4	4	22
Kamp	0	0	0	0
P. Workman	0	0	0	0
Schwab	0	0	0	0
Miller	0	0	0	0
Totals	26	12	12	54
Southern	37	12	12	76
Northern	26	12	12	54

Northern Girls Topped By BW

Debbie Wilson fired in 24 points to pace the unbeaten Bishop Walsh girls basketball team to their sixth win of the season 85-26 over Northern Wednesday evening.

Karla Grabenstein 18 and Wendy Triplett 11 for the winners.



SOUTHERN RAMS Mike Green and Gene Estill represent the team by receiving the championship trophy of the Snowball Classic Friday evening after the Rams defeated Northern 71-59 in the final round. Principal of Southern High, Luther Parrack presents the trophy, assisted by Southern Athletic Director, Tom Woods.



ALL TOURNAMENT TEAM of the Snowball Classic. From left to right, #41 Steve Liller, Southern; Joe DiSimone, Southern; Mike Powers, East Preston; Rick Hardesty, East Preston; and Jim Spear, Northern. Second from far left is Luther Parrack, Southern principal, and at far left is Tom Woods, Southern Athletic Director.

Cross Country Ski Race Set At New Germany

The second annual Maryland Meadow Mountain Cross Country Ski Race will be held at New Germany State Park on Saturday, February 4.

The event will feature two separate races, one for children ten years and under which will cover a distance of approximately 3.1 kilometers. All other age groups will race the same 7.5 kilometer track as last year.

The 10 and under race will begin at 11 a.m. and the second race will start at 1 p.m. Certificates will be given to everyone completing the respective races. Awards will be given for fastest overall time, oldest finisher, and youngest finisher.

Awards will also be presented to the female and male coming in first in the following classes: 10 and under; 11 through 17; 18 through 34, and 35 and over.

The event is sponsored by the Department of Natural Resources, Taxes State Office Building, Annapolis. Harry W. Hunter, chief of the office of recreation and leisure services, has registration forms available.

No alternate date is planned in case of extremely inclement weather.



Northern Huskie Jamie Workman zooms down the floor as teammate Bill Bender looks on in the Snowball Tournament Championship contest with Southern.

Par-Matt Lanes Games Activities

League action continued this week at Par-Matt Lanes.

In the Thursday Early Mixed League, Island Creek Early Birds were in first place, followed by Oakland Coin Laundry and Wilt Trucking Inc. tied for second, and Road Runners, third. High team series was won by Oakland Coin Laundry with a 2957. Road Runners were second with a 2923, and Late Ones

were third with a 2907. Adams Store took the high team game with a 1069, followed by Pin Busters with a 1040, and Road Runners were third, rolling a 1032. Bob Goad rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 579. Buddy Tasker and Lowell Coddington tied for second with 569s, and Don Butler and Kent Bolyard tied for third, each with a 567. High individual game was won by Gary Schrock with a 235, followed by Lowell Coddington with a 232, and in third place was Buddy Tasker, who rolled

a 216. In ladies' action Edith Llewellyn rolled the high individual series with a 493, followed by Bertha Sanders with a 477, and Donna Tasker was third rolling a 473. High individual game was also won by Edith Llewellyn who rolled a 219, followed by Judy Paugh in second place with a 186, and in third place was Mary Leighton, who rolled a 185.

In the Civic League, Little

Seven was in first place, followed by Army-Navy and 135 Meat Mkt. High team series was won by 135 Meat Mkt. with 3024. Oakland Electric and Silver Knob #1 were second with 2976 and Little Seven was third with 2933. The 135 Meat Mkt. took the high team game with 1062, followed by Silver Knob #1 with 1054 and Oakland Electric was third, rolling 1038. Dennis Meyers rolled the high individual

series for the week, scoring 638. Charlie Harsh was second with 581 and George Grimm was third with 576. High individual game was won by Dennis Meyers with 244, followed by Henry Slawter with 234 and in third place was Mel Rhodes, who rolled 226.

In the Mt. Top Men's League, Tall Ends were in first place, followed by Lewis Building and Beachy Lumber

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JUBILANT CHEERLEADERS from Northern High School are pictured receiving a trophy from Southern principal Luther Parrack for being voted the best cheerleaders of the Snowball Tournament.



TWO POINTS! — Beall Mountaineer Dave Blank, #25, hits from the outside against Southern Ram defender Steve Liller in a game Tuesday night. The Mountaineers survived a late rally by the Rams to win in overtime, 60-58.

Southern Rams Fall To Beall A Second Time In Overtime Contest

The Beall Mountaineers proved a second time this season that they perform slightly better than the Southern Rams in overtime play, as the Rams were defeated by the visiting Frostburg team Tuesday night, 60-58. Southern fell to Beall in another overtime contest in December, 62-60. The Potomac Valley Conference thriller stopped a four game winning streak by the Rams and was the sixth victory in a row for Beall.

The Mountaineers held a comfortable lead throughout most of the game, on top 21-14, 41-27 and 49-41 at the quarters. However in the final eight minutes, the Rams took the momentum and scored 17 points compared to only nine for Beall. The score at the end of regulation time was 58-58.

Beall got the tip in the three-minute overtime period and froze the ball for nearly two minutes. A missed shot by Beall and a rebound by the Rams gave Southern an opportunity to score, but the ball was stolen away. After a missed foul shot by a Mountaineer, the Rams had another chance to take the lead. With 24 seconds on the clock, Steve Liller tried a 15-footer, but the ball bounced off the rim.

After a timeout by Beall, the Mountaineers again went into a stall and called another timeout with only seven seconds remaining. When play resumed Brock Arnone tossed a short pass to his brother, Bryon, with just two seconds left and Bryon layed it up and in at the sound of the buzzer. Joey DiSimone fouled Arnone in the process, but the foul shot

by Bryon was no good.

Steve Liller, the area's leading scorer, paced the Rams and all other scorers with 12 goals and four for five at the line for 28 points. Joey DiSimone added 12 tallies and Brad Bittinger finished with eight.

All five Beall starters reached double figures, led by Dave Blank with 14 points, Jeff Waites scored 13, Marty Thomas, 12, Brock Arnone, 11, and Bryon Arnone, ten.

The Rams will be back into action, seeking their fifth win, tomorrow night at home against Elk Garden.

	G	F	A	P	T
Southern	32	4	5	4	28
Steve Liller	12	4	0	2	8
Brad Bittinger	4	0	0	2	8
Todd Liller	3	1	1	1	7
Dave Blank	1	2	4	3	7
Joey DiSimone	6	0	0	2	12
Dave Stover	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	58	8	17	18	58

	G	F	A	P	T
Beall	26	5	8	17	58
Brock Arnone	1	5	0	4	11
Dave Blank	7	0	1	1	14
Jeff Waites	5	3	1	1	13
Bryon Arnone	5	0	2	1	10
Marty Thomas	5	2	3	1	12
Totals	25	10	14	11	60

	Score	Periods
Southern	14	27
Beall	21	41

Mt. Top Shuffleboard Standings Released

As of December 28, Storey's Lunch remained in first place in the Mt. Top Shuffleboard League with 63 wins and 9 losses. Sportsman's Bar was second with a record of 39-33, followed by Rustic Inn, 30-33 and Little Henry's, 0-54.

The most fumbles by a player in a single football game was seven made by Len Dawson of the Kansas City Chiefs against San Diego, Nov. 15, 1964.

Lakers Even JUCO Record At 2-2 By Rolling Over Essex Community



GOOD FOR TWO — GCC's Kevin Liller goes airborne for two points last night against Essex Community College. Liller was high scorer for the Lakers with 23 points. Garrett won the contest, 101-80.

The Garrett Community College Lakers evened their Maryland JUCO record at 2-2 and boosted their overall mark to 8-3 with a 101-80 victory over visiting Essex Community College Wednesday evening.

The Lakers, playing without the services of point guard Dave McPherson, got a strong floor game from Pete Brosnihan and an outstanding first half defensive performance in racing to the win.

The Lakers raced to a 52-35 halftime lead and cleared the bench in the second half in coasting to the win.

Kevin Liller led the Lakers in scoring with 23 points on nine baskets and five of seven from the free throw line.

John Guadagnino chipped in with 17, Ric Phillips 16, Neal Rice 14 and Bill Mc Garvey ten for the winners.

Ron Holthaus led Essex with 23 points.

Lynwood Peters chipped in with 16, Cliff Icenroad 13 and Dorian Gray ten for the losers.

	G	F	P	T
Essex	2	9	13	0
Icenroad	4	2	5	10
Holthaus	11	1	5	23
Peters	8	0	4	16
Goodman	1	3	5	4
Williams	0	2	5	2
Park	0	0	1	0
Jones	1	3	4	4
Simmons	1	0	0	2
Spotts	2	3	1	6
Totals	30	20	30	70

	G	F	P	T
Northern	1	0	1	2
Shuck	1	0	0	2
Doerr	5	0	1	10
Speier	8	2	4	18
Bender	4	2	3	14
P. Workman	3	0	2	4
Totals	22	13	14	58

	G	F	P	T
Bruce	6	2	1	14
Bradley	10	5	2	25
Harvey	3	2	3	8
Wagner	0	0	2	0
Welch	1	0	0	2
Harris	2	0	1	4
Treine	4	4	2	12
Barnard	1	0	1	2
Simpson	0	0	3	0
Totals	27	13	15	47

	Score	Periods
Northern	15	26
Bruce	10	30

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THE BIRD FLIES! — Bill (Bird) McGarvey soars in the air to hit a goal against Essex last night. The Lakers are now 2-2 in the JUCO conference.

Southern Jayvees Record Now 5-1

The Southern High Jayvee Rams raised their season record to 5-1 Tuesday evening by downing the Beall Jayvees, 40-28. Dave Hershman and Jeff Ryscavage were high scorers for the Rams.

The junior Rams will meet Petersburg High at Petersburg next Tuesday evening, January 10.

Par-Matt Lanes

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Co. High team series was won by Shirer's with a 2980.

Woodmen Choppers were second with a 2958 and Lions Club was third with a 2942. The Woodmen Choppers took the high team game with a 1099, followed by Beachy Lumber Co. with a 1033, and Big Tee was third, rolling a 1030. Don Parsons rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 614. John Cox was second with 587, and Allen Reese was third with a 581.

High individual game was also won by Don Parsons with a 235, followed by John Cox with a 231, and in third place was Steve Reese, who rolled a 223.

In the Cream Puff League, Build Ups are in first place,

followed by Rip Offs and Head Hunters. High team series was won by Build Ups with 2056, Rip Offs were second with 1981 and Wipe Outs were third with 1820.

Build Ups took the high team games with 709 and 683 followed by Rip Offs with 667. Carol Cervi rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 446. Cheryl Landis was second with 439 and Jean Peterman was third with 420.

High individual game was won by Cheryl Landis with 169, followed by Jean Peterman with 166 and in third place was Carol Cervi, who rolled a 160.

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Wine, Spirits Tax Revenue Higher

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein reported this week that tax revenue from the sale of wine and distilled spirits during the first five months of Fiscal Year 1978 is higher than for the same period last year, but noted that beer and tobacco tax revenue is down.

Distilled spirits tax revenue from July through November 1977 totaled \$6,559,787, a 1.0 percent gain over collections for the identical period last year. State revenue from the tax on wine during the first five months of the current Fiscal Year amounted to \$1,177,250, up 3.95 percent over the same five months of the previous year.

Maryland beer tax revenue during the first five months of Fiscal Year 1978 totaled \$3,901,312, 5.25 percent less than the amount collected for the same months of Fiscal Year 1977. State tobacco taxes yielded \$20,187,177 from July through November 1977, 4.39 percent less than the amount received during the identical months of the previous year.

Total Maryland alcohol and tobacco tax revenue for the first five months of Fiscal Year 1978 amounted to \$31,716,910, 3.33 percent less than the amount collected during the same period of last Fiscal Year.

List Holiday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Junkins, Mt. Lake Park, spent the New Year holidays with Mr. Junkins brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Pettit, Crownsville. They also visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Junkins, Laurel.

Home for the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Junkins and son Scott, Hampton, Va. and Mr. and Mrs. David Junkins, Bowie.

Others visiting the Junkins home were Paul Junkins, Cumberland; Geraldine Travis, Gaithersburg; Mr. and Mrs. George Hutson, Hyattsville; Mr. and Mrs. Sal Guida, Seabrook; Richard Faircloth and Lou Batchelder, Greenbelt.

GRANTSVILLE NEWS

The annual Christmas dinner and program of St. John's United Church of Christ, Grantsville, was held December 22. The evening was sponsored by the Women's Guild and attended by approximately 40 persons.

Following the dinner, a spiritual program was given with Helen Bender as reader, Patty Bender as pianist, and everyone joining in for Christmas carols.

Games and activities were led by Jeanne Renner and Marge Menges. One game led to a surprise farewell gift for Mrs. Fern Epstein, who was also presented with a large photo of the church sanctuary, and certificate of appreciation for all the work she has done for St. John's. Pastor Garland presented the certificate.

Mrs. Epstein has moved to her new home at 2505 Grove Street, N.E., North Canton, Ohio. Mrs. Mary Lou Bender is teaching her Sunday School class.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fisher have purchased the Epstein property and will be living there in their new home.

The annual Christmas Eve Dedication service of St. John's United Church of Christ had special emphasis on music this season. Music was provided by the junior choir, the senior choir, and the combined choir. The prayer of consecration during the candlelighting service was an organ solo by Rae Ann Brennenman. The Christmas message was given by Pastor Garland.

During the Christmas Eve service, a special dedication service was held, using the traditional order when Pastor Garland dedicated the new carillon. The carillon was dedicated in loving memory of Grace Beachy, Mabel Bender, Blake Brennenman, Floyd and Edna Durst and daughter Marie, Orpha Menges, Donald Swauger, and in honor of William Menges.

It was purchased through the Memorial Fund and additional contributions.

The carillon consists of a cabinet in the Sanctuary and three roof-mounted speakers. It plays church music as well as church chimes, and was made and installed by Maas-Rowe Company, which has installed carillons in such places as the Metropolitan

Opera, New York City, and the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis. It has been playing twice daily for the community.

Personals
Mrs. Doris Blocher is a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.
Emerson Resh is a patient in a Baltimore hospital.

Blaine Bowser is a patient in the Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland, after an accident on Saturday evening. Surgery was planned for Tuesday.

Miss Susan Bender, of the University of Maryland, is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O. Bender.
Galen Beitzel, Baltimore Eastern Bible College, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Beitzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Younkun spent the Friday before Christmas visiting friends and relatives from Grantsville to Oakland.

Christmas eve guests of Mrs. Jane Wable and children were Mrs. Zola Patton, Mrs. Hilda Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wable and children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Younkun.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bowser and daughters Suzanne and Jennifer, Red Lion, Pa., were Christmas holiday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bowser.

Mr. and Mrs. David Baker and Billy and Mrs. Cleda Baker were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Bowman and children, Boonesboro, on Monday after Christmas.

New Year dinner guests of Mrs. Cleda Baker were Mr. and Mrs. David Baker and David and Susan, Berlin, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. James A. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Baker, Fingel.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Broadwater and son Franklin, Chestnut Ridge Road, were Tuesday dinner guests of Mrs. Cleda Baker.

December Weather

Below Normal

December ended up as a below normal month except in precipitation which was just about normal. Temperatures averaged 3.4 degrees below normal due to several sub-zero mornings and some cold days. Snow accumulation was also below normal as most falls were light.

High temperatures averaged

37.8 degrees or 2.4 below normal. The high for the month was the first day with 64 degrees. On the 7th and 10th the mercury went no higher than 12 degrees. It remained in the teens three other days.

The mercury remained below the freezing mark on eight days all together. Low temperatures averaged 15.8 degrees or 4.4 below normal. The lowest was a minus eight degrees on the 8th. The mercury dipped below the

zero-mark on five other days. The 24th was the only day that the temperature did not go below the freezing mark. Other than the zero readings, temperature registered as single digit figures on six other days.

Precipitation-wise the month was really somewhat dry after the 1st. Before dawn on the 1st, one inch of rain fell. The total precipitation was 3.86 inches or .15 inch above normal. Most of

the light precipitation fell as snow. A trace or more of precipitation occurred on 22 days. In most cases it was a tenth of an inch or less. Other than the 1st, the heaviest rain day was the 18th with .53 inch. There was a trace or more of snow on 16 days. The heaviest single daily fall was on the 6th with three inches. Most falls were a half an inch or less. The total fall was 11.2 inches or two below normal.

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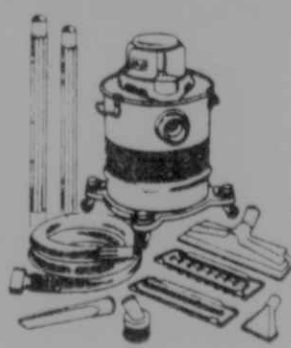
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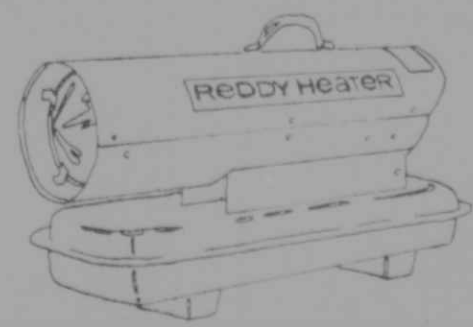


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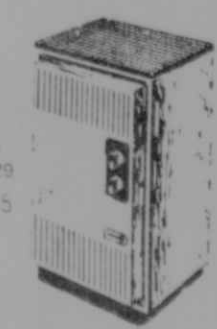
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Dentist's Mailbox

By Harris Heyden, DDS

Q. How long do dentures last? What trouble signs should one look for?

A. If kept clean and handled correctly, dentures can last for years. The problem is that the tissues of the mouth are undergoing constant change. This change can occur very slowly, so the dentures may become loose and ill-fitting so gradually that you do not notice any difference. Your muscles adjust to the looser-fitting dentures, so it seems that no change has occurred.

Therefore, most people should have dentures relined every 2 to 5 years and remade every 8 to 10 years.

Some symptoms that could indicate a change in the tissue under the dentures include: sore spots (or pressure areas) that keep recurring; clicking of the teeth when there was none previously; and, increased movements of the denture. Redness of the gum tissue under the denture (where there was none before) or soft flabby tissue (where it was once firm) are also possible changes. Where there is pressure on a nerve, you may notice numbness. But, even tumor-like growths of soft gum tissues usually do not hurt. And sometimes there may be a change in speech or the way the teeth occlude (bite).

Denture wearers should have an oral examination every year. It only takes a minute, but it can be very important.

Q. Why are some teeth black?

A. Teeth contain various amounts of white, yellow, grey, and even brown coloring. But, very black coloring usually indicates tooth decay, plaque or calculus (tartar) that has become stained. It can also indicate teeth containing pulp tissue (nerves) that are non-vital and need root canal treatment. Teeth that have had root canal procedures carried out within them tend to darken in appearance even though they are otherwise healthy.

You should see your dentist as soon as you can to find out exactly why your teeth are black, and what treatment is needed. DO NOT DELAY, for if treatment is needed, the sooner it is carried out, the better.

Q. What can a person do when their teeth become very loose after age 50?

A. Looseness indicates loss of bone support. This is usually caused by periodontal (gum) disease. Although the lost bone cannot be very readily replaced, periodontal disease can be treated.

The progress of the disease can be stopped or slowed down with treatment and with good daily home care. Unfortunately, by the time the patient notices that his teeth are very loose, the extent of the disease and the bone loss is usually very great. At this stage, the possibility of saving the teeth is poor.

You must go to your regular family (general) dentist at once. If your teeth can be saved, the sooner you seek treatment, the better the results can be.

Q. I have an upper partial plate with 7 teeth on it. They are together across the front, with 3 natural teeth on one side, and 4 on the other. The fit is O.K., but I would like something more natural. My dentist feels that the fixed bridge

would not be strong enough to last because of the large span between my natural teeth. Is there something I could get that would enable me to have it done anyway?

A. Your dentist's concern about the length of the bridge is not without basis. There are many ways of replacing missing teeth, but what way you can use will depend on the condition and alignment of your remaining upper teeth. Other factors involved are your occlusion (bite), bone support, oral habits, (such as clenching and grinding) and esthetic (appearance) requirements. Your age, health and other factors are considered, too, as well as time and cost.

Even if all remaining teeth are crowned (capped) as part of the bridge for support, a conventional fixed bridge using any of the newer materials may not be advisable. Perhaps your dentist would consider a fixed-removable combination or utilizing implanted portions or bar supports with crowns as a possibility then.

Q. I read your article about implants. Can you tell me anymore about research and results on vitreous carbon implants?

A. The only additional information that I can give you on the vitreous carbon implant would involve explaining detailed research reports and studies. And it is doubtful that I could do this in a way that would be of any practical benefit to you.

If you are very interested, then I would suggest that you try to find a dentist in your area who places such implants. He would be able, after examining you, to provide you with detailed information on vitreous carbon implants and their possible application to you.

I do not know which of the 2000 or so dentists in Maryland are using this procedure. Ask your regular family dentist if he can help you find someone. If not, you may be able to write to one of several national dental societies devoted entirely to dentists who use or are interested in implants. You can get their names and addresses through the American Dental Association, 211 East Chicago Ave., Chicago, Illinois, 60611.

Q. My 7-year-old has a double cleft palate and lip and cannot spit out the water after brushing. He has a lot of spaces. At what age should he have braces?

A. If the reason he cannot spit out after brushing is due to the cleft palate and/or his lip, then you must first take him to an oral surgeon to see about repairing the defects. When done early in life, modern surgical techniques often enable such developmental defects to be repaired with excellent results and good appearance. Ask your regular family dentist to refer you to someone.

Some orthodontic treatment (movement of teeth) may be needed or desirable now, especially if the first permanent (six year) molars and/or the 4 upper and 4 lower permanent teeth (front teeth) have erupted. I assume that you have had your child to a family or children's dentist, on a regular basis. Ask him to refer you to an orthodontist if he feels that such care is needed or desirable at this time.

If your child has never

been to a dentist, then you must take him at once to have his teeth examined, cleaned and given any necessary treatment.

Q. I am a 62-year-old widow on Social Security and I need my teeth pulled and a lower denture made. Any information that you can give me would be helpful.

A. The first thing to do is to be certain that your remaining teeth cannot be maintained. Complete dentures, especially the lower denture, are to be avoided as long as possible.

There are numerous sources of dental care in the Baltimore area:

1) private practicing dentists. Ask family, friends, and neighbors whom they recommend. Remember that you are free to consult with as many dentists as you want before deciding on a course of treatment.

2) dental school clinic. For complete dentures only, you may call: 528-5309.

3) local health department clinics: call your local health department.

The Medical Assistance Program will pay for emergency care only.

Q. How often should I go to the dentist?

A. For most people, 2 visits per year, about 6 months apart, is ideal. These visits could include examination and evaluation of the entire oral cavity, prophylaxis (scaling and/or polishing of the teeth), and x-rays. Topical fluoride application, home-care instructions, and testing of the tooth pulp (nerve) can also be given. And it can include adjustment of dentures.

Some people need to visit even more frequently. Individuals with periodontal (gum) problems or individuals who accumulate calculus (tartar) or plaque more than usual, need to visit the dentist more frequently. So do people who have a high susceptibility to decay or are taking medications that could affect their gums or teeth. Also, people with systemic (general health) conditions or people who do not clean their teeth as well as they should, need to visit the dentist more than twice a year.

If you have any questions about dental health care, send them to: Dr. Harris Heyden, Maryland State Dental Assn., Box 261, Linthicum, Md. 21090.

GRANTSVILLE

Visitors at the Arthur Resh home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Y. Resh, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Nixon, Richmond, Va.; Robert Resh, Scott and Jill Ann, Clairton, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bowser, Grantsville; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bowser, Susie and Jennifer, Kenneth Resh, Grantsville; Gilbert Crowe and Miss Barbara Resh, Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coleman, Frostburg, visited Mrs. Mary E. Kamp and family.

Mrs. Doris Blocher is a patient at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, after undergoing surgery last Thursday.

Friendsville

Mary Jane Schroyer of Friendsville spent the Christmas holidays with her children, Dorothy Moses and Arthur Schroyer in Chardon, Ohio.

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Bittinger-Glades

Church News

The New Year's Eve service at Zion Lutheran was well attended. The entire Youth group from the Jennings Methodist Church was in attendance.

Newly elected council members were installed in all three churches of the Bittinger Parish on New Year's Day. They were: St. John's, Carole Peck and Gary O'Brien; Emmanuel, Phyllis Dennis and Kenneth Buckel; Zion, Edgar Resh and Robert Shires.

New Year's Family Dinner Held

On Sunday, New Year's Day the family of Amelia Brennehan held a dinner at the Community Center. There were 55 present.

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Zook, Harrington, Delaware, were Sunday night guests of Amelia Brennehan and attended the family dinner at the Community Center. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beitzel, Herndon, Va., were weekend guests and also attended the family dinner on Sunday.

Pastor James Mitchell visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Buckel on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beitzel were Sunday visitors and Christmas Day guests of the Buckels were Mrs. Jean Cope, son Mike, Mrs. Babe Swayne, Cumberland; and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hipsley and son, Sewickley, Pa.

New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Reckner were Mr. and Mrs. John Reckner, Jr., and Cathy, Mrs. James Giotfely and Lisa, Mrs. Julius Carey and son Christopher, Frostburg, and Lloyd Brennehan of North Glade. The grandchildren and great-grandchildren enjoyed the Annual New Year's Treasure Hunt the Reckners have for them. Sunday evening guests were Tom Giotfely and Cheryl Harmon.

Mrs. Ida Reckner and Mrs. Martha Giotfely visited Pastor Louis Danner and his daughter Marcette Danner on Saturday afternoon in Oakland.

Miss Olive Bender and Mrs. Marion Stephens were shopping in Oakland on Saturday afternoon.

Susan and Stephen Mayor, Glenelg, Md., spent the week with Mrs. Jonas Beachy and went skiing.

Mrs. W. E. Buckel returned last Wednesday to the home of Mrs. Ferne Beachy after spending the Christmas holidays with her children in Cumberland. Mrs. Dennis Buckel and Shane were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Buckel at Ferne's home. Mr. and Mrs. William Southerly, West Lafayette, Ind., are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buckel. On Friday they visited Mrs. W. E. Buckel.

Dan and Jean Caldwell, Hopwood, Pa., were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Forney.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beitzel, Herndon, Va., were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Beitzel.

Donald and Kathy Giotfely, Mt. Lebanon, Pa., spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Yaste. Their children Duane and Mark Giotfely, had spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Yaste.

New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Buckel were Etta and Betty Buckel, Pastor and Mrs. James Mitchell and Ida Reckner and Martha Giotfely. Hamill Giotfely, Hyattsville, spent last Thursday at his mother's home on Mosser Road.

Health Planning Council Releases 47-Project Study

The staff of the Health Planning Council of Appalachia Maryland, Inc. has completed a study of 47 area projects which have received a total of \$7,293,412 in Section 202 funds of the Appalachia Development Act since 1970.

Of the 47 projects, 14 were for Allegany County, 13 for Garrett County, seven for Washington County and 13 for the three county region.

James A. Carlisle, administrator of the Health Planning Council, said purposes behind this study were to educate the present staff and council members concerning these projects, update all persons as to the progress of the projects and to assist in realizing trends in funding health projects.

Biggest single project in the study was the planning and administrative grant which has allowed the Health Planning Council of Appalachia Maryland to operate since June 1970 at a total cost of \$1,181,941 in Section 202 funds.

The report notes in September 1976 the Health Systems Agency for Western Maryland was spun off from HPCAM and assumed the planning and facility certification program from HPCAM. HPCAM retained the project development and administration of ARC Section 202 funds functions and reduced its staff.

Garrett County projects have included \$247,309 for Appalachian Activities Center and sheltered workshop; \$46,436 for ambulatory transportation system; \$59,363 for emergency communications system, \$45,949 for recruitment of health officer; \$61,840 for Garrett County landfill; \$79,200 for Garrett Memorial Hospital equipment; \$477,948 for preventive health services for pre-school children; \$26,744 for Garrett County rescue vehicles; \$290,585 for solid waste management; \$215,817 for Grantsville Health Center construction; \$42,750 for the same center's operations; \$46,082 for the center's expansion and \$23,194 for secondary school health aides.

Driver Education Has Not Reduced Auto Fatalities

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Driver education for teenagers greatly increases the number of licensed drivers but fails to reduce driver involvement in fatal crashes.

Drs. Leon S. Robertson and Paul L. Zador of the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety reached these conclusions in a study of driver education experience in 27 states in past years.

The researchers estimated at

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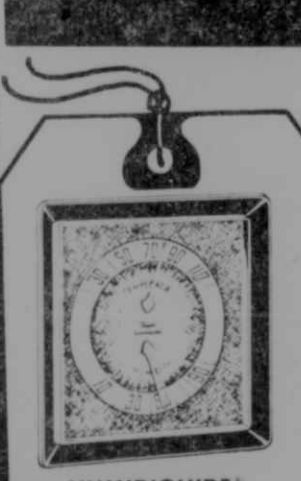
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Ralph Kolbfeisch was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman and also visited with Edward Hachman and Mrs. Clara McRobie. Mr. and Mrs. Hockman were callers at the Newman Funeral Home in Grantsville due to the death of Elmer Deal, Addison. The funeral was held on Thursday and he was buried in the Addison Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Parley Deal and Mr. and Mrs. Hockman were at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, on Sunday due to the death of Carl Richter, Grantsville, who died at his home on Friday morning. The funeral was held on Monday at the Funeral Home and burial was at the Grantsville Cemetery. Mrs. Wayne Collier is a daughter of the deceased.

Mrs. Charles Ringer has been spending some time in York, Pa., with her mother, Mrs. Rose Reichenbecher and son, Mrs. Reichenbecher, who was a recent hospital patient is improving at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bender and family were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bender, St. Paul, Pa. They attended a wedding reception for a relative at the Casselman Restaurant on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Betty McClintock, a student at Towson State College, is spending the mid-semester break with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett McClintock. Other weekend guests were Miss Maureen Watson, Towson; and Miss Leona Wright, Edgewater, Md. Sunday evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gary McClintock and sons, Betty's sister, Mrs. Donna McClintock is taking classes at West Virginia University to obtain her master's degree.

Tuesday evening a family get-together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Harman was held with guests being Miss Joyce Harman, Martinsburg, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Harman and sons, Accident; Tom Giotfelty, Bittinger; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harman and family, Paul Harman and Miss Emma Krause, Mr. and Mrs. William Harman attended the Christmas Open House given by Doctor and Mrs. Raymond McCullough, Friendsville.

The North Star Girls' 4-H Club went caroling at several homes at Accident, delivered several cheer baskets, and returned to the Accident Fire Hall for a party with gift exchange.

The Young People's Society of St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, held a pizza party following the church service on Saturday evening. A devotional period and the ringing of the church bells brought in the New Year at midnight.

Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harman for a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Harman were David Durst, on leave from the Air Force; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Harman and sons, Accident; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harman and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. William Harman. New Year's Eve guests of the Herbert Harman family were Michelle Holtschneider of Virginia; the Randall Harman family, the William Harman family, Paul Harman, Betty Glover,

Emma Krause, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harman and son, Keith. Sunday dinner guests of the Edgar Harman family were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harman and son, Clarksburg, W. Va.; Michelle Holtschneider, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harman and daughters, Tom Giotfelty, the Randall Harman, Mr. and Mrs. William Harman and son, Miss Emma Krause, Betty Glover, and David Durst. David left Tuesday to go to Germany, where he will be stationed with the Air Force for two years.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Glass, Accident, on New Year's Eve were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts, Rocky River, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Glass, Andrews Air Force Base, Washington, D.C.; Gary Reichenbecher, McHenry; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reichenbecher, Jr., Houston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reichenbecher, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glass, Mr. and Mrs. William Scheff, Mr. and Mrs. George Hetz, and Mrs. Elsie Glass.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Richter were Iva and John Maki, Olmstead Falls, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Richter, Laurel, Md.; and Donald and Sheila Edwards Richter, Baltimore. Monday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richter, Belle Vernon, Pa., and evening visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richter and daughter, Accident; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Richter, Fresno, California. They were all here to pay last respects to Carl Richter, Grantsville and attend his funeral on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richter and family, Middletown, Md., spent a few days with Mrs. Wilma Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Brown and son, Chad, and Mrs. Wilma Brown were all visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Brown, McHenry.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Margroff were Mr. and Mrs. John Strider, Jr., and daughters, Boonesboro. Other New Year's Eve visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kolb, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kahl, Accident; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentz and Misses Alma, Esther and Claudine Opel.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bender and family and Rev. and Mrs. Oren Bender and family were among the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Creed Yoder, Meyersdale, on Saturday for a gift exchange and get-together of the Norman Bender family. Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Rice, Fintel, Tracy Rice was a Tuesday and Wednesday overnight guest of the Younkens, where another Tuesday overnight guest was Carlon Doerr, Hoyaes.

Friday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gary McClintock were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richter and family, Middletown, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. William Burow, Jr., and family, Friendsville; Mr. and Mrs. William Burow, Sr., and daughter, Listonburg; Miss Maureen Watson, Towson; Miss Leone Wright, of Edgewater, Md.; and Misses Donna and Betty McClintock. Mrs. Pearl Schmidt and daughter, Oakland; and Mrs. Clara McRobie spent a few days with friends and relatives in Washington, D.C.

Thursday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Margroff were Dr. and Mrs. John Kolb and family, Raleigh, N.C. Guests for several days were

Miss Sharon Kolbfeisch spent a week's vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kelley, Rockville. Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kelley and son, Mike, Rockville; and Robert Curtis, Gaithersburg. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lapp and family. Miss Susie Kolbfeisch was a Sunday overnight guest of the Lapp family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reichenbecher, Sr., for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reichenbecher, Jr., Houston, Texas. They were all Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hetz, where other supper guests were Gary Reichenbecher, McHenry; and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Glass.

Miss Mildred Wucik, Betty Darlington, Mrs. Anna Wucik and daughter returned to their home in Chardon, Ohio, after spending a week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hockman and daughter spent Sunday with relatives in Eckhart.

Elmer and Earl Hanft were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Fike, Confluence, where other holiday guests were all the Fike children, their spouses and children from Akron, Grove City, Ohio, and Madison, Pa.

Erika Best, Laurel; and Roy Miller, Grantsville. Amy Margroff was a Friday overnight guest of Michelle Clutter, Accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Friend were Sunday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Kesner, Rawlings.

Mrs. Ron Hockman and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Wiley, Grantsville.

A Monday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collier was Mrs. Homer Denker.

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North Star Girls' 4-H Goes Caroling

The North Star Girls' 4-H club went caroling and held a party Thursday, December 29, after meeting at the Accident fire hall at 6:30. They caroled at various homes in Accident and also gave several cheer-baskets.

The party followed at approximately 7:45 at the fire hall. Games were played and a pinata broken. Gifts were exchanged. Everyone then helped with refreshments.

A meeting was planned January 3 at the home of Diane Bowser.

Deputies Investigate Two Minor Incidents

Members of the sheriff's department were called to investigate the destruction of a mailbox and the larceny of a pair of skis among their more routine duties during the past few days.

Mrs. Earl Beckman, Route 1, Oakland, on the Pleasant Valley Road, reported that during the early morning hours January 3, her mailbox had been destroyed by the use of a blunt instrument. Loss value of the mailbox was set at \$10.

Paul Robinson reported the larceny of his \$300 pair of skis January 2 from the slopes at Wisp Ski Resort. No further information was available, and the skis have not yet been recovered.

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Non-Graduates Of Maryland May Be Awarded Diplomas

BALTIMORE (UPI) — Maryland residents who did not graduate from high school could receive a diploma based on experience rather than completion of a formal curriculum.

The Maryland Adult Competency-Based Diploma Program will begin awarding diplomas in May to adults who show competency in job and "life" skills.

An outline for assessing the competency of diploma-seekers has not been formulated by the state Department of Education but officials said it will probably be similar to one in Syracuse, N.Y.

In that program, which began in 1975, applicants can demonstrate job competence by presenting an occupational license, such as the one issued for hairdressers, or certification papers from an employer.

Candidates may also take a competency test in their respective fields.

Syracuse applicants may also demonstrate a special skill, such as art or music, or readiness for college represented by satisfactory scores on college-entrance exams.

In the basic and life skills, a Syracuse applicant would take a standard reading and math test.

The applicant must also perform tests that show such abilities as buying a home, getting information about the neighborhood and reading contracts.

Dr. Theophil Mullen, assistant state superintendent of schools, said more than one million Maryland adults do not have diplomas.

Mullen said the program is geared to half of those adults who "apparently have enough knowledge to qualify."

Education officials said the program will meet the needs of people unable to demonstrate competency on the General Education Development Exam, another state diploma equivalency program.

"There are some adults for whom the GED doesn't make sense," said Naomi Keiter, an education department staff member.

Mullen said some adults "just get tied up and scared by a paper and pencil test."

Keiter said the new program

"will be as stringent as any other diploma program."

The program will begin with a center in Anne Arundel County upon approval in February by the county school board, then expand to six or seven regional centers throughout the state.

Grantsville Group Okays Constitution

The Grantsville Community Business and Development Association met November 18 for a dinner and business meeting at Penn Alps. Fifteen active members attended and heard the final reading of the constitution, which was then unanimously approved.

The organization will meet January 11 at 8 p.m. at the Grantsville area Health Center, for discussion of special summer and fall activities which could benefit the community.

Attending will be Edwin Walthall, executive director of the Deep Creek Lake-Garrett County Promotion Council, who will talk about plans to become more involved with the work of the Promotion Council.

Ivan J. Miller will be another guest speaker.

If the weather is inclement January 11, the meeting will be postponed until January 18 at 8 p.m. at the area health center.

All local businessmen interested in the committee are urged to attend.

Inflation Hits Moonshine Market

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Moonshine isn't what it used to be.

Inflation has driven up the price of "mountain dew" to make it almost as costly as legal whiskey, Rex Davis director of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, said Sunday.

And the taste has less appeal than it once did, he said.

"Almost every sample of moonshine tested contains lead poisons," the agency said. "For many people it takes a strong will and stomach to tolerate the paint-thinner odor and taste of moonshine."

A decade ago federal tax agents raided some 6,000 illegal stills a year. A total of 481 stills were raided last year, the agency said.

"Americans have turned away from moonshine," Davis said.

Lee Leading Poll For Governorship

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — A poll commissioned last fall by acting Gov. Blair Lee gives the chief executive a 34 percent margin over his chief rival, Baltimore County Executive Theodore Venetoulis.

The Lee poll also found that Maryland residents rate property taxes, unemployment and job discrimination as the "two or three major" problems facing the state.

A majority of the 694 people queried across the state said they preferred former Maryland Sen. J. Glenn Beall as the Republican candidate for governor.

The survey, conducted by pollster Joseph Napolitan of Springfield, Mass., at a cost of \$12,000, gives Lee 35.3 percent approval when pitted against seven other prospective gubernatorial candidates.

Baltimore Mayor William Schaefer followed with 25.7 percent and Venetoulis received 8.8 percent.

With Schaefer's name omitted from the group, Lee's popularity climbed to 41.9 percent and Venetoulis lagged behind with 14 percent.

The other candidates included in the gubernatorial poll were Attorney General Francis B. Burch, 12.3 percent; State Comptroller Louis Goldstein, 8 percent; Baltimore City Council President Walter Orlinsky, 7 percent; State Senate President Steny Hoyer, 4.7 percent; and former State Transportation Secretary Harry Hughes, 2.3 percent.

In a two-way race between Lee and Venetoulis, the respondents picked Lee by an overwhelming majority — 58 percent to the county executive's 24 percent. Eighteen percent of those polled were undecided.

The Lee Poll, taken in late October and early November, shortly after suspended Gov.

Marvin Mandel was sentenced to prison, claims that 42.1 percent of the voters believe Mandel did a "pretty good job."

The report also states that more than 67 percent of people believe that Lee was not implicated or involved in mail fraud and racketeering case for which Mandel was convicted.

In the attorney general's race, the Lee poll said Steven Sachs, the only announced Democratic candidate for the position, trails behind Hoyer and Hughes.

Sen. Republican Charles Mathias was named the most popular elected official, the 170-page report said.

Mouse Birthday

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Walt Disney Studios and NBC-TV will celebrate Mickey Mouse's 50th birthday this year with a 90-minute television salute to the rodent who established a cartoon empire.

Mickey, who made his screen debut in the 1928 production of "Steamboat Willie," will be the star of the show, to be simultaneously broadcast in the United States and Europe with children of many nations singing "The Whole World Wants To Wish You Happy Birthday, Mickey Mouse."

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Carter Visits Normandy D-Day Site

OMAHA BEACH, Normandy, France (UPI) — President Carter paid an emotion-filled pilgrimage today to Omaha Beach where American forces landed and died on D-Day — June 6, 1944 — and pledged that their sons would keep Europe free.

In a speech at the cemetery overlooking Omaha Beach, where 9,386 American crosses and Stars of David stand row on row, Carter said, "We are determined with our noble allies here that Europe's freedom will never be endangered again."

"We now have 200,000 fighting men in Europe to make sure that this threat is never before us again," he said.

Carter and French President Valéry Giscard d'Estaing flew in separate helicopters from Paris to Normandy where they laid almost identical wreaths at the bronze monument marking the site of the World War II invasion of Europe, the longest day of World War II.

Giscard, recalling the American Expeditionary Force of 1918 and the Normandy invasion of the second world war, said solemnly: "All this France remembers..."

Men, women and children gave Carter a wild welcome at every turn, waving the Stars and Stripes and the French tricolor and shouting "Jimmie! Jimmie!"

Later, in a short talk on the steps of the town hall at Bayeux, the centuries old city that was the first to be liberated by American troops in World War II, Carter, obviously moved, said, "Your warm welcome has lifted my heart." He raised both arms and shouted, "Vive la France!"

He was greeted in Bayeux by a military band playing "The Stars and Stripes Forever," "Anchors Aweigh" in honor of Carter's alma mater, the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, and "Old Folks at Home" in honor of his Southern origins. "I extend to you the friendship of the people who love France as they love their own nation," Carter said.

More Than Fifty Persons Treated After Explosion

BALTIMORE (UPI) — More than 50 residents were treated for respiratory discomfort after a thick cloud of an irritating chemical wafted over South Baltimore following the explosion of a Proctor and Gamble Co. chemical storage tank.

Hospital officials said residents complained of coughing and irritated throats from the cloud of sulfur trioxide that settled over part of the city for two hours Wednesday night.

A spokeswoman in the emergency room of Johns Hopkins University Hospital said all of the patients were released.

"Most of them were just anxious and after we calmed them down, most of them walked out," she said.

Fire officials said the gas was "extremely irritating." The Fire Officers Guide to Emergency Action describes sulfur trioxide as a corrosive gas that is volatile and reacts violently to contact with water.

Company officials reported more than an hour after the explosion that no employees appeared to be hurt.

Fire officials said the gas had begun to spread from the plant site at Locust Point to the eastern section in the city and into adjacent Baltimore County before it was dispersed.

Police spokesman Dennis Hill said the cloud was dispersed when fire officials cooled the sulfur trioxide with carbon dioxide and tank trucks from New Jersey were sent to the site to remove the gas remaining in the ruptured tank.

Officials told residents to leave the area if the gas had penetrated their houses. Neither police nor fire officials knew immediately if any residents evacuated the city.

Hill said the cause of the explosion at the waterfront plant was not known.

The plant's manager refused to comment immediately, but employees said the explosion occurred in a liquid mixing room of the soap-manufacturing firm. No one was there at the time, they said.

"Today I witnessed the Omaha Beach area where 2,000 Americans lost their lives on the first day, a site of tragedy and heroism but of victory."

Carter was the first incumbent American president to visit the Normandy battlefields and cemetery. Looking tired on the eighth day of his nine-day, seven-nation tour, he paid tribute to the American allies and their leaders in that tremendous day then recalled some of that fighting.

"The 1st and the 29th American divisions were the ones who landed near here on Omaha beach," he said. "Of the 25,000 who came ashore about 2,000 died. American Rangers had to scale a vertical 100-foot cliff while the Germans above rolled down grenades upon them. On Omaha Beach hundreds of our troops lay dead and the sight was so impressive that the German commanders thought, until too late, that victory was won by Germany."

Thousands of people — American and French veterans and men, women and children from the surrounding villages — waved French and American flags and shouted "Jimmie, Jimmie" as Carter and his wife Rosalynn landed by U.S. Air Force helicopter.

The Carters were met in cold but sunny weather by Giscard and his wife Anne-Aymone, who had arrived by helicopter five minutes earlier.

The landing zone was a few hundred yards from the American Cemetery of Saint-Laurent which overlooks Omaha Beach, scene of the fiercest fighting and heaviest Allied losses of D-Day.

Carter was greeted by an honor guard of the U.S. 1st Infantry Division and troops of the French 501st Armored Regiment.

The two presidents stood at attention as a bugler sounded "Taps" — the traditional farewell bugle call — and a military band played the Marseillaise and the Star-Spangled Banner.

Carter, wearing a topcoat, recalled in a brief speech that in June of 1940 "General de Gaulle, leader of the French Resistance forces, said the flame of the French Resistance would not die. Four years later on the 6th of June 1944 the Allied forces came to the beaches ... to begin a heroic action leading to the liberation of Europe..."

"We are proud of what we have done together. We are sure that our friendship will be everlasting."

Giscard replied, in French and then in English, "France expresses its gratitude to the families of all these men who have fallen for her freedom."

"Today, our two peoples stand together in their profound will for peace and freedom ... We are ready to work in peace with all those who want to see freedom spread over the world."

The two presidents then strolled along the cliff overlooking Omaha Beach and walked among the 9,386 white marble monuments standing in neat rows in the grassy cemetery bordered with white poplars still in leaf.

Underground Group Claims Responsibility For Hammami Death

LONDON (UPI) — An underground Palestinian group today claimed responsibility for the murder of the Palestinian Liberation's representative in Britain and warned "this is only the beginning."

In a telephone call to the United Press International, a man identifying himself as a spokesman for the "Voice of the Palestinian Revolution" said that Said Hammami, the PLO's London representative, was shot dead Wednesday "because he made contact with the Jewish country."

"This is only the beginning," said the man, speaking with a distinct Arab accent.

In Beirut, Palestinian sources said they had never heard of a group called Voice of the Palestinian Revolution. The assassination of Hammami has triggered a PLO vow to avenge the slaying and "hold Britain responsible" until the killer is caught.

The shooting of Hammami in his basement office at the Arab League building came three days after two Syrian diplomats died in a bomb blast in the same neighborhood.

Scotland Yard detectives began an immediate search for the killer.

Brezhnev Recovers From Influenza

MOSCOW (UPI) — President Leonid Brezhnev appeared in public today for the first time in four weeks, apparently recovered from a case of influenza.

The officials Tass news agency said Brezhnev, 71, presided at a Kremlin ceremony in which six high government, party and military leaders were honored for their services to the state.

Brezhnev had not been seen in public since Dec. 8 when he acted as a pallbearer at the funeral of Marshal Alexander Vasilievsky in Red Square.

A senior Western diplomat reported last month he had been told by ranking Soviet officials that Brezhnev had the flu. The Soviet Union has been hit by an epidemic of a relatively mild form of influenza that began in late November.

Because the Soviet leader is known to have a history of heart and circulatory trouble, his prolonged absence had stirred speculation of a serious illness.

The official press reported he delivered a speech Dec. 14 at a closed plenum of the Central Committee of the Communist Party but he did not attend the three-day session of the Soviet parliament that followed to debate the 1978 plan and budget for the country.

The party newspaper Pravda printed an interview with Brezhnev just before Christmas. Brezhnev's statement that he planned to make his long-pending visit to West Germany in the nearest future was taken as an indication his health was improving.

Brezhnev's last unexplained disappearance was for six weeks in the autumn of 1974. He was believed to have undergone surgery on his jaw.

Tass said Brezhnev delivered a speech at the awards ceremony, which was attended by Premier Alexei Kossygin, Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko and other leaders of party and state.

Senator Declares He'll Fight New Death Penalty

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — Sen. Clarence Mitchell, D-Baltimore, says he will fight against a new death penalty bill proposed by acting Gov. Blair Lee III. Mitchell staged an unsuccessful filibuster last year to stop passage of a similar bill.

Last year's bill was passed by both chambers of the General Assembly before being vetoed by suspended Gov. Marvin Mandel on the advice of Attorney General Francis Burch, who said it failed to meet constitutional requirements.

Lee has proposed another capital punishment bill which calls for the death penalty for persons aged at least 18 who are convicted of murder with aggravating circumstances.

For instance, persons convicted of the premeditated murders of police officers, in connection with a prison escape or kidnapping, for pay, or for the second time would be subject to the death penalty law.

Mitchell, who has joined in several unsuccessful efforts in the past few years to pass a death penalty bill, said he will start the fight against the death penalty again in the 1978 session.

He said he opposes capital punishment because the death penalty is more often applied to black people than to white people.

Lee claims the death penalty is a deterrent to the commission of murders.

Under the Lee proposal, a jury, after finding a defendant guilty of one of the specified types of murder, would decide whether the death penalty should be imposed, weighing such mitigating circumstances as the murderer's state of mind at the time the crime was committed or his prior criminal record.

If the jury unanimously supports imposition of the death penalty, an appellate court would review the trial to make sure there was no reversible error.

If the jury fails to vote unanimously for death as punishment or says execution is not warranted, the defendant would be sentenced automatically to life imprisonment.

A third Baltimore man recently recovered from Legionnaire's Disease.

Texas Variety of Flu Shows Up In Maryland

BALTIMORE (UPI) — The influenza season has begun in Maryland with at least two reported cases of a Texas variety for which there is no vaccine, the state health department said Wednesday.

Department spokesman John McAvinue said cases of Texas A influenza have been confirmed in Washington and Montgomery counties, "right on time" for the flu season that generally lasts from early January through March.

"We assume it is a regional outbreak of the strain until we identify another one," he said. "We can't give everybody a culture."

McAvinue said the Texas variety is similar to the A Victoria flu, for which vaccine was available in Maryland last fall, and persons who were inoculated might be somewhat protected.

"Because the two strains are so close we believe there is some crossover protection if a person was vaccinated last fall for Victoria," he said.

McAvinue said, "I know the flu is widespread in Maryland. We made calls to druggists and they reported an unusually high demand for medication for flu-like symptoms."

McAvinue said the symptoms are like most influenzas: fever, dry cough, headache, aching muscles and exhaustion.

"It is generally a mild flu," said McAvinue, who said the best prescription is juices and bed rest.

June Lee, a Baltimore druggist, said sales of prescription drugs are up 25 to 30 percent in the past week.

"The patients receiving these drugs complain of a lot of diarrhea and vomiting, symptoms which are more like the flu than the common cold," said Lee.

John Gavlinksi, another pharmacist, said he filled 100 prescriptions Monday compared to a normal work load of 30 or 40.

McAvinue said there have been no reported Maryland cases of an influenza strain that is sweeping Soviet Union.

Carter Receives C Plus For First Year In Office

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Carter received only a C-plus grade for his first year in office from professors of government, one of whom described him as "smart if not wise, earnest if not effective," a survey showed Sunday.

Of 64 political scientists who responded to a questionnaire, 42 rated Carter's performance as fair, 14 said he did a good job and eight gave him a poor ranking, U. S. News & World Report said.

The professors mostly were critical of what they considered confusion and delay in the administration, and a lack of "intellectual heavyweights" to give the Carter team more substance than style, the poll showed.

Carter received the highest praise for projecting a public image as honest, sincere and hard-working.

Michael Robinson of Catholic University said "Carter has consistently appeared as a sincere and dedicated public servant — smart if not wise, earnest if not effective."

Carter's performance on the economy, energy and government reforms were frequently described as "inept," "contradictory," "disorganized" and "naive."

The president "seems disorganized and unwilling to exploit the resources of the presidency," said Harry Eckstein of Princeton University.

The president received good reports on foreign affairs, particularly for his human rights stand.

Laslo V. Boyd of the University of Baltimore praised Carter for moving away "from an interventionist foreign policy" and trying to associate the United States with "ideals."

Carter's biggest problem, the largest group of professors said, was inexperience in Washington. Despite the criticisms, a majority of the professors predict Carter will have an easier time in 1978 and few expect him to have any trouble gaining the nomination for a second term.

Steel Corp. Plans Youngstown Layoffs

PITTSBURGH (UPI) — United States Steel Corp. plans to make no new major capital expenditures at two plants in Youngstown, Ohio, and indicated that additional layoffs at the plants may soon be implemented.

The move would add to the more than 26,000 industry layoffs since early last August, including 5,000 layoffs at Youngstown Sheet & Tube's Campbell works near Youngstown.

"Upgrading the competitiveness of the mills (which employ about 5,000 persons) would require the suspension and consolidation of some operations in the months ahead. This at worst would mean a gradual elimination of jobs," a U.S. Steel spokesman said Wednesday.

Less than 300 workers at the Ohio and MacDonald works, which mainly make steel bars, have been laid off since August due to a consolidation program.

In the past three months, U.S. Steel reduced the Youngstown plants' capacities by half — to 60,000 tons of finished products a month — by consolidating 11 mills into six.

U.S. Steel Chairman Edgar Speer recently was quoted as saying that "at some point down the line the capacity (of the plants) will have to be replaced" and the two plants closed.

But the company spokesman said, "There has been no decision made nor any timetable set regarding any closings." U.S. Steel officials said the

EPA Crackdown Aimed At Unlawful Leaded Gas Users

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The apparently widespread practice of illegally filling cars with leaded gasoline when they require unleaded fuel is the target of an Environmental Protection Agency crackdown.

EPA officials say the lower cost of leaded gasoline appears to be the reason car owners have enlarged gas tank openings on vehicles designed for unleaded fuel. Once gas tank openings are enlarged, the cars can accept the larger nozzles of pumps delivering cheaper, leaded gasoline.

The practice has become so popular that Exxon is now including warnings in credit-card billing notices. Surveys in eight states showed about 10 percent of the cars required to use unleaded gasoline actually were being refueled with leaded gasoline, officials said.

Cars built during or after 1975 have catalytic converter anti-pollution devices that by law must burn only unleaded gas.

Just two tanks of leaded gasoline in a car with a catalytic converter can wreck the anti-pollution device and add to air pollution, EPA officials say.

"We are concerned that some drivers are asking gasoline station operators to put leaded gas in their cars, which require unleaded fuel," says Marvin Durning, the EPA's deputy chief of enforcement.

"This is a violation of federal law and may subject the station operator to a \$10,000 fine. Customers and station operators alike should be aware of this penalty."

"Drivers should know that putting leaded gas in a car designed for unleaded will not improve engine performance, fuel economy or any other drivability factor."

In a notice issued Wednesday, Durning urged major oil companies to join Exxon warning customers that a service station operator can be fined for fuel law violations and he praised Exxon for its initiative.

Stepped-up enforcement is planned in 1978, a spokeswoman said. Past EPA fines or citations for alleged violations have involved the U.S. Postal Service, Yellow Cab Co. and the cities of Houston, Chicago, Findlay, Ohio, and Waltham, Massachusetts. EPA officials said using the leaded gas in 10 percent of all cars requiring unleaded fuel would cause a 70 percent increase in hydrocarbon and carbon monoxide air pollution and an increase in lead pollution levels.

EPA experts are uncertain whether the 10 percent violation figure applies nationwide because most of the initial attention focused on self-service stations, the spokeswoman said. But she added, "There are going to be more surveys conducted in 1978."

plants' "markets have moved away and they suffer from the disadvantage of being in a higher cost location to assemble the raw materials needed to produce steel."

Imports also were blamed for the poor demand for the plants' products.

"There has definitely been a weak demand for the plants' products," the company spokesman said, noting that the plants' orders have only amounted to "about 60,000 tons of finished products per month since early 1975."

The spokesman also confirmed a statement made by R.W. Smith, U.S. Steel's vice president and general manager, that the nation's largest steel-maker plans to make no new major expenditures to upgrade the plants.

Asked if the \$3.5 billion mill that U.S. Steel has proposed to build near Conneaut, Ohio, on the Pennsylvania-Ohio border might replace the Youngstown plants, the spokesman said: "Looking down the road, U.S. Steel and the industry feel there is going to have to be new capacity built because existing capacity would still fall short of what this country and its people would need."

Shying away from saying a Conneaut mill would mean the end of the Youngstown area plants, the spokesman still said, "Youngstown just doesn't seem to have a long-range future as a major steel center."

Youngstown Mayor J. Phillip Richley said he was "shocked and flabbergasted" at the report that U.S. Steel might close its Youngstown plants, which he said would be "an economic tragedy of equal proportion to the Sheet & Tube cutback."

Acknowledging the obsolescence of the plants, he said he hoped President Carter would divert his attention from foreign policy to the problems of Ohio and Youngstown.

"We have to get on with a job of real diversification," Richley said. "The valley should not be dependent on steel in the future because it is just not going to be here."

Mathias Spends Much Time, Money Abroad

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Sen. Charles McC. Mathias, R-Md., has made more trips abroad at the taxpayers' expense than most other members of Congress, according to the Baltimore Sun.

The newspaper reported today that Mathias, who has tended to specialize in foreign affairs, has taken 10 trips to foreign countries since he was re-elected to a second term in 1974.

The travels, which were partially or fully financed by the government, included Europe, Africa, Asia, South America and three trips to the Middle East.

This week, Mathias and nine other American legislators took off for a two-week trip to China.

John W. Eddinger, Mathias' press aide, said the senator's heavy travel schedule has been due to his service on four different Senate committees, including plans with oversight over U. S. foreign relations and intelligence gathering.

"These are the things that treaties are made of," he said. "Maryland ought to be happy to have a statesman in its ranks."

Leaning Tower Stops Leaning

PISA, ITALY (UPI) — The leaning tower of Pisa has stopped leaning, according to Prof. Giuseppe Toniolo, custodian of the square on which it stands.

Toniolo said Sunday he has no idea what the reason might be, but the tower's angle of tilt has not altered in one year.

The recent rate of tilt from the vertical had been 0.06 inches per year, to its current 14 feet off the perpendicular.

Since the 179-foot tower first began being built in 1174 by Bonanno Pisano and completed in 1250, it has settled 8.2 feet into the clay under the foundations as the tilt increased.

Many plans had been put forward to stop the rate of lean of the tower on Pisa's Square of Miracles, but Toniolo did not say whether these would now be abandoned.

In May a plan was approved to sink six wells around the tower and technicians hoped that by maintaining an even water pressure round the sunken foundations the tilt could be stopped.

Request For New Trial For Hearst Is Turned Down

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — The U. S. 9th Circuit Court of Appeals yesterday turned down Patricia Hearst's request for a rehearing of her bank robbery conviction, leaving only a possible appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court to keep the newspaper heiress from returning to prison.

The appeals court last November 2 rejected the contention of Miss Hearst that her right against self-incrimination was violated during her San Francisco trial when she refused on the stand to testify about incidents in Los Angeles during her time underground with the Symbionese Liberation Army.

Miss Hearst, 23, was sentenced to seven years in prison after her conviction in a celebrated two-month trial last year. She has been free on \$1.2 million bail pending outcome of her appeals.

Unless an appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court is filed, she will be ordered to return to prison to complete the sentence. Given credit for the time she has already spent in jail she would be eligible for parole after serving another 14 months.

Satellite To Be Launched Friday

CAPE CANAVERAL, FLA. (UPI) — A communication satellite identical to one destroyed in an Atlas Centaur rocket explosion last fall will be launched Friday aboard a similar rocket.

The launch will be the first of 1978 by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, which plans at least 15 and perhaps 16 launches from Cape Canaveral during the year.

In all, 22 to 24 satellites will be launched from Florida, California and Virginia.

The Intelsat IV-A scheduled for launch at 7:19 p.m. Friday is the twin of one destroyed in the explosion of an Atlas Centaur rocket last September 29. The explosion cost the International Telecommunications Satellite Organization \$49.4 million.

The Intelsat IV-A will replace one of two less sophisticated Intelsat IV satellites operating over the Indian Ocean. The Intelsat IV-A can handle 6,000 telephone calls and two television channels simultaneously, an addition of 2,000 telephone calls over the smaller Intelsat IV's capacity.

She Made It
WAYNE, W. VA. (UPI) — "Ha, Ha, I made it!" hooted Victoria Mills as she celebrated her 100th birthday Tuesday.

"I feel like I'm on top of the world," she said as she ushered in her second century of life in the company of her three children, eight grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

"I felt if I passed out before 12 o'clock, I might not make it. But once it was past, it was OK."

Mrs. Mills' birthday brought dozens of cards and letters, including greetings from West Virginia Sen. Robert Byrd and Rep. Nick Joe Rahall. But as late as last week she wasn't relishing the prospect of reaching 100.

"I'm not proud of it . . . I don't want to live another day after I make 100," she said last week.

But the new centenarian was singing a different tune Tuesday.

"After I got up pretty close (to 100), I got anxious for the children so they'd have something to brag about," she said.

Thief Trades Finger For \$5.00 Haul

ALEXANDER CITY, ALA. (UPI) — A thief broke into a pool hall Wednesday and took \$5 in change from a pinball machine. But he left something behind — part of his finger.

Police Capt. Henry Baker said the burglar probably lost the finger breaking through the window of the pool hall. He said all area hospitals were alerted in case the bandit should seek medical help.

"We have the end of the finger, but we haven't made an arrest," Baker said. "I'm not sure we can get a print off it."

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McHenry Homemakers To Finish Needlework

The McHenry Homemakers Club will meet January 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the McHenry fire hall, according to Mrs. Jane Rentschler, extension agent for home economics.

Members are urged to bring their needlepoint work, to learn how to complete such work.

Shorbs To Sing

The "Shorb Brothers" will be appearing at the Crellin United Brethren Church Sunday, January 8, at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited.

Injured Pilot Survives 16-Hour Ordeal In Pacific

KONA, HAWAII (UPI) — Pilot Harold Corbett treaded water for 16 hours, fighting off sharks and trying futilely to hail passing boats after his light plane crashed into the Pacific.

Corbett, 49, rescued by a charter boat two miles off the coast of the island of Hawaii Sunday, said he couldn't hold his non-swimming wife afloat more than 15 minutes and helplessly watched her slip underwater.

Corbett, General manager and part-owner of Island Flight Center of Honolulu, was treated by fire rescue specialists and transferred to Kona hospital.

"When we picked him up, he had possible fractures to the right knee and left wrist," said paramedic Carl Caldwell. "He cut one of his lips pretty severely and lost a tooth. He also had multiple lacerations on his scalp and face, and lacerations to his legs and feet."

"He also had rashes under both armpits because he was treading water. He had no life-jacket or flotation device. He was only in his underwear, and I think that's how the boat picked him up."

Corbett's Piper Cherokee Arrow, a single-engine plane, went down about 7 p.m. Saturday while on a landing approach to Keahole Airport. His wife, Diane, and another unidentified passenger were aboard.

"He said when the plane went down, he never saw the other person get out," Caldwell related. "He and his wife got out and he had to watch her go under the water after 15 minutes because he couldn't hold her any more because of his injuries. He said his wife couldn't swim."

"He also said he felt he was attacked by sharks. He felt something grabbing under his feet and he said he had to shift his foot vigorously to get it out of a mouth. He said the sharks came up between his legs and flipped him over and he had to yell underwater to scare them off."

Caldwell said Corbett was "very exhausted" and his skin was "very painful" because of exposure but otherwise the pilot was "very coherent."

"He said a lot of boats went by him today (Sunday)," Caldwell said, "He said because of buoyancy, only so much flesh could be seen above the water and every time he tried to stick his hand above the water to wave, his head would go under and he couldn't

Licenses To Wed Show Increase

Marriage licenses issued showed an increase for the week ending January 3, with 20 being issued.

Of those issued, two were not to be published. Where a person is under 18 years old, parent's assent was given. Information is from records in the office of Richard L. Davis, clerk of the Circuit Court.

Robert George Goosens, 27, and Tonda Kay Hamilton, 27, both of Morgantown, W. Va.

Allen Ray Teets, 17, Hazelton, W. Va., and Nancy Lee Uphold, 17, Friendsville.

Randy Lee Bachtel, 22, Oakland, and Janet Buckler Browning, 22, Adelphi.

Johnny Bill Hull, 19, and Tamara Adel Wilhelm, 19, both of Terra Alta, W. Va.

Henry Allen Jackson, 18, Newburg, W. Va., and Sheryl Lynn Poling, 17, Thornton, W. Va.

Rex Keith Bungardner, 54, and Judy Teresa Bungardner, 30, both of Clarksburg, W. Va., former married couple.

Vernon Lee Jackson, 51, and Lena Virginia Williams, 56, both of Hopwood, Pa.

Louie Richard Schoppert, 25, Piedmont, W. Va., and Carolyn Sue Campbell, 22, Westernport.

Claremont Deem, 67, Walker, W. Va., and Veva Laurine Lemon, 56, Parkersburg, W. Va.

James Allen Amie, 33, and Lydia Susan Credal, 17, both of Montrose, W. Va.

Clinton Wayne Robinson, 26, and Nettie Lolita Lipscomb, 29, both of Parsons, W. Va.

Dale Andrew Giotfelty, 19, and Lydia Diana Sanders, 18, both of Mt. Lake Park.

Steven Dale DeBerry, 18, Tunnelton, W. Va., and Jennifer Elizabeth Mohler, 18, Bonaire, Ga.

Eugene Leonard Gallucci, 36, and Penelope Kay Pearce, 35, both of Fairmont, W. Va.

William Kendrick Close, 40, Elk Garden, W. Va., and Goldie Jean Burdock, 38, Mt. Storm, W. Va.

Jefferson Slidell Wolfe Bowman, 22, Kingwood, W. Va., and Alice Jane Lee, 29, Terra Alta, W. Va.

William Sterling Ball, 31, Davis, W. Va., and Donna Lynn Gatto, 19, Thomas, W. Va.

Zendil Allen Bittinger, 17, and Cheryl Alice Kitzmiller, 18, both of Oakland.

Miss Knox Engaged To Paul D. Miller

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knox, Accident, announce the engagement of their daughter, Carla Kay, to Paul David Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Miller, Accident.

Miss Knox is a 1977 graduate of Northern High School and is presently employed at the Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Miller is a 1973 graduate of Northern High School and is employed by the Board of Education.

No date has been set for the wedding.

La Leche League Meeting Slated

The Oakland La Leche League will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Robin Wilt, 15 Buena Vista Drive, Oakland.

This meeting opens a new series of four monthly discussions on various aspects of breastfeeding, with the focus this month on the advantages of breastfeeding to mother and baby.

Meetings will be held the second Tuesday of each month. All women interested in breastfeeding, particularly expectant and new mothers, are invited to attend.

Available at the meetings is a free lending library of books on childbirth, breastfeeding, and family living. La Leche League also maintains a telephone counseling information service for nursing mothers.

Women desiring more information about La Leche League should call Ellinor Hamilton, 387-9318.

Miss Sanders To Be January Bride Of Dale Giotfelty



Lydia Diana Sanders and Dale Andrew Giotfelty will exchange wedding vows on January 7, 1978 at 2 p.m.

The double ring ceremony will take place at Oak Park Church. A reception will follow the service in the church social room. All friends and relatives are invited to the open church ceremony.

Miss Sanders is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thayer W. Sanders, Oakland, and is a 1977 graduate of Southern.

Mr. Giotfelty is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis J. Giotfelty, Mt. Lake Park, and is a 1976 graduate of Southern High School.

Monte Vista 4-H Club Has Party

The Monte Vista Senior 4-H Club held a Christmas gift exchange party along with the regular 4-H meeting at the home of Mrs. Virginia Stemple on December 19.

The officers for this year are Jenilee Stemple, president; Teresa Sweitzer, vice president; Terri Riggs, treasurer; and Melanie Ryan, secretary.

The Monte Vista Senior 4-H Club is presently taking orders for Zodiac stationery at \$1.50 per pack of eight. To place an order, persons should contact one of the members.

Eighty percent of the members in the club are planning to go on the Nebraska 4-H exchange trip in July.

The following members were honored at Achievement Night:

Judy Custer was awarded a trip to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago, Illinois.

Pam Trickett received the Danforth "I Dare You Award."

Melanie Ryan received the Citizenship award.

ACCIDENT NEWS

Firemen to Meet

The firemen will meet this Friday evening, January 6, at 7:30 p.m. at the Accident fire hall.

Personal Items

Mrs. Rosalie Frazee and Mrs. Leah Brenneman were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. Q. Laughlin, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Zinkan, East McKeesport, Pa., and Carl Zinkan, Monroeville, Pa., were Wednesday visitors of Mrs. Mary Zinkan.

During the week visitors of Mrs. John Bowman were Mrs. William Oester, Patty and Brenda, Grantsville. Thursday overnight guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kahl, Randallstown.

Bruce Miller and Miss Anna Marie Bowman were Friday visitors. Sunday afternoon and evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bowman and children, Somerset, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dale Rush were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Berwyn Hileman, Richard and Tracy, and mother, Mrs. T. D. Beeghly, Bruceton Mills, W. Va.

Miss Kathy Haentfling and Miss Norma Noorwhold, Fort Wayne, Ind., are spending several days and Mr. and Mrs. John Dodd, State College, Pa., are spending a week with their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs.

Carl Haentfling

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Georg Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Frazee and Raymond Georg were Saturday evening guests of Mrs. Nancy Zinkan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fratz, David and Rebecca were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Rosalie Frazee.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Haentfling and George were Wednesday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haentfling.

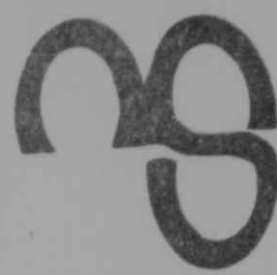
Mrs. Dorothy Broadwater and Kevin, Grantsville, and Dale Glass, Jr., of Lancaster, Pa., were Monday dinner

guests of Mrs. Ernest Glass. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haentfling and Mrs. C. F. Dauphin, LaVale, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wildesen and Justin, Uniontown, Md. Other guests were Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Cox, Landenberg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd West and son, Birmingham, Ala., were holiday guests of Miss Dora Schlossnager.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haentfling and Mrs. C. F. Dauphin, LaVale, were holiday guests of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Cox, Landenberg, Pa. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. William Buckel, Coatesville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kolb and Joyce, Pittsburgh, Pa., were holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haentfling.



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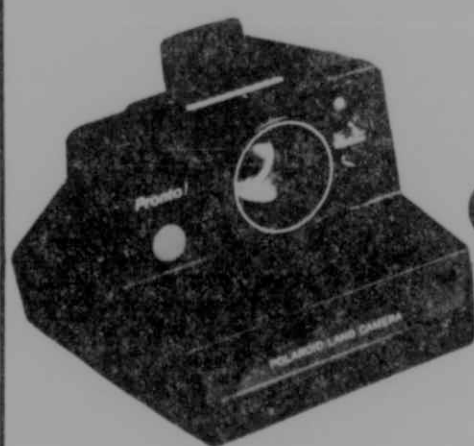
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Church of the Nazarene, 8th and Alder Sts., Oakland, Rev. Ellsworth McCracken, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Junior Meeting, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Oakland, Rev. Martin E. Feild, Pastor. Mass Saturday, 7 p.m.; also 5:15 p.m., Sunday. Sunday Masses, 8 and 10 a.m., winter; summer, 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Confessions before Masses. Immaculate Conception, Kitzmiller, winter, Sunday, 12 noon, and summer, Saturday, 8 p.m. Confession before Mass.

St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Oakland, Rev. Richard A. Seaks, Pastor. Sunday Church School, 8:45 a.m.; The Service, at 10 a.m. (Church Nursery).

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Oakland, The Rev. Manning Smith, Rector. Holy Communion Service, 8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sunday School, 10:30.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1022 John Drive, Oakland. Priesthood meeting, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sacrament meeting, 11 a.m.; Primary and APYW meetings, Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Pleasant View Baptist, Rev. L. M. Martin, phone 334-9630. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer meeting, 7:30 p.m.; Wed., Boys and Girls in Action, 7:30 p.m.; Thurs., Young People's meeting, 7 p.m.

Loch Lynn United Brethren, Rev. O. W. Hull, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, Each Sunday Evening, 7:30 p.m.; Teenarama, each Sunday, 6:30 p.m.; Prayer and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Md. Rev. Eugene Bonnell, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Communion, 10:00 a.m.; Church Service, 9:00 a.m.

Bloomington-Swanton United Methodist Church, Rev. Frank Johnson, North Glade, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 10 a.m.; Mt. Zion, Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 9 a.m., followed by Sunday School, Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 9:30 p.m. Swanton, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Chestnut Grove, Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 9:30 a.m., followed by Sunday School, Bloomington, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd and 5th Sundays, 11 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Ray Beahm, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m. Sun.; Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Family Night and Youth Service.

Kitzmiller Presbyterian Church, Rev. H. Earl Baker, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. every Sunday; Worship Service, 11:30 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.

Crellin U.B. Church, Rev. Charles Teets, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m., 1st and 3rd Sundays; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Rocky Dream Assembly of God, Bray School Road, Rev. Robert Mayfield, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship night, Church, 7:30 p.m.; Thursday night, Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ (Meeting in the Mt. Lake Park Town Hall), John R. James, Evangelist. Bible School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Friendsville Assembly of God, Rev. Iris V. Friend, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Otterheim United Methodist, Swanton, Rev. Frank Johnson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Prayer Meeting, Youth Fellowship Meeting, Boy & Girl Fellowship, all on Tuesday evening from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Paradise United Methodist, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Worship Service, 9:45 a.m.; Church School, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 2nd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 2nd and 3rd Sunday, 7 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran, Red House, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Service, 11 a.m. Rev. Bernard W. Carl, Pastor.

Bittinger Lutheran Parish, The Rev. James S. Mitchell, Pastor. St. John's Meadow Mountain, Worship, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m. Emmanuel, Bittinger, Worship, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Zion, Jennings, Worship, 11:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m. Holy Communion in each Church, 1st Sunday of each month.

Christ Lutheran Church, Grantsville, Md. David E. Fetter, Pastor. Service at 11:00.

Zion Lutheran Church (LCMS), U.S. 219, Accident, Pastor, Fred Illick, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran, (Missouri Synod), Cove, Rev. Fred Illick, Pastor. Service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

Faith Presbyterian Church, Oakland, John A. Ledden, Pastor. Sunday Bible School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Mid-week Services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Bear Creek Church of the Brethren, Accident, Rev. William C. Shimer, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Jennings Church of God, Rev. George Plants, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a.m.; Preaching at 7 p.m.; Y.P.E. every Thursday evening at 7 p.m.

Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Pastor, Mrs. Evelyn M. Bowman, Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. Minnie Bittinger, Supt., Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville, Philip J. Grogan, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

Mt. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 1005 Broad Ford Rd., John Schrimshire, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Service, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Women's Missionary Circle, 2nd Tues., 7 p.m. The Evangelistic Center of Garrett County.

Independent Full Gospel Revival Center, Loch Lynn Heights, W. W. Elliott, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, Sunday evening at 7. Mid-week Services, Wednesday evening at 7.

McHenry United Methodist, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Church School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. Evening Worship, 4th Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 1st and 3rd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Prayer Service and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Savage River Full Gospel Church, Rev. Hilda Gayey, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night services, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday night services, 7:30 p.m.; Every third Saturday night of the month, regularly, Hymn Sing.

Sand Flat Assembly of God, Rev. Alvin Kyle, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Youth Service, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study Service, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Bayard Church of God, Bayard, W. Va. Rev. Chesley Noel, Jr., Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Y.P.E. Services at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday.

Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m. on Rt. 215, 1 mile north of Rt. 40. Rev. Earl Harper, Pastor.

Fernside Baptist Church, Rev. Richard Tepper, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Prayer Service, 10:45 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.

Rush Baptist Church, Rev. Richard Tepper, Pastor. Morning worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First United Presbyterian Church, Terra Alta, W. Va. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00. Rev. Francis E. Ihman, Pastor.

Loch Lynn Church of God, Rev. Robert H. Fletcher, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Brookside Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. Mt. Grove, Worship, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. every Sunday.

Hoyes United Methodist Church, Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Worship Service, 9:00 a.m.; Church School, 10:00 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:00 p.m., 2nd and 4th Sunday.

Deep Creek Baptist Church, Donald R. Haynes, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Bethel United Methodist Church, Mt. Lake Park, Rev. James F. Remley, Pastor. Church School, Sunday, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and regular worship service, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Kitzmiller Assembly of God, Rev. Donald Moses, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Youth Service, 6:15 p.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Oak Park Church of the Brethren, opposite Southern High School, The Rev. Paul Crumley, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

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Pentecostal Holiness, Corinth, W. Va., 10 a.m., Sunday School; 7:30 p.m., Evangelistic Service; Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., Mid-week Service.

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AGGRAVATING GOD

Lesson for January 8, 1978

Background Scripture:
Jonah
Devotional Reading:
Jonah 2:1-9

It is most unfortunate that in the minds of many people the Book of Jonah is simply a rather fantastic "fish story." Many people never get beyond disputing whether or not it was really possible for Jonah to have remained alive in the stomach of the great fish.

That's really too bad for the story of Jonah is what comes after his celebrated encounter at sea. The first portion of his story could be regarded as the tale of a reluctant prophet, the second part could surely be regarded as the story of an aggravated and disgusted prophet.

And he was angry

One of the interesting aspects of Jonah's story is that he is a believable character. He is so human in nature and we probably all know someone like him. Like "Archie Bunker" his prejudices show through clearly. There is nothing subtle about his feelings and attitudes toward foreigners. It is with obvious relief that he enters the city of Nineveh, a hated pagan capitol, and gives dire prophecies of imminent doom. He can hardly conceal that he enjoys hearing these judgments against his nation's enemies.

Glendale Assembly of God, Rev. G. K. Hixon, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night service, 7:30 p.m.; Thursday night service, 7:30 p.m.

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Weber Rd., Oakland, Paul Jackson, presiding overseer. Sunday, 9:30 a.m.; Public Bible Lecture, 10:30 a.m.; Watch Tower Study, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Theocratic School followed by service meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Markleysburg Union Church, Tom Crogan, Pastor. Union Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Union Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Prayer Meeting - Bible Study, Wed., 8 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday Evenings: Youth Choir Practice, 6:00; Gospel Singing, 7, 2nd Sundays; Special Programs: 7 p.m., 4th Sundays; Youth Fellowship, 8 p.m.; Friendship Bible Class



DOLLS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD are on display now at the Ruth Enlow Library, courtesy of the collections of two local women. On the first row are dolls loaned by Mrs. Anna Walthall. The remainder of the dolls, along with another glass display case full of tiny dolls from every corner of the world, are the property of Mrs. Elisabeth Thayer, Oakland, and gathered in her travels around the world and as gifts from friends. The entire exhibit will be open to the public at the library for the next few weeks.

AURORA-EGILON NEWS

A flu fire last Wednesday damaged the small home in Eglon owned by W. E. Harsh and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Allen Strawser. The Strawssers have made plans to move into the former Holden Shay property on Lantz Ridge which is owned by Francis Shay of Rowlesburg.

In a special service during the morning worship at Maple Spring Church of the Brethren on Sunday, January 1, Melvin Fike was licensed to the ministry. He is a junior at Bridgewater College and is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Galen E. Fike, Eglon. Also on that day his brother, Michael Fike, of Bridgewater, Va., was licensed to the ministry in the Bridge-water Church of the Brethren.

The Aurora United Methodist Youth group met December 31 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lipscomb, Aurora, for a New Year's Eve party. Attending were the Lipscombs children, Robin and Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Arnold, Tracey, Todd and Barry, Sue Martin, Terri Johnson, Lisa Sisler and Gloria Knotts.

Also holding New Year's Eve parties were the youth of the Maple Grove Assembly of God who met at the Eglon Memorial Building for a dinner and fellowship and the youth of the Maple Spring Church of the Brethren who met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harrell at Eglon.

The GRC Class of the Maple Spring Church was host to a covered dish dinner on Wednesday evening in the Eglon Memorial Building which included members of their class and of the Young Adult class and family members. Attending were Rev. and Mrs. Don Westmoreland, Terry and Jay, Avenell Roth, Bruce and Mary Rembold, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Feather, Milton and Nancy Feather, Joe and Connie Stemple, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Harsh, Krista and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Corbin, Kevin and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wilt, Cynthia,

Alan and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Harsh, Stanley and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hartsell, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winters and Mary Lewis. Following the meal, recreation was led by Rose Ina Harsh and devotions conducted by Jesse Westmoreland concluded the evening.

Ray C. Judy returned last week to his home in Eglon from a holiday visit with his daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Don Robinson and their children, in Reading, Pa.

Guests for the New Year weekend with Mrs. Elva Bland were Mr. and Mrs. Vester Fike, Dale Fike and son, David, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fike and their three children, all of Easton, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Flory, Linda and Gary of Fairborn, Ohio, spent the holidays visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arden Harsh and other relatives in the Eglon area.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hauser and Fred Douglas spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Douglas in Ashland, Ky. Charles Lee returned his Hauser grandparents to their home on Wednesday and remained for a week's visit before returning to his studies in Lexington, Ky. His Douglas grandfather went to the home of another son, Keith, in Ohio, and Keith and his son, Darrell, returned Mr. Douglas to Aurora Sunday.

New Year weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stemple and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hauser, Aurora, were Danny Stemple and two children, Morgantown.

A Wednesday evening sing was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fike, Eglon, last week. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Ashby, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ashby, Sherri Ashby and friend, Steve, Randy Ashby and friend, Marcia Wolfe, all of Oakland, and Mrs. Eloise Harsh, Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Thrasher

John Teets for the New Year weekend were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James May of Silver Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Lantz, Brian and Jeremy, Mrs. Lillian Knotts and Ira Harsh were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Knotts in Cresaptown for a New Year's Eve dinner where they met with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hinsche, Timmy and Adam, of Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Hinsche accompanied them back to Aurora and all held a dinner on New Year's Day in the home of the Lantzes.

Spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sisler in Aurora were their daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Freeman of Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Albert "Buddy" Fauber who were between stations. Mr. Fauber had returned to this area the first of December and had been joined here later by his wife who drove from California. They left for North Carolina Sunday where he is to be stationed at Camp Lejeune. A New Year's dinner at the Sislers also included other family members, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Nice, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sisler and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hauser and Mrs. Ernestine Sisler.

Marj Marino of Fairmont was a weekend guest of Cynthia Wilt at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wilt, Eglon.

Mrs. Virginia Donham of Aurora spent the weekend with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Donham and daughters, in Grafton.

Holiday visitors of Mrs. Grace Myers, Stemple Ridge, were Carl Myers, Ellerslie, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Merl See and son, Kevin, of Hyndman, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cheveront and daughter Beth, of Fairmont.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Harsh during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Leland Roth of Mt. Lake Park, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman White, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harsh, Connie, Willard and Naomi, Jerry and Bonnie Paugh, local; and Forest Childs, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hauser, local; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gnevy, Ohio; Emma Gnevy, of Eglon; Mrs. Doris Arnold and Tracey, of Aurora.

Glenn Fint returned Monday to his home at Aurora from Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, where he had spent the past week for tests

and treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Winters and children, who had been visiting with the Fints and with his parents, returned this week to their home in Morton, Illinois. Others of the family visiting the Fints during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fint and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fint and Inger of Aurora; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roberson and Jamie Lynn of Fairmont who also visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Roberson and family at Aurora on Christmas.

Saturday dinner guests of Ora Wolfe and Nina Bess at Red House were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewis, Julie and Emily, Mr. and Mrs. Brad Lewis, all Eglon, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Winters, Suzanne and Charles, Morton, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCollum, Morgantown. Mr. and Mrs. McCollum were also Monday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winters.

Harold Shaffer of Brookside remains a patient in Garrett County Memorial Hospital, but his condition appears improved and it is expected that he may return to his home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Judy, Marilyn and Barry, Baltimore, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Feather at Eglon, for the New Year weekend. The Carl Dumire family were Christmas guests there also.

Mrs. Ruth Maxey and daughters, of Clinton, Md., were holiday guests of her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Teets, Eglon.

Rich-Poor Match-Ups Tough To Handle

NEW YORK (UPI) — A study of 24 couples, mostly teen-agers, indicates Cinderella relationships almost always bring problems.

The 1977 study was made for a master's thesis in counseling psychology at Central State University in Edmund, Okla. It calls a Cinderella relationship one in which a rich partner dates a poor one.

Rich-poor stereotypes and prejudices often haunt them, the study showed. The 18-year-old daughter of a millionaire Texas rancher said, "you're either a 'poor little rich girl' or a 'rich, spoiled brat.'" She said such labeling sometimes is made to your face, sometimes not.

Money spent on dates creates another problem, the

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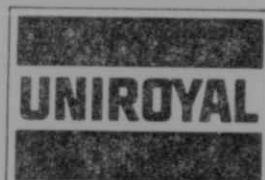
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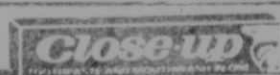
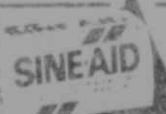
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Heavy Fine Paid For Driving On Illegal License

One person paid a heavy fine for driving while his license was forfeited/revoked. All others forfeited collateral as noted on the docket of District Court for the week ending January 3.

Joseph C. DeWitt, P. O. Box, Mt. Lake Park, pleaded guilty of driving while his privilege is suspended/revoked, and Judge Lewis R. Jones fined him \$105. Others forfeited collateral. Exceeding the posted speed

limit, \$40 unless noted: Pamela S. Frantz, Cumberland; William C. Miller, Plainville, Ohio; Lowell A. Cooper, Davis, W. Va.; Joseph W. Six, Newell, W. Va.; Robert E. Suter, Addison, Pa.; David E. Shultz, Meyersdale, Pa.; Gary Reed, Alexandria, Va.; and James M. Robertson, Cumberland.

Failing to keep to the right of center of the roadway, \$30, Herbert H. Harsh, Horse Shoe Run, W. Va.

Driving on improper class license (class D) (32,000 lbs.), \$30, Henry Eli Yoder, RD 1, Grantsville.

Stopping in the lane of traffic, \$30, Timothy G. Frazee, RD 1, Friendsville.

Failing to yield the right-of-way (yield sign), \$30, Alfreda C. Hokaj, Donora, Pa.

Failing to comply with Md. Road Fuel Tax law, \$25, Robert Gantner, Connelville, Pa.

Exceeding the 55-foot length by ten inches, \$30, Early E. Friend, Bradnox, Va.

Southern Speaks

By Patti Keefe

School reopened on January 3 as scheduled with no major difficulties, save the failure of part of the heating system.

The Southern Rams captured the number one position in the Snowball Classic tournament and the wrestling team took another first place in the Beall Christmas tournament.

The basketball team met Beall at Southern's gym on Tuesday evening. They will greet Elk Garden in another home game on Friday, January 6. Tuesday, January 10, they will travel to Petersburg.

The wrestling team will welcome Northern for a match on January 9. The following Thursday, January 12, Central Preston will venture to challenge the Rams here at Southern.

Seniors planning to submit Financial Aid Forms and Maryland State Scholarship Forms are reminded that the dates to do so are January 1 to February 15. Contact the Guidance Office for forms and assistance.

All students are urged to submit poems, essays, stories, or any other pieces of original composition to the new literary magazine, "Simple Thoughts," as soon as possible. Drop off all articles in Room 210 to Mrs. Lambert to be included in the first publication.

DAV Presents

New Year's Baskets

At Nursing Home

The Mt. Top Chapter 29, Disabled American Veterans of Garrett County, visited the Cuppitt-Weeks Nursing Home on January 1 to distribute fruit baskets to both the veterans and the aged residing there.

Commander Arlie Breedlove, Senior Vice Commander Richard Butts, Post Chaplain McKinley Stephens and Kevin Hahn, local magician, visited and entertained in each room. They were accompanied by Elizabeth Shifflett, who guided the group and introduced the visitors.

New Oakland Artist Is Exhibiting Works At Ruth Enlow Library



Artwork — realistic, modernistic, and surrealist — is presently on display in two areas of the Ruth Enlow Library, all the work of one diminutive artist who is a relative newcomer to Garrett County.

The oils and pen and ink drawings were all done by Sophia McDonald, right, who is explaining a few of her techniques to Ellen Brenders, an employee at the library.

Sophia, 30, her husband John, who is working for Mettiki, and their daughter Kristen, seven, recently moved here from West Virginia, and she says they love the area so much that they hope to buy a home in Oakland in the very near future.

One of her pictures, just above Miss Brenders' head, is a sunlit, pastel work of the Pleasant Valley area which she recently completed. Currently she is working on a picture of an Egyptian scene, as a commissioned work.

Sophia is a graduate of the Maryland Institute of Art, where she obtained a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree, and has lived and/or traveled in nearly every state in the union, with the exception of Alaska, Hawaii, Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas. Many of her pictures are scenes viewed in

her travels, including one favorite in the Grand Tetons which includes her husband and some friends.

This is her first public art exhibit for some time, and her first public showing in Maryland.

Sophia acknowledges that Andrew Wyeth "is my idol" and says she would like to be as good a painter as he is, and spends weeks if necessary perfecting her works to her standards.

In between hours at the easel, Sophia enjoys cooking, and is a gourmet vegetarian cook. She may offer vegetarian cooking lessons in the near future, if a class can be organized.

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Procrastinators' Club Once Again Flawless

On Annual Predictions

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) — For those who feel they may have missed something in the year just completed, the Procrastinators' Club of America has handed down its 1977 predictions.

They include: — A massive swine flu epidemic, which over 200 million Americans avoid catching.

— The Los Angeles Dodgers lose the World Series to a team from the United States.

— A man getting a beer named after him because he is very funny and his brother is a high government official.

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SKY VALLEY — 3 level cedar chalet, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2 native stone fireplaces on 1.4 acres overlooking the lake, built for year 'round living. \$65,000.

SKY VALLEY — A Frame, 36x24 nicely wooded lot convenient to lake including all privileges associated with this subdivision. \$36,500.

SKY VALLEY — 1/2-acre lot with all the amenities and other advantages associated with this recreation subdivision. \$6,500.

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NEAR SOUTHERN HIGH SCHOOL — New ranch style home with full basement. Contains 3 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, 1 1/2 baths and attached garage. Located on 1/4 acre on Sunrise Drive and scheduled for completion in several weeks. Inquire now. \$55,000.

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NEAR SILVER LAKE — 1975 Bayview 14x65 deluxe 3-bedroom mobile home on block foundation with basement and situated on .80 acre. \$15,200.

MT. LAKE PARK — Older 2-story home on D Street with living room, dining room, library and utility room, contains 2 baths and 3 bedrooms plus six lots. \$25,000.

MT. LAKE PARK — Apartment house with 6 units at 407 H St. Excellent investment for retired couple or live-in owner. Each unit has bath and kitchen. Some furnishings to go with sale. \$40,000.

DEER PARK — Modern 3-bedroom rancher with large living room, family room, modern kitchen, 2 baths and double garage. Situated on 1 1/4 acres with road frontage on Rt. 135 and east end of Pysell Cross Cut. \$35,000.

OAK PARK — Ranch home with 3 bedrooms, family room, gas/hot air heat. Corner lot in nice residential neighborhood. \$33,900.

YOUGH RIVER — Comfortable 3-level home with modern conveniences on Yough River near Oakland; 3 bedrooms, modern kitchen, dining room, living room with fireplace. Situate on an acre and priced at \$34,000.

GRANTSVILLE AREA — 2 bedroom cottage borders state forest. Suitable for year 'round living. \$16,500.

HOYES RUN ROAD — 1973 12x65 Sheffield mobile home with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Located on acre lot with fruit trees, and a nice view. Only five minutes from lake and ski area. \$20,000.

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BUSINESS

TAVERN — Dance floor, bar, kitchen and small apartment. This brick structure has full basement & is situated on an acre of ground. Could be made a first class restaurant. \$48,400.

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TWO STORY BRICK commercial structure with over 4000 sq. ft. This corner property located on Liberty Street is one block from downtown Oakland. Includes parking lot in rear on alley, and a large separate secondary frame building. \$50,000.

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— A Fawcett getting turned off with regard to a television show and a Ladd replacing her.

— A tree house on the White House lawn.

— A singer from Florida favors orange juice but not eggs.

— Nine million citizens call up the president on the same day.

— Idi Amin refrains from making a worldwide tour to further the cause of human rights.

— "We have 100 percent accuracy," club President Len Waas said Sunday. "It's really uncanny because we've never made a mistake yet."

— Waas said the only difficulty in making the predictions is that it takes a whole year to compile them.

He said the club has 3,000 registered members worldwide "and at least a half a million more that haven't gotten around to joining yet."

GRANTSVILLE COMMUNITY AUCTION, INC.
Date of sale, December 31, 1977.
Hogs: Top Barrows & Gilts, 42.50 to 43.00; Heavy butcher, 39.00 to 42.50; Light butcher, 32.00 to 41.00; Butcher sows, 32.00 to 35.25; Feeder shoats, 8.00 to 31.00.

Veal: Good, 55.00 to 80.00; Standard, 24.00 to 35.00; Utility, 20.00 & down.
Sheep & Lambs: Good, 62.00; Utility, 32.00.

Slaughter Cattle: Good, 38.00 to 41.00; Standard, 34.00 to 36.00; Utility, 26.00 to 30.00.

Heifers: Good, 33.00 to 35.50; Standard, 28.00 to 30.00; Utility, 18.00 to 24.00.

Cows: Commercial, 26.00 to 29.00; Utility, 24.00 to 25.00; Canner & Cutter, 20.60 to 22.00.

Bulls: Commercial & Good, 34.00 to 38.00; Cutter & Utility, 28.00 to 32.00.

Stock-Feeder Cattle: Good, 38.00 to 39.00; Medium, 31.00 to 35.00.

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73 Chevrolet Impala 4-Door Sedan, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater. Clean and low mileage too!

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72 Chevrolet Monte Carlo Coupe, V8 with automatic trans., power brakes, power steering, radio, heater, vinyl interior. New paint!

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72 Chevrolet Station Wagon, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, and heater. Blue.

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72 Ford Torino 4-Door Sedan, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater.

71 Chevrolet Impala 4-Door Sedan, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater. Green.

71 Ford Torino 4-Door Sedan, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio and heater. Medium blue.

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CRELLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hebb and son of Deep Creek were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Lillian Jordan.

Christmas holiday guests of Mrs. Julia Shaffer were Mrs. C. D. Shaffer and Mrs. Delmar Dilley of near Oakland.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Shaffer at Hutton were Mr. and Mrs. Neil Winters and family of Hutton and Mrs. Julia Shaffer of Crellin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bowman and daughter and Mrs. Julia Shaffer visited Mrs. Nada Nethken near Sunnyside on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Ashby and son, Tom, returned to their home with Paul Feather. The Ashbys spent ten days with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Rebro and daughter, Sandra, at Hyattsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley DeWitt and son, Mike, were New Year's evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller near Accident.

Pvt. Gary Cooper, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Savage the past couple of weeks while on a thirty-day furlough. Alvie Cooper of Missouri spent several days with the Savage family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Savage and family of South Carolina has been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Grace Savage and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Savage at Rosedale.

Mrs. Julia Shaffer and Mr. and Mrs. William Bowman and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Winters at Hutton.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Teets and son, Steve, visited Mr. and Mrs. Forest Wiles and Mr. and Mrs. John Mitter at Tunnelton, W. Va. and Mrs. Sharlene Wiles and daughters of Ft. Bragg, N.C., who were visiting at Tunnelton.

Mrs. Maxine Slabaugh spent several days during the holidays visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill and Miss Nancy Burns at Drexel Hill, Pa. Mrs. Slabaugh visited her husband, Paul Slabaugh at the Veterans' hospital at Terryville, Md. Miss Burns returned home with her sister.

Mrs. Harold DeWitt of Ridgeley, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. David Brown of LaVale; Mrs. Donna Sharpless and daughter, Jamey, of Mt. Lake Park, and Miss Judy DeWitt of Oakland, were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley DeWitt.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Stiles were Mrs. Janice Lewis and daughter, Teresa, of Mt. Lake Park; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Friend, Crellin; Clinton Bowman and son, Corinth, W. Va.; Mrs. Helen Murphy and son, Mike, Crellin; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schrock, Olen Schrock, of Gortner; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kiser, Hutton; Mr. and Mrs. Atlee Hersherberger and daughter, Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Beachy and daughter, Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hersherberger, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond N. Schrock all of

Gortner; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stiles and family, Kitzmiller; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stiles and son, Randy, Essex, Md.; Gilbert Bowman, Crellin; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stiles and sons, Randy and Mike of Severn; Teddy Friend and Mrs. Elizabeth Haskell, of Corinth, and Mrs. Ruth Cosner, of Deer Park.

Holiday guests of Mrs. Tillie Bowser and Don Friend were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sollars and family, of Blacksville, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Constable and family of Massillon, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Friend spent from last Saturday until Monday with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Friend and daughter, Amy, at Frostburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henline of Mt. Lake Park, Mr. and Mrs. Bill DeWitt of Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. Terry DeWitt and sons Mrs. Merle Smith were Monday evening dinner guests of Betty E. Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry DeWitt and sons, Mrs. Merle Smith, Miss Betty Shaffer, Crellin; Mr. and Mrs. Bill DeWitt of Oakland and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Henline and family of Frederick, Md., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henline at Mt. Lake Park on Sunday.

FRIEND'S STOCKYARD

Market report for January 2
Stock Bulls, 23.00 to 31.75.
Stock Steers, 30.00 to 38.00.
Stock Heifers, 21.00 to 27.50.
Slaughter Steers: good to choice, (quotable) 39.00 to 43.50; medium to good, 34.00 to 39.00; common to medium, 30.00 to 33.50.

Slaughter Heifers: good to choice, 36.00 to 39.75; medium to good, 30.00 to 34.75; common to medium, 25.00 to 29.00.
Bulls: heavy, 29.00 to 35.00; light, 27.00 to 33.50.

Cows: commercial to good, 26.50 to 29.10; utility, 23.00 to 27.00; canners, 21.00 to 26.25.
Veals: good to choice, 56.00 to 66.00; medium to good, 45.00 to 55.00; common to medium, 30.00 to 42.00; cull veal, 30.00 & down.

Baby Calves, return to farm (90 to 120 lbs.), 27.00 to 45.00.
Hogs: top quality, 44.00 to 46.60; heavy, 41.75 to 43.60; light, 35.00 to 42.50.

Sows, 30.00 to 36.00.
Male Hogs, 22.75 to 26.00.
Lambs, 55.50 to 60.00.
Sheep, 12.50 to 18.00.
Eggs: large, 55 to 65; medium, 41 to 47 cents per doz.

Western Maryland Retail Sales Tax Doubles Since '72

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein reported today that the State retail sales tax generated in Garrett and Frederick Counties more than doubled between Fiscal Years 1972 and 1977. In the Western Maryland region, including Garrett, Allegany, Washington and Frederick Counties, State sales tax revenue grew by 76.8% during the same period, from \$18,299,638 to \$32,347,969.

According to the just issued Annual Report of the Maryland Retail Sales Tax Division, revenue received from vendors in Garrett County increased from \$937,818 during Fiscal Year 1972 to \$2,090,449 in Fiscal Year 1977, an increase of 122.9%. Sales tax revenue from Frederick County sources grew from \$5,034,762 to \$10,661,155 during that time, an 111.8% increase. "This represents a tremendous growth in business activity in these counties," Mr. Goldstein said.

Washington County and Allegany County also showed gains, with the former posting a 64.9% increase, from \$7,291,070 in Fiscal Year 1972 to \$12,018,258, and maintaining its place as the largest sales tax producer in the region. Allegany increased from \$5,035,988 to \$7,578,107, for a 50.5% rise.

"State sales tax revenue generated from sales in this region also increased in its overall importance, because it accounted for 6.24% of all Maryland sales tax revenue in Fiscal Year 1972, but grew to 6.90% of sales tax revenue in Fiscal Year 1977," the Comptroller said. Frederick County showed the largest gain in that category for the period, going from 1.72% to 2.27% of the total.

During Fiscal Year 1977, the largest single source of sales tax revenue in the Western Maryland region was the general merchandise category, which includes revenue from taxable purchases made in department stores, variety stores, drug stores, antique

stores, sporting goods stores, and others. "Buying in these stores produced \$7,035,456 in sales tax revenue," Comptroller Goldstein said. Maryland sales tax collections totaled \$468,868,471 for Fiscal Year 1977.

Transfers Show Some Larger Plots

Several larger parcels of land were noted among the deed transfers January 3, in the records of the Department of Assessments and Taxation. Improvements are noted as 'imp.'

District 1, Swanton
Sky Valley Inc. to Philip M. Goodwin and wife, .03 acre and Freda L. Sears to the Goodwins, 1.09 acres.

District 4, Bloomington
Robert P. Rogers to the State of Maryland, Natural Resources, 84.21 acres.

District 6, Sang Run
Thomas Dunham and wife to Alfred H. Schriber and wife, .48 acre.

Thomas E. Bernard to Marc M. Blum and wife, .33 acre and imp.

District 7, East Oakland
H. Weber and Sons to Robert W. Jackson and wife, 22.41 acres.

District 8, Red House
Carmen P. DelSignore to James G. Shank and wife, 1.92 acres.

Etta Lou Jones to R. Victor Dilgard and wife, 2.86 acres and imp.

Claude Persinger and wife to John H. Irving, Jr., and wife, one acre.

George Stanya and wife, to Mapco Inc., 13 acres.
Gertrude C. Taylor to Paul Rodheaver, Jr., and wife, 2.08 acres.

Virgil Hanlin to Eastern Pocahontas Corp., 92.7 acres.
Robert E. Dodge and wife to Mapco Inc., 69.02 acres.

Edward Dragovich to Peter G. Karopchinsky, Sr., .13 acre and imp.

Charles Shillingburg to Steyer Enterprises Inc., 4.56 acres.
R. Thomas Thayer and others to Samuel R. Woodward and wife, 3.61 acres and imp.

Virgil Jones and wife to Eastern Pocahontas Corp., 138.59 acres and imp.

Walter Cecil and wife to Richard W. Powers, .28 acre and imp.

Laurence Williams and wife to Daniel T. Williams, one acre and imp.

Niles Madigan and wife to Roy F. Sharpless and wife, .37 acre and imp.

Betty and Wayne Thompson to Frank E. Wunderick, Jr., and wife, .38 acre and imp.

District 12, Bittinger
George O'Liddy and wife to Bruce Buettner, 8.75 acres.

District 13, Kitzmiller
James Riggelman to Bonnie Michaels, two, one-acre parcels.

District 14, West Oakland
Country Club Acres Inc. to London R. Vetter and wife, 3 acre.

Two parcels from J. Dwight Snyder family trust to: Winston A. Green and wife 1.74 acres and .41 acre.

Lila G. Goodland to William D. Whitmer and wife, 1.56 acres.

George Zimmerman and wife to George W. Zimmerman and wife, 4.25 acres.

Arthur Kane and wife to John W. Cerniglia and wife, 11.36 acres.

District 16, Mt. Lake Park
Mary L. C. Moore to Joseph H. Woodell, two-and-a-half lots and imp.

Craig Hershman and wife to Arden E. Reeves and wife, two lots and imp.

Garretland Realty to Eldon R. McCrary and wife, two lots.

District 17, Oakland
Daniel E. Miller to Gene C. Helbig and wife, 1.13 acres and imp.

Holiday Death Toll Hits 326

A count by United Press International showed 326 persons had died in traffic mishaps during the holiday weekend.

A breakdown of accidental deaths: traffic 326, fires 60, planes 13, total 399.
California reported 39 traffic deaths and Texas reported 25. No traffic deaths were reported in Alaska, Hawaii, North Dakota and the District of Columbia.

Hunting Accidents Drop By 45%, Violations Higher

Lt. Col. Jack T. Taylor, Chief of the Inland Division of the Natural Resources Police, says there was a 45% reduction in hunting accidents and a 9% increase in violations detected during the 1977 firearms deer season.

Although there was not a special enforcement effort made to detect safety violations, a significant increase was noted. The largest increase involved hunters failing

to display fluorescent orange and the second highest was a loaded firearm in a vehicle.

Helping the reduction of hunting accidents is the success of the Firearms and Hunter Safety Program, Chief Taylor said. Since going mandatory in July of this year, the volunteer instructors certified 10,999 students, a 314% increase over the same time period last year.

There were two safety factors violated that resulted in this year's accidents. They are "Always keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction" and "Be sure of your target before you shoot."

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DEEP CREEK LAKE AREA

Swanton Area — Mobile home on 2 acres of landscaped land. Many extras. \$40,000.
Pergin Farm — 5-room rancher. 3 bedrooms & bath; fireplace. House situated on very nice lot with commanding view of lake. Also 175' of lake frontage. Property includes 1969 stern drive boat, new dock & some furnishings in house. \$65,000.

McHenry — Masonry cottage featuring living room with fireplace, modern kitchen, spacious bedrooms, inc. large sleeping loft for 12, 2 baths, 91 ft. lake frontage. Located on Marsh Hill Road, 1 mile from Wisp Ski Area. \$54,000.

McHenry — (Commercial) 2-acre, corner lot with historic 7-room building. Bath, large deck, ideal retail location with room for expansion. Set at the intersection of Old Rt. 219 and Wisp Ski Area. \$59,000.

7 Lots approximately 2 miles from McHenry in Lumpopo area. \$2,000 per acre.

2.14 Acre Lot on Mosser Road near Community College. \$10,000.

2 Lots Side by Side — Each .57 acre. In Springwood Acres Development. \$2,500 each.

Green Glade Area — Lots with access to Lake. \$4,000 to \$5,500.

Hazelhurst — Two bedroom winterized cottage with beautiful view of lake. Includes partial lakefront lot with dock. \$25,000.

Hazelhurst — Cedar chalet, 2 bedrooms, sleeping loft, cathedral ceiling, stone fireplace, full basement, beautiful view of lake from large sun deck. Deeded lake access nearby. Winterized. \$45,500.

Sky Valley — Lot 115' x 195' deep. \$6,000.

GRANTSVILLE AREA

Lower New Germany Rd. — 6-room brick veneered rancher with attached garage, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, total electric house, fully carpeted, situated on large lot \$39,250.

Grant St. — Large brick rancher has 3 bedrooms, tiled bath, large living with fireplace, kitchen & utility room. Has approximately 1500 sq. ft. of living space with oak floors & trim, plastered ceilings & walls. Gas hot water heat. Attached 2-car garage. Enclosed breezeway opens into large flagstone patio. Situated on a large landscaped corner lot. \$47,500.

Avilion - Lonaconing Rd. — 2-story, brick, stone & frame dwelling, 6 rooms, 2 baths, 3 bedrooms, complete equipped kitchen, large living room/dining room combination, family room, carpeting, drapes, fuel oil hot water heat. Attached paneled garage. Situated on large corner lot with outside stone patio & fireplace. House completely remodeled in very good taste. \$45,000.

Finzel Rd. — 42' x 31' concrete block foundation with well & septic, on 1/2-acre lot. Finished foundation presently occupied. \$9,000.

Finzel Rd. — Aluminum me. 3 bedrooms, bath, refrigerator, range, carpet, eat, large lot. \$7,500.

Chestnut Ridge — 5-room brick rancher, oak floors, total electric heat. 2 storage buildings. Situated on a 1.13 acre lot with view. \$43,000.

ACCIDENT
Bittinger Brethren Church Rd. — Located in Emerald Valley Estates. New construction. 6-room modular rancher, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement, radiant electric heat. Situated on 150' x 200' lot. \$39,400.

COMMERCIAL
Commercial Investment — Lot, Size 200' x 500'. Located at the Chestnut Ridge intersection of U. S. Rt. 48. Price on inquiry.

Service Station & Restaurant — Highly profitable operation. Large gas volume. Includes masonry building. Situated on 1 acre corner lot at the intersection of Rt. 40 & Rt. 219 North, just off Interstate 48. Owner financing available. Particulars on inquiry.

LAND/ACREAGE

44 Acre Farm, Bittinger — 1 1/2 miles east of Rt. 495 on the Frank Brenneman Rd. 500' x 500' farmhouse, barn, stock pond. Fresh water, stone borders farm. 1/2 of farm adjacent to State Forest. \$60,500.

8.2 Vacant Acres on Rt. 40. Four miles east of Grantsville by New Germany Exit of Rt. 48. \$29,000.

140-Acre Tree Farm — Located on Beall School Rd. 2 separate dwellings. Price on inquiry.

Keyser Ridge and Rt. 40 — 3 acre commercial location. Call for details.

Rt. 40 West of Grantsville — Near Pa. Line. 30 acres with large farm house, barn, silo, pond. \$59,500.

Rt. 40 Near Keyser Ridge — 8-room and bath frame dwelling on 5 acres. \$25,000.

Rt. 40 Near Keyser Ridge — 12 beautiful acres with good frontage. \$18,000.

157 Acres Wooded — Located on the Oakland-Sang Run Rd. between the Power Plant & Sang Run. Approximately 1200' of road frontage. Property located on both sides of road & property is also located on both sides of the Youghiogheny River. \$600 per acre.

40 Acre Farm — Located on Rt. 42 between Friendsville and Rt. 219. 8-room house and large barn, 2-car garage, fresh water stream. \$57,000.

HEMLOCK ACRES

Large Wooded or Cleared Tracts — Owner will finance. Located just 3 miles from Yough Lake, 14 miles from Deep Creek Lake and Wisp Ski Resort, along U.S. Route 40 just 8 miles west of Grantsville. Priced from \$2,000, 10% down, 5 years at 10% interest.

2-Acre wooded lot \$3,200.

Lovely 1.27 Acre Lot with stream \$2,600.

1975 Atlantic 12' x 60' Mobile Home, 4 rooms, 2 bedrooms, bath, oven, range, refrigerator included. Well, septic & electric. Situated on 2-acre lot. \$17,500.

PENNSYLVANIA
Salisbury — 157 Ord. St. 10-room house located on large landscaped corner lot with detached garage. Located within walking distance to all town facilities. Excellent wood working qualities in house. \$38,600.

Meyersdale — Commercial investment. South of Grantsville on Rt. 219. Building 14,000 sq. ft. containing 4,500 sq. ft. Presently a service station. Ideal commercial building, can be utilized for any type of business. 5 years old. Situated on 1.3 acres. \$85,000.

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BECKMAN'S PENINSULA —

1206 — Beautiful level lakefront lot improved with year 'round A-frame on full basement and containing large living room with glass wall opening onto deck. Plenty of sleeping room. Fireplace and all the extras. Dock included. \$76,500.00

THE RIDGE —

1220 — Landscaped, oversized lakefront lot improved with native stone dwelling. Contains kitchen, dining area, living room, 2 bedrooms and guest accommodations. Two stone fireplaces, chestnut doors, cherry floors, oil heat, are some of the custom features offered in this lake home. \$85,000.00

GLENDAL ROAD —

1246 — Three-bedroom cottage, living room, built-in kitchen, bath and shower, includes 30 foot access to lake and nice boat dock. Insulated and heated with hot air oil heat for year 'round living. \$35,000.00

GREEN GLADE —

1131 — Newly remodeled 4-bedroom home situated on 1 acre lot. Economically heated by a fuel oil fired hot water system — a "Sierra" stove. Sale includes appliances. \$31,350.00

THE RIDGE —

1198 — The most spectacular view from the huge wrap-around deck of this lovely 3-bedroom all cedar home. The 2-year old home is situated on 1.07 acres with full club privileges of the "Ridge." Ideal for year 'round. \$33,950.00

1214 —

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PARADISE POINT —

968 — 50-acre athletic camp on 400' useable lakefront. Has main lodge with dining room and kitchen (accommodations for 100) upstairs, sleeping rooms and baths, 2 fireplaces, one up and one down. Gymnasium with basketball court on maple floor. Stable for 8 horses and upstairs studio as well as corral. 5 dormitory cabins sleep 90. Athletic fields and wooded trails as well as shooting range. Owner financing \$25,000 down, \$1,575 per month for 20 yrs. Interest only first 2 years. Ideal for tennis camp or recreational area. Call for more details.

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HAZELHURST AREA —

1227 — A well built 2-bedroom year 'round ranch. Living room with native stone fireplace, modern kitchen, separated bath, utility room, washer-dryer, large deck overlooking 121' lakefront with large dock. \$67,500.00

NORTH GLADE ROAD —

1133 — Half acre nicely wooded lot with electric to the property line. Building site already cleared. \$5,000.00

MEADOW MT. RUN RD. —

1155 — 3-bedroom cottage w/detached garage, wormy chestnut throughout and fireplace. Also additional wooded lot w/lake access. Could easily be made a year 'round home. \$32,000.00

PENN POINT —

1101 — Approximately 2 acres of wooded building site overlooking lake. In quiet, secluded setting with 20' extension to water. \$17,000.00

PERGIN FARMS —

1172 — 3-bedroom cottage with beautiful views and 175' of lakefront, living room w/fireplace and kitchen overlooking lake. Full bath and utility room. Further amenities include a covered porch and a large deck to enjoy the views. An L.O. boat to enjoy the lake. \$65,000.00

822 — ¾-acre wooded lot with deeded 30' access across road. Good approach to water in sailing area. \$9,000.00

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

1140 — Twelve level wooded home sites near lake on paved road. Can be purchased in total or separate. Call for details.

MARSH HILL ROAD —

763 — Wooded ½-acre lot with 100 feet on Deep Creek Lake close to ski area for year 'round use. \$30,000.00

RED RUN —

1228 — 3-bedroom condominium at water's edge with 2 full baths, modern kitchen, living room w/native stone fireplace, patio & porch. There is a 2-court tennis court and a heated pool to add to your enjoyment. This unit is nicely decorated. \$62,500.00

ROMAN NOSE SPA —

929 — 2 lots improved with foundation home ready for builders. \$9,970.00

Lots available from \$2,000.00 to \$4,400.00.

SHINGLE CAMP —

71128 — Lakefront lot improved with 3-bedroom ranch style redwood cottage. Large living room including brick fireplace. Good view and deep water for boating. \$38,000.00

STATE PARK ROAD —

955 — Half acre wooded lot situated in secluded area of State Park Road. The perfect spot for your vacation retreat. \$5,000.00

OLD 219 —

1026 — Two-bedroom lakefront townhouse apartments (complete with modern built-in kitchen, fireplace, carpeting and furniture of your choice). A lovely deck, close to the lake, adds to your enjoyment. Close to ski area and this condominium will make your enjoyment of our year 'round retreat completely carefree. While they last. \$44,900.00 and up.

SANG RUN —

1239 — Three quarter acre wooded lot located just minutes from ski area. Improved with 3-bedroom mobile home and septic system. Ideal for hunting, skiing, or vacation retreat. \$8,500.00

LAKE SHORE DRIVE —

1222 — Half acre + lot with 150' on water's edge, wooded and maintained in its natural state. Improved with 4-bedroom A-frame with large dormer overlooking lake. Large rustic living room w/fireplace. Features glass wall front and side, heat supplied by oil-fired forced air furnace. Additional building at rear of property, houses a game room, full bath & bunk room. \$87,500.00

SKIPPER'S POINT —

1215 — Well built cedar chalet situated on access lot with dock. Native stone fireplace adds to the rustic atmosphere of this fine vacation home. Completely furnished. \$67,500.00

THAYERVILLE —

1174 — Rustic log cabin nicely situated on wooded lot. Beautiful native stone fireplace enhances desirability of this 4-bedroom retreat. \$32,500.00



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1089 — Very attractive 2-story chalet situated on ½ acre landscaped corner lot. This 3-bedroom and loft area, 1½ bath home also includes all kitchen appliances plus a free standing fireplace to accent the living room. Top this off with a full basement that's ideal for a recreation room or boat storage. This price tag makes one's vacation dream home a reality! \$44,950.00

1217 — Brand new 2-bedroom rancher on beautifully wooded lot. Includes furnished kitchen, wall to wall carpeting and stone fireplace. \$31,950.00

931 — One of the large lots improved with 3-bedroom A-frame. Modern kitchen and bath, large living room with fireplace. Thermopane doors opening onto 25' deck. Full basement with single car garage. \$36,500.00

1183 — ½-acre wooded lot improved with unusual stone and cedar chalet, consisting of 3 bedrooms, full bath, kitchen, living room featuring a massive stone fireplace, 2 large decks. Full basement with game room area and 2nd large stone fireplace. 100% carpeted. Total electric & fully insulated. \$64,500.00

COMMERCIAL - LAKE

ROUTE 219 —

434 — 65 acres with 600' lakefront (formerly Thayer's Barn).

1231 — Presently an operating Texaco service station and auto repair garage, containing 2600 sq. ft. with 2 auto service bays and a large service area for trucks. This business is located at the intersection of Mayhew Inn Road and U.S. Rt. 219 and enjoys an excellent following. Tools and fixtures may be purchased. Call office for further details.

GLENDAL ROAD —

1240 — A tavern, presently operating profitably, including living quarters. A 28x34 serving area w/horseshoe bar, stools, tables & captain's chairs. Upstairs has a 4-bedroom apt. with living room, kitchen, full bath and family room. Many extras. Situated on 1.59 acres with 347' road frontage. Call office for details.

PARADISE POINT —

1169 — Very nice, well-kept 4-unit motel close to major activities at the lake. Located on a 1.02 acre lot and priced right. \$58,850.00

McHENRY —

1170 — Excellent restaurant location on Rt. 219 close to Deep Creek Lake. Presently in operation and doing a very good business. \$69,500.00

OLD U.S. RT. 219 & SANG RUN RD. —

Commercial corner 4 season traffic. 2.5 acres, 400' frontage on Old 219 and Sang Run Road. Also improved with 2-bedroom farm house. Newly remodeled A-frame ready to use. All within view of ski slopes. Call our office for details.

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

1189 — Nice operating bar business situated on 2.1 acres, 2-bedroom year 'round home included in sale in addition to several other outbuildings. \$75,000.00

SWANTON —

1211 — Well operated gas station/grocery store and 4-bedroom apt. located minutes from the largest development on Deep Creek Lake. This business has grown steadily over the years and continues to do so. Improvements include 2-story masonry bldg. in good condition with over 1500 sq. ft. of floor space. Sales include refrigerators, freezers and inventory. Carry-out beer license. Shown by appointment. Contact this office for further details.

RESIDENTIAL

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1207 — Nice medium sized rancher on gently sloping lot in Country Club Acres. Contains 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, living room, modern kitchen, dining room with sliding glass doors opening onto redwood deck, den and one-car garage with automatic door. Fine views from this setting in a quality sub division. \$45,000.00

1205 — Fabulous home situated in Country Club Acres. A 4-level brick dreamhouse which consists of the following: 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2 half baths, kitchen, family room, formal dining room, living room with foyer, music room, office, rec. room, shop, 2-car garage, golf cart garage, patio with planters front and covered patio in rear. Contact our office for more details.

OAKLAND —

1252 — Excellent building lot in city limits. Near schools and shopping. Very nice neighborhood. All utilities available. \$6,250.00

OAKLAND —

1060 — Older 2-story home converted into 3 apartment rental units. An excellent investment close to downtown. \$38,500.00

MASON STREET —

1195 — 2-story older ranch situated on landscaped ¾-acre lot. Close to town and sewerage. Gas fired hot air heat. Ideal for the larger family. \$25,000.00

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

988 — 1-bedroom bungalow suited for year 'round use. Additional ½-acre building lot included. Fuel oil heat. \$21,750.00

GORMANIA, W. VA. —

1244 — Older two-story home in excellent repair containing modern kitchen, oversized bath, living room, family room and three bedrooms. Wrap-around porch and half basement. Situated on convenient town lot. \$25,000.00

GREEN GLADE ROAD —

1154 — A home in the country with a view of the lake. This brand new 3-bedroom redwood house features 2 native stone fireplaces, large marble bathroom situated on 1 acre part wooded and part cleared site. Fuel oil hot water heat. \$53,500.00

YOUGH, MT. LAKE —

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1162 — 4-acre building lot. Electric and telephone available. Exclusive access to 1000' of Yough River front. \$9,500.00

DRY RUN —

71224 — 50 acres of beautiful views adjoining State Forest, improved with farm house with new additions containing large fireplace, lots of room for family. Large barn with new siding and roof. Total electric. \$97,500.00

YOUGH, RIVER —

1209 — 300 acres of wooded and cleared land with frontage on river. \$600.00 per acre.

BACKBONE MT. —

945 — Over 7 acres of wooded land bordering on State Forest. Level hard road frontage. \$1,000/acre.

945 — Excellent building site containing 1.63 acre. Wooded and bordering on State Forest. \$3,000.00

864 — 8½ acres adjoining State Forest with 200' road frontage. \$8,500.00

RED HOUSE —

1149 — 40 acres, more or less, with approximately 900' of frontage on Rt. 50. About ½ of this land has been cleared for farming, balance wooded and would be suitable for development. Call office for details.

SPRING LICK ROAD —

930 — 57+ acres bordering on Crabtree Creek and Potomac State Forest. Ideal wooded retreat near Savage River Dam. \$450.00 an acre.

WHITE ROCK —

1233 — Hunters. This one is for you! Beautiful cabin site on 1 acre, nicely wooded, electric and telephone available, fronting on County Road and situated in the heart of game country. Owner financing is available. \$2,550.00

U.S. RT. 219 SOUTH —

1241 — 70 acres along Little Yough River, 10 acres cleared, balance wooded and w/ **GONE** Excellent highway, close to town. \$25,590.00

McHENRY —

182 — Wooded acre building site, hard road frontage. \$5,990.00

NEW GERMANY ROAD AREA —

1234 — A hunting you can go on this 27+ acre parcel completely surrounded by the Savage River State Forest! Ideal for camping retreat too! \$700/acre

PYSELL CROSS CUT RD. —

1163 — 13 acres, level, ideal for subdividing, near Deep Creek Lake, with road frontage on two county roads—Call office for details.

FOSTER ROAD —

1132 — 57 acres divided into 10 acre parcels suitable for first or second home building sites. Stream on property. \$750.00 an acre.

WEST VIRGINIA —

CRANESVILLE —

951 — 3.5-acre wooded parcels, ideal for second home or hunting hideaway. Priced from \$3,500.00, 7% simple interest.

AURORA —

1096 — Rhododendron and streams aplenty on this 8½-acre tract of land. Close to conveniences - yet secluded and private. Three ponds have already been constructed and there are several excellent cabin or camping sites \$10,000.00

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BRUCETON MILLS —

725 — 189-acre old farm with no improvements. Excellent bird and deer hunting. Close to freeway (US Rt. 48). Owner financing. \$350.00 per acre.

HORSE SHOE RUN —

1238 — Older two-story home on 6½ acres of land. Contains 2 bedrooms, full bath, living room, dining room, kitchen, and partial basement. Heated with coal for year 'round use or recreational retreat. Small stream and good spring. \$21,500.00

COMMERCIAL

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U.S. RT. 219 SOUTH —

1241 — 63 acres, level and cleared with over 1,000' frontage of U.S. 219 just south of Oakland. Ideal commercial, light industrial or agricultural. \$75,000.00

LOCH LYNN —

1104 — A 50x58 frame warehouse located on the corner and has an extra large lot. Presently under lease, but could be expanded. \$20,000.00

OAKLAND —

429 — 2-story building with 13,500 sq. ft. Paved parking. Railroad siding.

U. S. RT. 50 —

71212 — Going club, restaurant, and teen center. This business has provided the owner a nice living for many years. He will also finance a qualified buyer. Immediate possession, with all equipment and ready to operate. 3 apartments included. Call office for details.

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1145 — Restaurant and gift shop. Approximately 1½ acres fronting on Rt. 135 in Oakland area and improvements. The restaurant has two dining rooms which seat a total of 80 people and the finest equipped kitchen in the area. All less than 3 years old. A gift shop adjoins restaurant or could be used for expansion. Call office for details.

U.S. RT. 219 SOUTH —

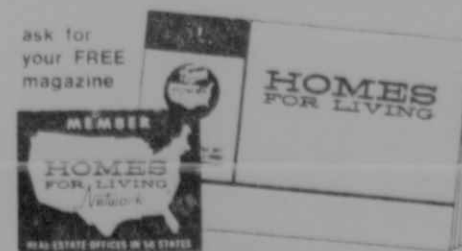
1241 — 10 acres cleared, close to town and bounded on three sides by paved highway. \$40,000.00

MT. STORM —

1055 — 1.5 acres improved with 1-story restaurant with full basement. Main highway, close to lake. Ideal for truck stop, small store or residence. \$22,500.00

SILVER LAKE, W. VA. —

1242 — Operating restaurant and lounge on busy U. S. 219 at Horse Shoe Run, WVA. Contains dining room seating 32 and a lounge seating 14, as well as a large storage area for expansion. Nicely landscaped with ample parking on 2½ acres. \$55,000.00



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The year 1899 marked the beginning of the twentieth century. Several incidents in and around the county kept people's attention from wandering too far from home as the new year approached.

Things were kept hot in December of that year, as a fire in Petersburg, Pa., (just across the Md. line) consumed

a number of buildings as firemen could not control it. However, Mother Nature lent a helping hand and "the town was finally saved by a copious down pour of rain."

Meanwhile, the citizens of Friendsville were greatly excited by the appearance of "a mad dog which came from the north. The animal bit a cow and several dogs were attacked before the brute was killed."

The close of 1899 was not without a criminal instance. This can be found in the case of a Deer Park man who was caught stealing flour from a warehouse. He had already piled three bags on his sled and was in the process of obtaining a fourth when he was caught in the act and apprehended.

The cold of winter gave ample chance for citizens to demonstrate some old-fashioned kindness to the tramps and hoboes immigrating into the Oakland area. Alas, one writer did not sym-

pathize with those less fortunate and made a public suggestion: "Tramps, capable of doing a full day's work, are still pestering the housewives in the outlying streets of Oakland. They don't want work or they could get it. They prefer to be kept in free grub. The police should run them in." How's that for holiday spirit?

There were also those who found themselves in the New Year's grace as found in the Oakland Personal: "Mr. W. G. Hinebaugh, the Railroad Street Restaurateur, has placed in his kitchen a modern range, the use of which will greatly facilitate the handling of his large and growing custom."

The Casselman River Bridge, located in Grantsville, was once the Castleman River Bridge. It was built in 1818 at a cost of \$70,000. In December of 1899 it was the subject in a suggestion to Congress to restore the historical landmark as it was far superior to any other bridge along the road. Indeed, it is still one of the areas shines.

On a less serious note, the following story could be found to put the reader in a more festive mood.

"An orange seller found a bad specimen among his goods and carelessly threw it away. It struck an old woman in the face and she made such a fuss the man gave her a dozen good oranges to go her way in peace."

"A sharp boy of about 12 slid over and asked the man if he planned to hit any more old women today. Hastily, the seller replied, 'Why, no — not if I can help it.' The lad continued 'If you are, give me a chance. I'll bring my sister down here and you may hit her in the face for half the oranges you gave that other woman. And, if that ain't enough, you can have a shot at dad and me.'"

Perhaps the end of the year provided just the right moment for a local writer to publicly air his grievances, as he certainly raked a writer from another area over the coals.

"The gentleman who writes the clever (?) and windy articles for the Piedmont Independent from the live (?) town of Bloomington, and who seems to be losing so much sleep in trying to belittle the town of Deer Park, must be a 'greenie,' and shows in his last article that he is very much grieved at the prosperity of

Deer Park.

"He speaks of the town of Deer Park leaving word with the B & O watchman to be called June 1st. If he had been in Deer Park, he would've known that, like Bloomington, we have no B & O watchman; but unlike Bloomington we have an 'electric signal bell' which is right up to date. But anyone who's been to both towns knows Deer Park is away behind Bloomington. Oh yes, Deer Park is not in it with Bloomington. It is true we have a doctor in town, but he has his own drugstore; while if he was up to date he would do like the Bloomington M.D., go over to W. Va. to purchase the concoctions used to make pills. And of course, Deer Park is not good as a summer resort, yet the most prominent people from all over the world spend the summer here; but then they have never heard of Bloomington. Ha Ha. Just imagine ex-president Cleveland & ex-President Harrison and all the others going to Bloomington to spend the summer. Ha, Ha." Fortunately we all have a sense of humor and over the years have been able to "branch" out toward Bloomington in a gesture of good will.

Among the festivities of old, the observance of New Year's Day held an important place. The following article told of a custom that has long since been forgotten.

"In every house of pretension the ladies of the family sat in their drawing-room, arrayed in their best dresses, and the gentlemen of their acquaintance made short visits, during which wine & rich cakes were offered. It was allowable to call as early as 10 o'clock in the morning, but the visitor sometimes did little more than appear and disappear hastily muttering something about the 'compliments of the season.' The gentlemen prided themselves upon the number of visits paid, the ladies upon the number received.

"Girls at school vexed each other with boasting, 'We had 50 callers on New Year's Day.' 'Oh, but we had 65.'"

"This pleasant custom was said to have originated with the Dutch settlers of the olden time. As the cities grew in size, it became difficult and well-nigh impossible for gentlemen to make the necessary number of visits. Finally, a number of young men took it upon them-

selves to call in squads at houses which they had no right to molest, consuming the refreshments provided for other guests and making themselves disagreeable in various ways. This offense against good manners led to the discontinuance, by common consent, of the New Year receptions."

Perhaps we could all start the New Year right by making such a visit. Make it one of your New Year's resolutions to stop and chat with a friend you've been neglecting and we'll all enjoy 1978 as no year before.

Husky Halls

By Pam Butler
And Judy Detrick
Cheerleaders Chosen
Tracey Griffith and Rosemarie Wiley have been chosen the new Junior High Cheer-

leaders for the rest of the 77-78 school year.

Cheerleaders Receive Trophy
The Northern Varsity Cheerleading squad received the first place Cheerleading Trophy at the 2nd Annual Snowball Classic Tournaments at Southern High School December 30. Our Cheerleaders competed against Southern, East Preston, and Central Preston High Schools. This is the second time they have received this trophy.

Winner Announced
Harry Miller won the 3H.P. Go-Cart at the game December 23.

PSAT Results Given
PSAT results were given to students on December 21.

Kits Received
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Paperbacks Received
A new shipment of paperback books was received by the library. This is a new project and hopefully an educational one.

Representative To Be At NHS
The admission representative from Alderson-Broadus College, Philippi, W. Va. will be at NHS Monday, January 9, 1978. Juniors and Seniors desiring to meet with him should leave their name with Mr. Thomas.

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1973 Mercury Monterey, V8, AT, PS, AC, 4-Door.

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1972 Montego, 4-Door, V8, AT, PS, PB, Radio, Vinyl Top.
1972 Chevrolet 4-Door Impala, V8, AT, PS, PB.
1972 Opel Wagon, 4-Cyl., AT, Radio, New Tires.
1971 Nova, PS, AT, Radio, 6-Cyl.
1970 Torino GT V8, PS, 4-Speed Trans., AM Radio.
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1975 F-100, AT, PS, PB, V8, Ranger XLT, 20,000 Miles.
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1975 Chevrolet C-20, V8, 4-Speed, PS, Step Bumpers, Mirrors, Radio.
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1973 Dodge D-100, V8, AT, PS, PB, Mirrors, Step Bumper.
1973 Ranchero V8, AT, PS, Bed Cover.
1972 Mazda, 4-Cyl., 4-Speed, AM Radio, Bumper, Mirror.
1972 Ranchero V8, AT, PS, PB, Vinyl Top, Radio.
1971 Dodge D-100 V8, 3-Speed, AM Radio, Step Bumper, Mirrors.
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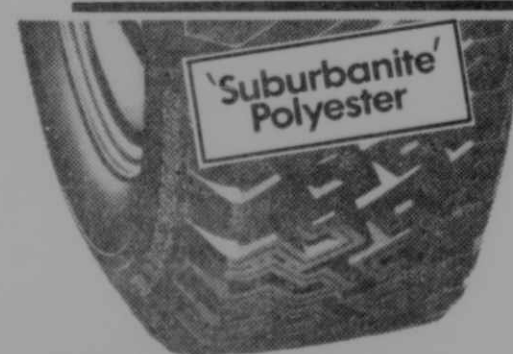
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Tri-County Council Publishes Report

The Tri-County Council of Western Maryland has released a 30-page report for circulation among council members. The report was prepared by the council's staff.

According to the report for the fiscal year which ended June 30, the council lists a total operating budget of \$229,360. The income includes 27 percent from the three counties, \$62,454 for the current year and \$5,977 unexpended carryover, 40 percent or \$92,000 from the Appalachian Regional Commission, 20 percent or \$45,000 from the Economic Development Administration and 13 percent or \$29,906 from the Older Americans Act.

Expenditures in the fiscal year included 72 percent or \$164,946 for salaries and fringe benefits; 12 percent or \$27,382 for equipment, furniture, supplies, postage, printing and telephone; six percent or \$13,414 for transportation; five percent or \$10,480 for space rental and three percent or \$7,414 in miscellaneous expenditures.

Former Allegheny County Commissioner Richard C. Mappin, who was chairman of the TCC until his resignation to become executive director of the Allegheny County Economic Development Corporation in June, provided the introductory message.

His introduction points out the fact that there are only four charter members of the original council remaining since its institution in 1971. The staff has grown from three to 13 and now represents a variety of skills and backgrounds.

"Most importantly," he continued, "our program interests have broadened from an initial responsibility involving administering and planning for the Appalachian Regional Commission to direct involvement with the Economic Development Administration and the Older Americans Program."

In a section of the report on grants, TCC notes it has increased its ability to identify area concerns, needs and problems. It is the council's responsibility to determine the

means and resources by which these planned solutions can be implemented.

Although originally established to administer grant money made available through ARC, the council has improved and expanded upon the types of grant assistance available to the region.

During the past year, TCC has increased its capacity to respond to areawide and individual county needs, says the report. This has been made possible by becoming directly involved in administering grants provided through a variety of funding sources. They have included the local public works programs, ARC, community development block grant program, EDA and Farm Home Administration.

The council's anticipated fiscal year project approval and funding request of \$2,268,666 will far exceed the \$1,780,300 allocated by ARC.

"In terms of projects themselves, they have ranged from the common problems of water and sewer development in each area of the region to the particular needs and development factors of each county," the report states.

"A coal mining technology center in Garrett County to be used for training, research and development in the coal industry; a housing project in Allegheny County to preserve and maintain the existing housing supply and improvements to the only museum in Western Maryland, which happens to be located in Washington County, are only a few of the projects with areawide significance," the report adds.

The report itself was the product of an off-set press which TCC purchased in the past year.

Members of the TCC staff listed on the final page of the report are Edward I. Heath, executive director; Diane M. Morton, administrative assistant; Benjamin E. Berry, chief grants; Albert L. Feldstein, grantsman; Glenda S. Gaughan, secretary; Thomas E. Holder, chief planning; Raymond D. Carignan and James E. Rowe, economic development specialists; George B. Zufall, graphics; Janet L. Gilman, secretary; Joel W. Shoap, director, area

agency on aging; Patricia A. Wolford, administrative assistant; and Alice V. Doolan, senior aide.

Holder and Ms. Gaughan are no longer members of the staff.

Gorman Auxiliary To Install Officers

Jean Butts will be installed as president of the Gorman Ladies Auxiliary at the January 5 meeting, following elections held December 15.

Other new officers to be installed are vice president Shirley Brown; secretary Linda Skeweris; treasurer Naomi Flanagan; historian Dora Uphold; reporter Linda Skeweris; guards, Dore Skeweris and Dora Uphold; birthday money chairman, Naomi O'Haver.

On December 18, the firemen and ladies auxiliary held their annual Christmas dinner and party with exchange of gifts. Past president Naomi O'Haver was honored, and plaques were presented to members in the firemen unit and auxiliary for years of service: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Henline; Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Skeweris; and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar (Shorty) Uphold. At 4 p.m. Santa Claus visited at the fire hall.

The Ladies Auxiliary meets on the first and third Thursday evenings of each month at 7:30. The firemen meet each first and third Tuesdays at 7 p.m.

This year's winners of the Christmas lighting contest were Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon, Fairview, first prize; and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Bosley, Gorman, second prize.

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Loar Auxiliary To Meet Tuesday

There will be a meeting of the Loar Auxiliary of Garrett County Memorial Hospital next Tuesday, January 10, at 2 p.m., in the hospital Board Room.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the auxiliary preceding the regular meeting, at 12:30 p.m.

All members of the auxiliary were entertained by the president, Mrs. Frances Riley, at a coffee at her home Thursday, December 29, from 10 a.m. until noon.

The auxiliary also was responsible for decorating the hospital for Christmas.

The group has received a bequest from the estate of the late Mrs. Myrtle R. Ashby, stepmother of Dr. Harold Ashby and sister of Mrs. Verne Smouse, an active member of the auxiliary.

Party Held For Deer Park Youth

The annual Christmas party for the children of the Deer Park area held Thursday, December 22, at the school, with a visit from Santa and treats for all.

Rev. John Grant gave a puppet show for the children on the birth of Christ.

Winners of the drawings for the Deer Park Civic Association were Mrs. Pearl Parsons, grand prize of \$100; Rick Madigan, 25-pound turkey; Mrs. Jean Grant, 15-pound turkey; and Jack Hinebaugh, mayor of Deer Park, sugar-cured ham.

The club members noted that Ralph Livengood, of Richford, donated the turkeys.

Future meeting dates will be announced later.

More Pay Heavy For Spotlighting

Spotlighting brought more heavy fines as noted on the docket of District Court for the week ending January 3. Some pleaded not guilty and others, guilty, before Judge Lewis R. Jones.

Calvin Franklin Mellinger, Sciote Street, Mt. Lake Park, pleaded guilty of two charges. For casting rays of light on fields and woods with firearms in possession, he was fined \$205, and for hunting and possession of deer in closed season, \$105.

Three others pleaded guilty of casting rays of light on fields and woods with firearms in possession and were fined \$105 each: Ronald Ray Butler and James Hubert Speicher, both of Pysell Road, Mt. Lake Park, and Melvin Arthur Butler, RD 1, McHenry.

Michael Robert Bittinger, Deer Park Ave., Mt. Lake Park, pleaded not guilty of unauthorized discharge into the waters of the state and the plea was sustained.

Timothy Gene Frazee, RD 1, Friendsville, pleaded not guilty of failing to obey a lawful and reasonable order of a police officer and the plea was sustained.

Larry Emerson Dixon, RD 4, Deer Park, forfeited collateral

in the amount of \$10 for hunting without license in possession.

Amounts shown include fine and \$5 costs.

Garrett Ranks Low In E, H Bond Sales

Garrett County retained its low ranking in the sales of U. S. Savings Bonds during October, according to a monthly report published by the Department of the Treasury.

Garrett is ranked number 21 among the 23 counties and Baltimore City, with only 68 percent of the 1977 quota attained. Cumulative sales to date amount to \$542,503 of the \$800,000 quota.

Sales for October amounted to \$55,863. Calvert county is ranked number one, with 99 percent of its 1977 quota attained. Allegany county is second and Kent is third.

The three counties lagging behind Garrett are Howard, St. Mary's, and Queen Annes.

According to the Treasury report, Americans put more of their savings into Series E Bonds during October than in any October since 1944, 33 years ago. For the month of October, over \$612 million in Series E and H Bonds were sold, the best October sales of E and H bonds since the initial H offering in 1952.

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The family of Artie E. Kelley wishes to thank its many friends, neighbors and relatives for all the kindness shown them following the loss of their loved one. A special thanks to Fike Watson Funeral Home, Rev. Donald Matthews, the quartet from Asher Glade Church.

—Adv. 44-11.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to all friends, relatives and neighbors for their kindness to us following the loss of our loved one. Thank you for the food, flowers and all your help. A special thanks to the John O. Durst Funeral Home, Loch Lynn United Brethren Church, their choir and pianist, Rev. Oscar Hull, employees of Par-Matt Bowling Lanes, the Roger Parsons family and Miss Anna Bishop. It is so much comfort at times like this to know someone cares.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

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I wish to thank all my friends and neighbors for their beautiful cards and gifts sent to me on my 90th birthday. May you all be blessed.

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IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my husband, Carlis B. Helms, who passed away twenty years ago, Jan. 10, 1958. From hospital bed to heavenly rest. God took you home to be his guest. We were always living in vain. That you would soon be well again. But God decided we must part. He eased your pain, but broke our hearts. And while you rest in peaceful sleep. Our memories we will always keep. We've been so sad since that day. That God came and called you away. Sadly missed by his wife, children and grandchildren.

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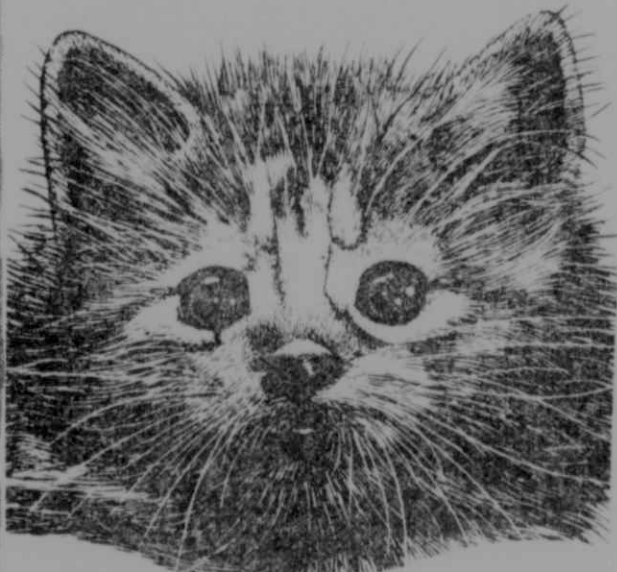
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Always thoughtful, willing and kind.
What a beautiful memory she left behind.
But God at last thought it best To take her home with him to rest.
Still missed by daughter,
Leona Hinebaugh
—Adv. 45-11.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY
Bids are being asked by the Maryland Park Service of the Department of Natural Resources for operation of the food and drink concession at Deep Creek Lake State Park. Bid forms and conditions of the agreement may be secured from the office of Deep Creek Lake State Park, Route 3, Box 70, Swanton, Maryland 21561 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Mondays thru Fridays. Bid proposals will be received until 1:00 p.m., January 27, 1978.
The right is reserved, as the interest of the State of Maryland may require, to reject any or all bids.
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RICHARD WILLIAM BROIL
This is to give notice that the undersigned, Linda Sherbin whose address is 218 Second St., Oakland, Md. 21550 has been appointed personal representative of the estate of Richard William Broil who died on November 2, 1977 without a will.
All persons having any objection to such appointment shall file the same with the Register of Wills of Garrett County on or before June 29, 1978.
All persons having claims against the decedent must present their claims to the undersigned, or file the same with the said Register of Wills on or before June 29, 1978.
Any claim not so filed on or before such date shall be unenforceable thereafter.
Linda S. Sherbin
Personal Representative
Joseph H. Welch
Register of Wills
Date of first publication:
December 28, 1977
—Adv. 44-31.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Deep Creek Watershed Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on January 10, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. in the Planning Commission's meeting room (223 Oak Street, Oakland). The Board will review an application by Frank E. Wunderlick, Jr. (Docket SE-17) for a Special Exception permit to place a mobile home on his property located on Penn Point (Zoned LR).
John E. Nelson
Zoning Administrator
—Adv. 44-21.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have filed an application with the Board of License Commissioners for a Class A Beer License to sell alcoholic beverages in Garrett County, Maryland, as provided by Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland.
Name of applicants and place of business are as follows:
Applicants: Marvin R. Lawson, Dale W. Schroyer, Joyce A. Schroyer.
Location: Mill Run General Store, RFD #1, Friendsville, Maryland 21531.
Notice is hereby given that a hearing on said application will be held on January 20, 1978 at 10:00 a.m. in the office of the Liquor Control Board at 400 N. Third Street, Oakland.
By Order of the Board of License Commissioners of Garrett County
Joseph M. Wolf, Secretary
Date of first publication:
December 22, 1977.
—Adv. 43-21.

Notice of Opening

The Garrett County Youth Employment Training is accepting applications for a skill training and work experience program. Applicants must be 16-21 years old, economically disadvantaged, and residents of Garrett County. Applicants may call 334-3330 for further information or visit the program's office in Room 306 of the Garrett Community College — Oakland Center at 104 East Center Street, Oakland, Maryland.
—Adv. 44-21.

DEBT NOTICE

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David Richard Kinsner
Room 86, Crellin, Md.
—Adv. 43-31.

PUBLIC NOTICES

DEBT NOTICE
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Theodore Butts
Oakland, Md.
—Adv. 45-31.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF MARYLAND
ORDER NO. 62773
IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF THE CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MARYLAND ESTABLISHING RATES AND REGULATIONS FOR PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT SERVICE—TIME AND TIME-TEMPERATURE.
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF MARYLAND
CASE NO. 7113
The above-mentioned petition having been received and filed, it is, this 9th day of December, 1977, by the Public Service Commission of Maryland:
ORDERED: That the same be, and it is hereby, set for hearing in Room 904, State Office Building, 301 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland, on Monday, January 9, 1978, at 10:00 o'clock, a.m., before Hearing Examiner Kirk J. Emge.
PROVIDED, the Applicant cause a copy of this order to be published in four newspapers in general circulation in the Baltimore City metropolitan area, in two newspapers in general circulation in the Maryland portion of the Washington, D. C. metropolitan area, and in one daily or weekly newspaper in general circulation in each of the 22 counties of the State of Maryland at least one time in each newspaper during the week beginning January 1, 1978.
By the Commission,
Frank J. Wasowicz
Executive Secretary
TRUE COPY—TEST.
Frank J. Wasowicz, Secretary
—Adv. 45-11.

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Loch Lynn Heights Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on January 12, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. in the Loch Lynn Heights Town Hall (Bonnie Boulevard). The Board will review applications for the following cases:
1. Docket VR-1, an application by Mrs. Samuel Bowman for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow the placement of a mobile home on her property which would extend to within four feet of her side property boundaries located on Dundee Street (Zoned TR).
2. Docket VR-2, an application by Mr. Myrl Wilt for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow the placement of a mobile home on his property which would extend to within five feet of his side property boundaries located on East Second Street (Zoned TR).
John E. Nelson
Zoning Administrator
—Adv. 45-31.

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NOTICE

OF WARRANT

Take notice that on the 3rd day of November, 1977, at the request of Thomas E. Doyle a warrant to survey was issued to Kevin S. Humber, surveyor, of Garrett County, to survey all that vacant land containing approximately 36 acres in the Sixth Election District of Garrett County. Said vacant land is bounded by a parcel containing approximately 27.73 acres owned by Toby Turpin, 14901 Peach Orchard Rd., Silver Spring, Md. and by a parcel containing approximately 10 acres owned by Ronald Eapp, 3 W. Park Court, Glen Burnie, Md., and by a parcel containing approximately 26.94 acres owned by John R. Byron, 1122 Linden Ave., Takoma Park, Md.
Provided certain conditions are met and unless an objection is filed in the proceeding as provided by Real Property Sections 13-401 and 13-402 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 edition as amended to date), a Land Patent for said approximately 36 acres of vacant land may be issued by the State of Maryland to the said Thomas E. Doyle, conveying all the right, title and interest of the State of Maryland therein.
Pursuant to Section 13-507 (b) (2) of the Real Property Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, 1974 edition as amended to date, the surveyor will be on the premises, that is, the vacant land described in the aforesaid warrant, in the Sixth Election District of Garrett County, near or at Boyes Run Road on the 7th day of February 1978, at 9:00 a.m., to execute said warrant.
Edward C. Papenfuss
Commissioner of Land Patents
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Earns Promotion With Foodland



Charles R. Davis

Frank Biser, Jr., manager of the Oakland store of Browning's Foodland, Inc., recently announced the promotion of Charles Robert Davis to the position of Head Cashier for the Oakland market. His duties will include money control, front end operations, customer and employee relations and customer service.

According to Mr. Biser, "Bob's fine attitude and ambition has helped him to be quite an asset to the store as well as the entire company."

Mr. Davis started with Browning's in July, 1975, as a part-time bag picker while still attending high school. After his graduation from Southern High School in 1977, he went directly into full time training in front end operational procedures.

Mr. Davis' interests include bowling, softball, music and stamp and coin collecting. He and his wife, the former Brenda Shaffer, reside on Eighth Street, Oakland.

It is said that the food supply is not hit by the farmers' strike.



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MARSH HILL ROAD — 60' x 80' lake access lot suitable for campers or commercial investment \$4,000.

PLEASANT VALLEY — 1½-story double wide, 2-bedroom mobile home; full basement. **SOLD** easily situated on ½-acre level lot \$16,500.

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Appraisal Service

Genealogy Class Offered By CCC

For those interested in discovering their "Roots," Garrett Community College will offer a non-credit course on the subject of Genealogy. The course will begin on Wednesday, January 25, 7:00-8:00 and will meet each Wednesday for a period of six weeks at the Oakland Center of the College.

Mrs. Mary Jones and Mrs. Alice Proudfoot will instruct the course. Both Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Proudfoot are graduates of the University of West Virginia and both are members of the Preston-Garrett Historical Society. They have both made contributions to the Glade Star.

The course content will include: How to Research, Record Practices (How to Record, Search and Research Tools, Court and Vital Records, Church Records, and Solving Pitfalls in Family Research).

Registration for the course will be \$8.00 and interested persons may register at the Oakland Center of the College.

Rewards To Trappers Available From DNR

Rewards are available to trappers participating in nutria and raccoon studies, according to the Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Director, Bernard F. Halla.

The studies are cooperative efforts of the University of Maryland's Center for Environmental and Estuarine Studies, DNR's Wildlife Administration and the Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge.

Last year's severe winter reduced the nutria population and researchers are attempting to determine its current population levels by obtaining data from tagged nutria and information provided by trappers.

A reward of ten dollars will be paid to trappers for each nutria tagged with metal ear and web tags which they return to the Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge.

A raccoon study is also in progress, with a five dollar reward offered for the return of only the metal tags attached to the raccoon.

For each study the trapper will be asked to fill out a brief questionnaire for each nutria or raccoon tag returned, listing method, location and date of capture and tag number.

Trappers are to return tagged nutria "in the round" or raccoon tags to the Headquarters at Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge, Monday through Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (Phone: 301/228-2677). For further information persons should contact the Blackwater Refuge.

Events Above The Mountaintop

5-11 January 1978
Paul & Frank, Jr.
MOON'S ORBIT

The orbit of the moon could be compared to a band around the earth. This band is tilted to the earth's orbit around the sun. The tilt of the moon's orbit is five degrees which is enough to move the moon above or below a direct line with the sun unless the point at which the moon's orbit and the earth's orbit cross, node, is between the earth and the sun.

The nodes, there are two, also revolve around the earth. This is why an eclipse doesn't occur every New Moon and every Full Moon.

VISIBLE PLANETS
Mercury, Mars, Jupiter, and Saturn are visible to the unaided eye. Mercury will be above the south-east horizon at the end of the week. It will be slightly lower and to the left of Antares, the brightest star in

Scorpius. With binoculars it might be seen a few days earlier than next Wednesday. Mars, among the stars of Cancer, is visible all night as it rises at sunset. Jupiter, seen against the background of Gemini, is high in the east at sunset. Saturn is close to Regulus, the heart of Leo, and rises about three hours after the sun sets.

MOON

The moon passes through its New Moon phase on Sunday at 11:00 p.m. Saturday, one hour before sunrise, the moon will pass close to Mercury. On Monday and Tuesday earthshine will provide light on the dark side of the moon. This will provide a view of the old moon in the new moon's arms.

Moonset varies from 2:06 p.m. today to 8:35 p.m. next Wednesday. Sunday at 7:00 a.m. the moon will be at its closest distance to the earth. This perigee is 357,490 kilometers (222,160 miles) from the earth.

DAYLENGTH

The sun is above the horizon for nine hours 30 minutes today. That is seven minutes less than it will be above the horizon next Wednesday. Sunrise was at 7:38 a.m. this morning. It will be at the same time on Wednesday. Sunset will be at 5:08 p.m. tonight. Wednesday it will be seven minutes later than today.

Meeting To Discuss

Hot Meals Center

At Swanton Planned

There will be a meeting at

NOTICE

The Garrett County Solid Waste LANDFILL Will Be

CLOSED MONDAY,

Jan. 16

the Swanton Community Center Monday, January 9, at 7 p.m., to discuss having a "Hot Meals" program at the Center.

The program has been introduced and discussed by the members of the Center and will definitely be decided at the January 9 meeting.

If the program is inaugurated, volunteers are needed to help in the kitchen and with other chores. The Center has offered its facilities for the program, and everyone interested is invited to attend the meeting.

V. F. W. To Meet

Members of Garrett County Memorial VFW Post will hold a special meeting on January 8 at the Post Home on Route 135 at 2 p.m. to discuss past and future programs.

District Commander James Baker of the Third VFW District will be present.

Homemaker Dates Set

Mars Hill Homemakers will meet at 12:30 p.m. at the Casselman Hotel, January 10. Meadow Glade Homemakers will meet at 10:00 a.m. at the home of Vivian Faulkner, January 12.

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People Do Care . . .

A frantic cry for help rang out last Friday from Garrett County Memorial Hospital. A patient was in immediate need of blood — lots of it. The call was issued over radio, telephone and fire and rescue monitors. Within 45 minutes, approximately 36 donors appeared at the hospital ready and willing to give.

The patient used over 20 pints. No less than six doctors and dozens of other hospital staff members worked furiously to save her life. Every effort was made.

The actions of so many people should not go unnoticed or unrecognized. In an age when the majority of news is composed of tragedy, pessimism and despair, it is uplifting to witness such an example of caring. There is no law which forces people to care. Most of the blood donors probably did not even know the patient. Yet, they gave anyway.

Unfortunately, the story has a sad ending. Despite the labors of so many, the young patient died after being transferred to Morgantown. It was a blow to everyone involved. The reality hurt.

It is comforting to realize, however, that should a similar circumstance occur, and unfortunately it most likely will, the people of Garrett County will again respond to the need. Perhaps the next time the efforts will not be in vain. It's true, we Garrett Countians don't have numerous theatres, Broadway shows, grand music halls, huge shopping malls, art galleries and museums, but we have something so much more important — an attitude of regard for our neighbor.

Man is so imperfect. His sin is never ending. Nearly all of the world's problems can be blamed on him. Yet, there still seems to be a basic caring and warmth for others that will survive as long as man survives.

Meals On Wheels Names Officers

The Meals-on-Wheels committee was reorganized recently, naming Mrs. Jesse McCullough chairman for 1978. Other officers named are secretary, Pastor Manning Smith, treasurer, Bradley A. Stewart, volunteer committee, Pastor Richard Seaks, Mrs. Linda Maroney, and Mrs. Marianne Naylor.

Initial interviews will be Miss Fran Yoder, Mrs. Dorothy Strub and Mrs. Polly Hanst. Mrs. Ruth Jackson is routes chairman. Mrs. Dorothy Morris will serve as publicity chairman.

The next meeting for all volunteers will be held Wednesday, February 8, at noon in the fellowship hall of St. Mark's Lutheran Church on Second Street in Oakland. Those attending are asked to bring a sandwich and coffee will be served.

Anyone interested in helping to deliver meals to the persons being served is asked to call 334-3239. Helping deliver meals, prepared twice a day five days a week by the Garrett County Memorial Hospital, takes a total of one hour each day. At the present time there are 45 volunteers.

Anyone who needs the service and is interested in purchasing the meals is invited to call 334-4111 to obtain more information.

Sheriff's Dept. Answers 2,000 Calls In 1977

A year-end survey showed that 2,000 complaints were answered by Sheriff John Evans, Jr. and/or his nine deputies during 1977, according to figures compiled this week by that department.

A total of 2,444 papers on criminal, civil, law and equity matters were served, and 3,782 patrol checks made at various businesses and homes requesting special service.

Two hundred forty-five were arrested on various counts, including rape and manslaughter.

Sixty-five trips were made to Baltimore and surrounding areas, helping to add 22,500 miles to departmental vehicles during the year.

On the staff at the county jail, in addition to the sheriff and deputies, are five dispatchers, a matron-secretary, a cook, two assistant cooks, and a janitor.

One deputy, Don Tucker, was slightly injured in July when he was assaulted while investigating a complaint.

December Report
Members of the sheriff's department served 342 papers on civil, criminal, and law matters during December, according to the monthly report filed for that period.

Over 100 complaints were Continued on Page Three

Commissioners Adopt Corporation Tax Policy Rules

Private corporations for which the county has not received personal property tax certification from the state by August 1 of each year will be paying the tax on an estimated basis to comply with a policy established last week by the Garrett County Commissioners.

County administrator W. Marshall Rickert said the current collection system causes "cash flow" problems because of a delay in state certification.

He said corporations which do business in Garrett County but are incorporated elsewhere in some cases owe back taxes which become uncollectable.

By estimating what a corporation owes, the county can then collect its portion of the personal property tax and make an adjustment when the state certifies the corporation's holdings of personal property.

Jerome Moyer, supervisor of assessments and taxation for Garrett County, said the county has outstanding several million dollars worth of assessments on personal property tax, and "it's getting worse each year."

Moyer pointed out that the personal property tax could be collected on an estimated basis the county could receive interest on that money.

Private corporations annually file a personal property tax return and submit it to the state for certification by April 15 of each year. He said some corporations do not receive returns from the state for a year, delaying their payment on the personal property tax.

At the present rate, about \$180,000 in tax money is not immediately collected. The tax rate on personal property is the same as the estate rates established by the county commissioners.

In addition to the \$2.58 county tax rate, 22 cents per \$100 of assessed value is collected by the state.

The county commissioners' new policy does not affect the state portion of the personal property tax.

The commissioners adopted the policy, which is already used in some other counties in the state, at the recommendation of Mr. Moyer. The new policy also directs the county treasurer to bill the corporations according to the policy.



UNNECESSARILY POSTED — The sign says "no fishing, hunting or trespassing," but there could be no temptation here to the most avid outdoorsman as the wind chill factor brought the temperature to 48 degrees below zero, and less. Extreme cold and high winds whipped the snow into unusual patterns, but it took a careful observer to see any beauty outdoors earlier this week, thanks to the first severe blizzard of the winter.

Firefighters Have A Busy Night

Garrett County firefighters had a busy evening last Sunday as three fire calls came in for the Oakland Fire Department, all within two hours.

The first alarm came at 5:08 p.m. when two stacks of rubber began burning inside the service building of Hawkinson Tread Tire Company along U. S. Route 219 just north of Oakland.

Oakland, Deer Park and Deep Creek Lake firefighters were summoned to the scene and Kitzmiller, Friendsville, Accident and German companies stood by for assist.

The stacks of rubber, each about three feet high, burned for some time, causing much smoke. The material was destroyed and the fire also damaged a tire rubberizing machine and a heating unit inside the building.

Gene Glotfelty, of Hawkinson Tread, stated that there was an estimated 12 to 15,000 in damage due to smoke. He said that damage to the rubberizer, which the company leases from AMP Inc., could be as high as \$10,000. There was also some electrical damage. The loss is covered by insurance.

Mr. Glotfelty stated that it was hoped the company would be back into full operation today.

The fire was discovered by Dale Wagner, who had come to the store to pick up rubber dust and noticed the smoke.

Robert Shiner, fire investigator for Allegany and Garrett counties, said the fire was caused by a malfunction in the overhead furnace and it spread into the rubber storage area.

The Allegany-Garrett County Fire Association's air cascade truck, headquartered at Shaft, was taken to the scene to provide firefighters with air for breathing equipment. The Southern Garrett County Rescue Squad was also called to the scene. The only injury was a slight wrist sprain suffered by Robert Thrasher, chief of Deer Park VFD.

Cause the Hawkinson fire was under control, a report was received regarding a burning insulator on a utility pole on the Crelin Road. German firefighters, covering for Oakland, responded to the scene along with another Oakland unit, and stood by until the power company arrived. There was no report of power disruption.

The third call turned out to be a false alarm to the Beachy Lumber Company, Oakland.

Because of the near epidemic flu condition, Mrs. Heesen said that persons taking any type of antibiotics the past two weeks may not donate blood tomorrow.

Owner Fails Pursue Snatch

Two youthful would-be purse snatchers were failed in their attempts January 2, when the owner of the purse took off in pursuit.

According to the report filed at the sheriff's office, Mrs. Martha Jane Green, Deer Park, was entering Par-Matt Lanes. As two juvenile boys passed her, they grabbed her shoulder bag from her shoulder and took off running in the direction of a lightly wooded area toward Southern High School.

Mrs. Green turned and went after the two, who then dropped the purse as they rapidly departed the area.

Mrs. Green was able to give a description of the boys to police, and two juveniles were later arrested and turned over to juvenile authorities in connection with the attempted larceny.

Robert Glotfelty New President Of Fair Board

Robert L. Glotfelty was named president of the Garrett County Agricultural Fair board in elections held January 3.

Other new officers for 1978 will be Harry Brenneisen, first vice president; Jack Turney, second vice president; Helen M. Buttner, secretary; Allen S. Pugh, Sr., treasurer, and Claude Wagner, Jr., general manager.

The 1978 fair date was set for the week of August 7-12, according to Miss Bittinger, who is also publicity chairman for the board.

Oakland Visit Of Bloodmobile Set For Tomorrow

Blood donors are reminded that the Bloodmobile will be in Oakland tomorrow, January 13, at the National Guard Armory from 12 noon until 6 p.m. The location of the visit was moved from the Oakland Fire Hall to the armory due to the need for more space.

Mrs. Norma Heesen, local Red Cross Bloodmobile chairman, stated that all new plastic donor cards have been mailed to those persons who donated at the October visit.

Tomorrow's donors will also receive new cards. The quota for the visit will be the usual 135 pints.

Mrs. Heesen stated that 29 persons gave blood at Garrett Memorial Hospital last Friday after an emergency call was issued for type B+ and C+. The blood was needed for a woman suffering severe hemorrhaging after childbirth.

Mrs. Heesen expressed her gratitude to these donors for their prompt response to the emergency situation.

Because of the near epidemic flu condition, Mrs. Heesen said that persons taking any type of antibiotics the past two weeks may not donate blood tomorrow.

Wyoming Man Is Found Not Guilty Of Arson

A Wyoming man was found not guilty of arson by a jury in Circuit Court yesterday, Judge Fred A. Thayer presiding.

Douglas Eugene Fitzwater, Rock Spring, Wyoming, pleaded not guilty of arson of a 1976 Jeep belonging to David P. Shaffer on the Green Glade Road last January 11. A jury yesterday morning sustained the plea.

The case was transferred from District Court in July, 104 long after he was charged, 2½ water was released on payment of \$500 cash bond. Monday Fitzwater elected to have a jury trial. One statement said that the fire of the vehicle did not occur the way it was first stated.

Three Area UMW Locals Charged By National Board

BALTIMORE (UPI) — The National Labor Relations Board has charged three locals of the United Mine Workers and a district office with conducting secondary boycott against the Mettiki Coal Company in Western Maryland.

The board made its ruling after investigating the coal company's charges that the three West Virginia locals and the Pennsylvania district were boycotting construction of the company's Garrett County plant.

The board has set a hearing for January 25 to determine if the UMW groups should be permanently enjoined from picketing the plant.

The board said the miners, who threatened subcontractors on the site, had "engaged in unfair labor practices under the Taft-Hartley Act."

The coal miners began picketing December 8 because the plant was being built during the nationwide UMW strike, which is now in its second month.

Maryland miners are non-union but the state's coal mines shut down at the start of the strike to avoid any confrontation with striking miners.

Former Kitzmiller Man Dies In Fire
A 46-year-old Big, W. Va. man died Saturday night, January 7, in a fire at his home.

James A. Smith, Jr., who was alone at the time the fire broke out, apparently died of smoke inhalation, according to Sheriff Gary Stalnaker, of Hardy County, W. Va.

Sheriff Stalnaker said Mr. Smith's daughter, Jill Smith, and a neighbor girlfriend arrived home sometime after 9 p.m. and heard smoke alarms going off in the Smith home.

The two girls notified neighbors who called Moorefield Fire Company, and then went inside the Smith home, where they found Mr. Smith.

There was some smoke damage to the home, but most of the fire damage was contained to the bedroom where the victim was found. Cause of the fire has not been determined.

Mr. Smith retired from the Air Force as a senior master sergeant with 22 years of service. He was a veteran of the Korean and Vietnam wars.

A native of Kitzmiller, he was a son of Mrs. Isabella (Sprague) Smith, Old Fields, W. Va., and the late James A. Smith, Sr.

Mr. Smith was a member of Moorefield Church of Christ and was employed by Kenny's Mobile Home Service.

Surviving besides his mother and daughter are his widow, Betty (Evans) Smith; two sons, James M. Smith, Big, and Jeffrey D. Smith, at home; three sisters, Mrs. Louise Foley, Moorefield; Mrs. Jennie Kessel, Morgantown; Mrs. Patricia Hall, Hedgesville, W. Va.; two brothers, Gary Smith and Kenny Smith, both of Old Fields, and a grandchild.

Funeral arrangements were in charge of Chambers Funeral Home, Moorefield.

The family suggests memorials be made to Grant Memorial Hospital, Petersburg, W. Va.

Oakland Man Is Found Guilty Of False Pretense
Lyle R. White, 22, of Route 2, Oakland, was found guilty of seven counts of false pretense Tuesday in District Court in Allegany county and was sentenced to a total of 50 days in the Allegany county jail.

Judge Milton Gerson imposed the jail sentence on White after finding him guilty of passing seven bad checks totaling several hundred dollars.

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SMOKE BILLOWS from a window at Hawkinson Tread Tire Company Sunday evening as Oakland, Deer Park, and Deep Creek Lake firefighters were called to that location on U. S. Route 219 north of Oakland when some stacks of rubber ignited inside the service building. Though smoke damage was heavy, there was little fire damage. (See separate story).

Obituaries

JOHN A. BEILER

John A. Beiler, 87, of Grantsville, died Sunday, January 8, in Meyersdale Community Hospital.

Mr. Beiler was born in Arthur, Ill., a son of the late David K. and Anna (Kaufman) Beiler. His wife, Mattie (Byler) Beiler, preceded him in death.

He was a member of Red Run Mennonite Church.

Surviving are two sons, Jonas Beiler and Melvin Beiler, both of Grantsville; three daughters, Miss Lydia Beiler, with whom he resided; Misses Mary L. Beiler and Edna Beiler, both of Cumberland, Ind.; a sister, Mrs. Deliah Nisly, Hutchinson, Kan.; nine grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in Springs Mennonite Church by the Rev. Earl Yoder. Interment was in Springs Cemetery. Arrangements were through the Newman Funeral Home.

EDWARD SHERTZER

P. Edward Shterzer, 77, of 12102 McMullen Highway, Cumberland, died Thursday, January 5, in Sacred Heart Hospital.

A native of Cumberland, he was a son of the late John and Catherine (Pryle) Shterzer.

Mr. Shterzer was a retired foreman at the Amcelle Plant of Celanese Fibers Corporation, a member of St. Ambrose Catholic Church, Cresaptown; a 25-year member of the United Commercial Travelers, and Allegany County Senior Citizens.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ruth (Ginevan) Shterzer; two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Ruffo, Crofton, Md.; and Mrs. Joanne Harris, Frostburg; four sisters, Mrs. Helen Brown and Mrs. Lorraine Gerdeman, all of Cresaptown, and Mrs. Florence Dodd, Oakland, and five grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Scarpelli Funeral Home, Mass. of the Christian Burial was celebrated at 9 a.m. Saturday in St. Ambrose Church. Interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery.



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THOMAS C. SMITH

Thomas C. Smith, 51, of 2711 Hemlock Avenue, Alexandria, Va., died yesterday in George Washington University Hospital, Washington.

Born in Deer Park, he was a son of Ramsey Smith and Nora E. (Gloftely) Smith, Deer Park.

A veteran of World War II, Mr. Smith was employed as a wire chief by the Department of Defense in The Pentagon, Washington, D. C. He was a member of Proctor-Kildow Post 71, American Legion.

Also surviving besides his parents are three brothers, Stanley Smith, Mentor, Ohio; Leo Smith, Deer Park, and John Smith, Cumberland.

Friends will be received at the Stewart Funeral Home today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Services will be conducted there tomorrow at 2 p.m. by the Rev. C. Franklin Mick. Interment will be in Deer Park.

MRS. CHARLES JOHNSTON

Mrs. Beulah Vista Johnston, 76, of Island Street, Lonaconing, died Monday, January 9, at Lions Manor Nursing Home, Cumberland.

Born at Bayard, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late James and Sarah (Rinker) Baxley. Her husband, Charles T. Johnston, preceded her in death.

Mrs. Johnston was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Lonaconing, Mary Martha Circle of the church and the Lonaconing Senior Citizens.

Surviving are one son, Harry A. Johnston, Lonaconing; one sister, Mrs. Claudine Nine, Rockville, and one brother, Roy Baxley, Orlando, Fla.

The body was taken to the Eichhorn Funeral Home, Lonaconing. Services were conducted there Wednesday at 1 p.m. with the Rev. Walter Graham officiating. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, Garrett County.

MRS. JOHN A. BROBST

Mrs. Etta Maxine Brobst, 59, of Cumberland, died Tuesday in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Born at Rowlesburg, she was a daughter of the late Guy and Frances (Edwards) Goss.

Mrs. Brobst has been employed by the Allegany County Board of Education as a school bus aide. She was a member of Chapter 56, Order of the Eastern Star, and St. John's Lutheran Church.

Surviving are her husband, John A. Brobst; two sons, Jack Goss, Arlington, Va., and Michael R. Brobst, at home; a brother, Abraham Goss, Mt. Lake Park, and two grandchildren.

Services are being conducted this afternoon at the Scarpelli Funeral Home, Cumberland, by the Rev. Lee McDaniel. Interment will be in Potomac Valley Memorial Gardens.

MRS. JOHN T. CALHOUN

Mrs. Minnie Mae Calhoun, 89, of Route 1, Terra Alta, W. Va., died Tuesday, January 10, in Preston Memorial Hospital, Kingwood.

A native of Oakland, she was a daughter of the late William J. and Mary E. (Bucklew) Kempfer and was the widow of John T. Calhoun.

Mrs. Calhoun was a member of Rodamer Evangelical United Brethren Church.

Surviving are two sons, Ray T. Calhoun and Fred W. Calhoun, both of Terra Alta; five daughters, Mrs. Viola Shahan, Oakland; Mrs. Evelyn Miller, Canton, Ohio; Mrs. Ruth Jolliffe, Chesapeake, Va.; Mrs. Dollie Lewis, Terra Alta; Mrs. Wilma Bishop, Westover; three sisters, Mrs. Albert Whetzel, Mrs. Edna Smith, and Mrs. Stella Towson, all of Canton; a brother, Robert Kempfer, Belington; 33 grandchildren, 76 great-grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Fike-Watson Funeral Home, Terra Alta. Services will be conducted there Friday at 2 p.m. by the Rev. W. C. Dunson and the Rev. Allen Parrish. Interment will be in Terra Alta Cemetery.

MRS. WILLIAM L. MAYHEW, SR.

Mrs. Dora V. Mayhew, 66, of Route 1, Westernport, died Saturday, January 7, in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Born in Elk Garden, she was a daughter of the late Luther and Clara (Stonebreaker) Boley. She was preceded in death by her husband, William Leo Mayhew.

Surviving are three sons, William L. Mayhew, Jr., Baltimore; Roy G. Mayhew, Route 2, Keyser, and Junior Ray Mayhew, Route 2, Swanton; three daughters, Mrs. Ruby Rhodes, Elk Garden, Mrs. Betty Bray, Keyser, and Miss Shirley Mayhew, Route 1, Westernport; two brothers, Adrian Boley, Baltimore, and Garvey Boley, Elk Garden; one sister, Mrs. Rheatha Slade, Johnstown, Pa.; one half-brother, Guy Liller, Elk Garden; 23 grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Rotruck Funeral Home. Services for Mrs. Mayhew were conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday in the funeral home by Rev. Homer L. Beeman. Interment was in Nethken Hill Cemetery, Elk Garden.

Date Correction

Last week's issue of The Republican contained the obituary of Mrs. Ruth Ellen Sisler, 66, of Hazelton, W. Va., and it was erroneously stated that Mrs. Sisler died Thursday, December 29. The correct date was Sunday, January 1. We regret the error.

MRS. GLAVIS SISLER

Mrs. Stella L. Sisler, 29, of Friendsville, died Friday, January 6, in West Virginia University Medical Center, Morgantown, from complications in childbirth. Mrs. Sisler had been transferred to Morgantown from Garrett County Memorial Hospital after giving birth to a son.

Mrs. Sisler was a daughter of Ralph and Ruth (DeVault) Bowser.

She was a member of Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville.

Surviving are her husband, Glavis Sisler, Friendsville; two sons, Todd Sisler, at home, and an as-yet unnamed son born Thursday night; one daughter, Lori Sisler, at home; three sisters, Mrs. Alice Jenkins, Markleysburg, Pa.; Mrs. Cindy Detrick, Friendsville, and Mrs. Susan Collins, Crelin.

The body was taken to the Newman Funeral Home, Friendsville.

Services were conducted Monday at 1 p.m. in the funeral home by Rev. Philip Geaghan. Interment was in Blooming Rose Cemetery.

HOMER M. YODER

Homer M. Yoder, 65, of Springs, Pa., died Thursday morning, January 5, in Meyersdale Community Hospital.

Born in Grantsville, he was a son of the late Simon M. and Catherine (Miller) Yoder.

He was a member of the Springs Mennonite Church and served as church treasurer for 25 years. He was also an agent of the Erie Insurance Company for 25 years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Alta (Shoemaker) Yoder; two brothers, Owen Yoder, Berlin, Pa., and Alva Yoder, Grantsville; and a sister, Mrs. Verne Maust, Meyersdale.

The body was at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville. Services were conducted Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Springs Mennonite Church by Rev. John Kraybill and Rev. Walter Otto. Interment was in Springs Cemetery.

The family requests expressions of sympathy take the form of contributions to the donor's favorite charity.

MRS. DAVID EMERSON

Mrs. Arella A. Emerson, 91, a former resident of Meshach Frost Village, Frostburg, died Thursday, January 5, in the Eagle Nursing Home, Lonaconing, where she was a patient two years.

Mrs. Emerson was born at Avilton, a daughter of the late Nelson and Lavina (Garlitz) Robeson. Her husband, David Emerson, preceded her in death.

Mrs. Emerson was the oldest member of the First English Baptist Church, Frostburg. Surviving are one son, A. Lee Emerson, Frostburg, and

one sister, Mrs. Ethel Broderick, Grantsville.

The body was at the Durst Funeral Home. Services were conducted Sunday at 1:30 p.m. in the funeral home by the Rev. Oscar Ohler. Interment was in Frostburg Memorial Park.

Pallbearers were Forest Robeson, Oliver Johnson, Raymond Johnson, Glenn Durst, Wayne Durst and Gerald McKenzie.

ELIZA A. BROADWATER
Mrs. Eliza A. Broadwater, 54, of Smock, Pa., died in her home Tuesday, January 3, at 2:45 a.m.

She was born in Swanton December 8, 1923, a daughter of the late Theophilus and Martha Wilt.

She was formerly employed as a cook for Herring's Restaurant in Hopwood.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Virginia Priestner, at home and two grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Wilt and Mrs. Walter (Rose) Hardesty, both of Oakland; and Mrs. Getty (Oscie) O'Brien, Cumberland; three brothers, Noah, Charles and Ivan Wilt, all of Swanton.

She was preceded in death by three sisters, Leafy, Grace and Martha, and four brothers, George, Ned, Dora and Riley.

The body was taken to the Robert S. Oats Funeral Home, Uniontown. Services were conducted there Friday at 2 p.m. by Rev. Frank E. Hiller, and interment was in the Pleasant View Presbyterian Cemetery.

Rt. 40 Music Club

To Meet January 19

Members of the Route 40 Junior Music Club met in December at the home of Mrs. Ray Stark, Avilton. Each member presented a musical selection appropriate to the holiday season.

After the program, refreshments were served.

The next meeting is slated January 19 at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. John Bennett, Beall School Road.

Attending were John Bennett, baritone horn; Ronald Bennett, trombone; Lore Crowe, organ; James Guthrie, Jr., trumpet; Cheryl Guthrie, clarinet; Eric Harman, organ; Sandy Nieb, drum; Ron Stark, trombone, and George Walker, clarinet.

Home Builders Elect Officers

Twenty members of the newly-formed Mountaintop Home Builders Association met on Monday night, January 9, at the Will-O-The Wisp Restaurant on Deep Creek Lake to elect officers.

Elected for 1978 were Dick Morris, president; Ed Wilburn, vice president; Kathryn Pensinger, secretary; and Jim Adair, treasurer.

Bill Glenn, Regional Representative of the National Association of Home Builders from Roanoke, Virginia addressed the group and conducted the elections.

The association also adopted a name, bylaws and dues. Meeting night was tentatively set at the second Tuesday of every month. Any paid-up member may bring as many members of his organization or family to as many meetings as he wishes. Although some meetings will be dinner-meetings, the format of most will be simply a business meeting and speaker followed by

refreshments.

Members filled out program-topic questionnaires to assist officers in selection of topics of general interest to members.

Closing date for charter memberships was set at March 15. Anyone interested in joining should contact Dave Beachy or any of the officers.

The association is now recruiting additional builders and associate members. Associates normally include banks, realtors, subcontractors, material suppliers and anyone else who wants to meet with area builders on a regular basis.

The association now consists

of 19 builders and 4 associates. Associates normally comprise two-thirds of the membership of a home builders association. Dues are \$125.00 per year, plus a \$10.00 initiation fee.

County Council Of P.T.A.'s To Meet

The Garrett County Council of P.T.A.'s will meet January 18 at Southern High School at 7:30 p.m., when a program is slated on "Legislation."

The executive committee will meet at 7 p.m., prior to the regular meeting.

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Appraisal Service

Allegany-Garrett Association Plans Mutual Assistance

Automatic notification of volunteer fire departments for the possibility of offering mutual assistance will be made in the future, the Allegany-Garrett County Volunteer Firemen's Association executive committee was told Sunday.

The committee heard a report from the mutual aid committee during a meeting at the Barton fire station. Twenty-four volunteer fire departments were represented at the meeting, conducted by William P. Miller, president of the association.

The committee said the Civil Defense — central dispatch centers will be provided with target areas established by individual fire departments and when a call is received in those areas fire departments neighboring the area will automatically be alerted to stand by in case assistance is needed.

The new system is expected to improve mutual assistance operations for major fires at industry sites.

The association will sponsor a dance at the Clarysville Inn April 1.

Applications for the State Fire Association's fireman of the year award will be submitted and the campaign gets underway February 15.

Departments offering nominations for the award will be represented at a dinner given in honor of all nominees. The state association will host the dinner at a site to be selected.

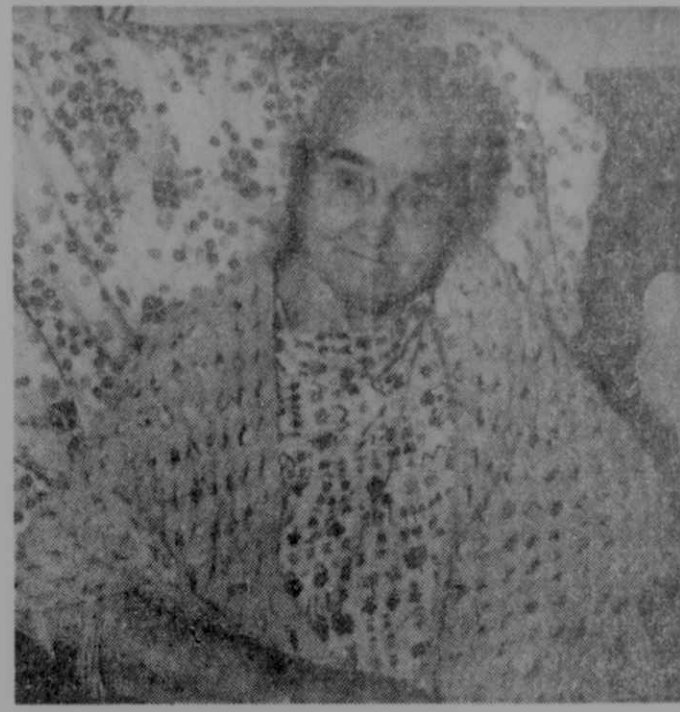
The association will also host the state fire and rescue commission's meeting April 14 at 10 a.m., and it is expected that the Civil Defense Center in Allegany county will request that the meeting be held at its building.

The group also went on record as joining the state association in requesting President Carter to proclaim May 21 as "National Fire Fallen Heroism Day."

Resignations from the association by the LaVale and Frostburg volunteer fire departments were accepted.

Following the meeting, the Barton fire department's ladies auxiliary served a dinner.

Mrs. Mary Friend Is Resident Of The Month At Nursing Home



Mrs. Mary Friend, who will observe her 88th birthday March 2, 1978, was recently chosen as the Resident of the Month for January by the Cuppett and Weeks Nursing Home staff.

Mrs. Friend has been a resident at the nursing home since 1974. She is a native of Sang Run but lived most of her life in Friendsville. She is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette DeWitt.

The widow of the late Herbert Friend, she had nine children, seven of whom are still living. Her husband owned and operated a farm near Friendsville.

Sheriff's Dept.

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answered and 270 patrol checks made.

Twenty-four were arrested on charges ranging from breaking and entering and larceny to assault and battery and failing to appear for a summons.

Officials made seven trips to Baltimore and surrounding areas to pick up or deliver prisoners.

Twelve prisoners were in the jail at the beginning of December, with 29 added during the month. Thirty-seven were released, leaving four men in jail January 1.

Patrol checks and other duties added 19,000 miles during December, according to the odometer reports.

DEER PARK

Miss Gina Dubinsky, student at the University of Maryland, College Park, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dubinsky.

Kenneth Broadwater, who is employed in West Virginia, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Broadwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tasker, North Carolina, returned home Sunday after spending a 10-day furlough with Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Tasker and Mrs. Tasker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Perando. Charles is serving with the U.S. Marine Corps at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina.

Mrs. E. C. Clatterbuck is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Dunne, Silver Spring, at this writing.

Voltage Reduced As Coal Stockpiles Freeze; Customers Asked To Conserve

UPI — Cold weather froze coal stockpiles in Maryland Tuesday, forcing the Allegany Power System to reduce its voltage by 3 percent with the closing of seven of its 10 major generating facilities, officials said.

A spokesman for Potomac Edison, a member of the APS, said the voltage reduction, which would "not be noticeable" to homeowners, affected the counties of Frederick, Washington, Allegany and Garrett and portions of Montgomery, Howard and Carroll, as well as parts of Virginia, West Virginia, and Pennsylvania.

Potomac Edison spokesman Fred Stinger said the coal froze because the heavy weekend rains were followed by Tuesday's cold weather.

"The coal is frozen and cannot be used to generate electricity," he said. "We are working under emergency conditions and ask that customers use as little electricity as possible."

Stinger said the company closed five generating plants because of the frozen coal and two because of routine maintenance.

He said the company will continue to purchase electricity from neighboring facilities to bolster its power capacity until the coal thaws.

James Stitt, manager of the western division of PE, said that his company was asking customers to curtail any non-essential use, turn back their thermostats and to conserve electricity wherever possible.

Tuesday PE bought nearly 50 percent of its power from other companies. The company hit a new system usage peak Monday night and that new record was surpassed Tuesday night, due to record-breaking cold temperatures.

The company was making a public appeal to customers via various forms of media, and was also making an appeal on a personal basis to most industrial customers, asking them to reduce their electrical use loads. Most customers cooperated very well, according to Mr. Stitt.

Another problem looming over the electrical producers, including PE, is the continuing coal strike.

Unless the United Mine Workers' strike is settled soon, PE will have to adopt emergency measures to conserve coal, which is the fuel for about 95 percent of its electric generation, according to a statement from J. M. McCardell, executive vice president and general manager for PE.

Mr. McCardell issued the warning as the strike entered its 35th day, with negotiations apparently broken off and the prospect continuing of a long walkout.

"Despite reasonable conservation efforts we have recommended in the past and which have been put into effect by many customers, we are finding that total electricity

consumption is at higher levels than anticipated with the resultant alarming reduction of our coal stock," he said. "If the strike is not settled soon, we are all going to be in an emergency situation and must take action to deal with it."

Mr. McCardell reported that the company has filed a fuel emergency plan with state regulatory commissions calling for various steps to be taken as the utility's coal stocks decline. "Allegany Power System, of which we with Monongahela Power and West Penn Power are a part, now has a 52-day supply of coal," Mr. McCardell said. "Our plan calls for extensive but voluntary elimination of all non-essential uses of electricity when this supply reaches 40 days."

Mr. McCardell said, "For the past several months we have been contacting large industrial and commercial customers to familiarize them with the plan and to enlist their cooperation should large scale energy saving measures have to be taken."

When the supply reaches 30 days, the Governor of each state served by the Allegheny Power System companies or other appropriate authorities will be requested to announce and enforce a series of mandatory procedures, including reduction of night shifts, recreational and entertainment events, and restrictions on business hours for retail stores. When the supply reaches 25 days, a request will be made for government to direct and enforce curtailment of about one-third of the normal electric load of industrial customers. Hospitals, police, fire control facilities and other customers providing essential services would be exempt from the curtailment, Mr. McCardell pointed out.

Final steps in the emergency plan include further reduction in industrial, commercial, and residential use and interruption of service to groups of customers by dropping circuits for a specific period of time on a rotating basis.

"We plan to keep the public and all appropriate government agencies informed of our supply situation. Of course, there is always the possibility of federal intervention, but we hope an agreement is reached soon and the strike is settled," Mr. McCardell said.

He pointed out that after the agreement is signed, about 10 days are required for ratifica-

tion and then at least another week before coal can begin arriving at generating stations. Allegheny Power System companies serve over one million customers in a five-state area of Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia.

Police Checking Stolen Pickup, Other Larcenies

A Pennsylvania man stepped outside Stonehenge Inn on Route 40 January 7 and discovered that his pickup had been stolen from the parking lot while he was inside.

According to the state police report filed by Tfc. G. A. Berkebile, George Gilbert Kostosky had entered the inn about 9:30 p.m. and left the building at 11:50.

Missing along with the blue 1976 GMC four-wheel drive pickup was a fiberglass pickup cap valued at \$300 and a Remington model 1100 12 gauge shotgun.

Total loss value was estimated at \$5,500.

In other cases under investigation by state police, two breakings and enterings were checked at the same location on Spring Lick Road near Savage River. Jerome D. Laffey reported that his cabin was entered at the beginning of December, and again December 17.

The second time, an intruder was seen running from the structure and police are still searching for a white male suspect. Tfc. R. E. Friend was

called to investigate.

Patricia Jane Bennett, an employee of Carter Oil, from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, reported that sometime between January 4 and 5, her 1978 Datsun was entered and a 40-channel Realistic CB radio removed. The car was parked in the underground lot at Will'o' the Wisp, according to Tfc. L. R. Rosage, who was called on the case.

Paula Denise Fischer, Charlestown, W. Va., reported that \$50 had been taken from a wallet in a dresser drawer in her motel room at Village Inn January 1. The room showed no signs of forced entry, and Miss Fischer had been absent from the room without locking the door for approximately 15 minutes earlier in the day. Tfc. C. H. Hinnant investigated.

Harold Swauger, a resident of Bumble Bee Road, reported that someone had broken open a rear door of his home between 3:20 and 4:40 p.m. January 4, while no one was at home. Nothing had been taken, according to a report filed by Tfc. R. C. Georg.

Skis and bindings were taken from the lodge entrance at Wisp between January 9 and 10, ac-

cording to a complaint filed by Walter Joseph Cartons, Baltimore. According to his report to Tfc. Georg, he had been skiing January 9 and had leaned the skis against the lodge entrance and forgot about them until the following day. Value of the Kniessel Short Stars, with the initials "J.C." on the bottom of each, was set at \$150.

Methodists Plan Worship Workshop

The Romney District United Methodists have set Saturday, February 4, for a "Workshop on Worship." Dr. Larry Stookey, Professor of Worship at Wesley Theological Seminary in Washington, D.C., will be conducting the workshop, which will begin at 10:00 a.m. at the Calvary United Methodist Church in Keyser. The special training is designed particularly for Work Area Chairpersons and members on worship, Pastors and Lay Speakers, although all persons are welcome.

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Mr. Editor:
The history of Garrett County is of Appalachia in general — BOOM and BUST — mostly BUST!

Within the last 15 years we have seen progress in economic activity from a "pocket of poverty" to an expanding economy with predictions of greater growth over the next years.

The efforts to convert this county into a recreational area are now bearing fruit. Coal mining resumes.

Shall we take that roller-coaster ride again, up to the BOOM and down to the BUST? Should we grab all goodies while available (for we deserve)? If so, we must do as we have before, protest taxes, reduce public expense and continue to rip from OUR mountains any commercial timber growth and minerals. We must ignore the advice of our soil conservationists and foresters.

We must grudgingly submit only to national laws dictated by the Environmental Protection Agency, who care, but do not love our mountains.

Or is there another practical way?

Can mountaineers "bite the bullet," make sacrifices at present for the future? Tradition says "no" and this seems most difficult to break.

Positive approaches to change that tradition seem not to work. Mountaineers do not respond to a call for advance-

ment, but peculiarly seem always ready to answer a challenge.

Why not now try a negative approach and use our natural reversion to any idea that others should defend us and ours? We will not fail to rally. We will not fail to protect and defend. Never!

Yes, it may seem stupid. Yes, others will not understand. Only we will know the SECRET and understand our public passwords. I suggest that we publicize wherever possible a motto such as — LET OTHERS PROTECT OUR MOUNTAINS! that will make a mountaineer stand up AND BITE!

Your humble servant,
Phil Garman

Dear Editor:
This is a free country and we should be allowed to voice our opinions without threats. When will people learn that each day lost from work means no income for their families, and higher prices for everyone else. Union or non-union workers should not interfere with any group that is willing to work, serving the county, and keeping people from suffering.

A finger always gets pointed at the younger generations for destructive action. Now look and think who is setting a pattern for them to follow. If we do not call a halt, the younger group will feel they are a disgrace as they get punished and the older ones don't.

Another point should be cleared. I feel we are not obligated to be deprived or pay higher prices due to P.E.'s mistake. Low coal is no excuse, they were warned of coal strikes in advance. We pay for the electric we use, and asking us to pay their fuel costs to make the power is making everyone pay double. They don't pay for our coal or wood that we use in heating our homes. Wake up, P.E., and use cheaper fuel (water power).

Sincerely,
Mrs. J. Oester

Dear Editor:
Just a note!
The original Republican is sadly almost taken over by UPI!! Why, why! The articles that are now missing were much more refreshing to a world that is almost flooded with UPI. For instance, Tamarack, one of our favorite looked-forward-to columns. Couldn't we at least have that back, please?

Hopefully and sincerely,
A former Garrett Countian
(for 30 years a
Glen Burnian)

Dear Former,

We have been expecting a note such as yours in reference to the addition of UPI. We will take this opportunity to explain a few things.

UPI articles have not replaced anything. In fact, our county news has been expanded. We realize that it often appears that UPI articles seem to make up a large portion of the newspaper. However, in reality, we have increased our total amount of news copy by 25 to 35%. There has been no

decrease in local coverage, we assure you.

A few columns which no longer appear include "Sensing the News" and "Listen Americans," but they were disposed of long before UPI was added, simply because of preference of a new editor. The column "Tamarack" was written by an individual living in the eastern part of Maryland, and this person has not submitted anything to us for several months.

We try to keep most of the current, "hard core" national and world news on just one page, a page that can easily be avoided by the reader. UPI articles contained elsewhere in the paper are usually feature and human interest articles or Maryland news items, which, I might add, many of our readers find enjoyable and interesting.

Thank you for your viewpoint.

Editor

Dear Mr. Editor:

I found a poem I thought should be of interest to a lot of people and would appreciate it, if you would print it.

If God Went On Strike

It's just a good thing God above
Has never gone on strike
Because He wasn't treated fair
Or things He didn't like
If He had ever once sat down
And said, "That's It, I'm through."
I've had enough of those on earth
So this is what I'll do.

I'll give my orders to the sun—
Cut off your heat supply.
And to the moon—give no more light
And run those oceans dry.

Then just to really make it tough
And put the pressure on
Turn off the air and oxygen
Till every breath is gone.
Do you know He'll be justified
If fairness was the game
For no one has been more abused
Or treated with disdain
Than God—and yet He carries on
Supplying you and me
With all the favors of His grace
And everything—for free.

Men say they want a better deal
And so on strike they go.
But what a deal they've given God
To whom everything we owe.
We don't care whom we hurt or harm
To gain the things we like
But what a mess we'd all be in
If God should go on strike.

Anonymous
Let's just stop and ponder
these words of wisdom for a few moments. Thank you.
Carolyn M. Mellott

Dear Editor,

Bill (Golden Arch) and Alice (Silver Arrow) Archer have been involved with the C.B. community for a little under one year. In this short period, they have made many friends through C.B. radio. This fact alone reflects the good character of Mr. and Mrs. Archer. Unfortunately, on November 28th, they received formal notice of their eviction from their apartment on North

Second Street in Oakland. As a result of this unfortunate event, the Archers have decided to move back to Chicago. They will be leaving the first of January. They wish to be closer to their daughter and her family.

We C.B.'ers of Garrett County, do not approve of what has happened to Bill and Alice. We regret they are leaving us. We hope they will be happy in Chicago, and we want them to know they will always have "good buddies" in Garrett County.

We will miss them

David Tracy, Joe Miller, Kathy Calhoun, Paul Cosner, Walt L. Davy, Jr., Marsha Madigan, Don Carr, John Edgar, Edward Hoyer, Emily Hoyer.

John Lee, Bob Baker, Gertrude Baker, Frederick W. Baker, Clayton L. Dunham, Jim Kiser, Roger Baker, Vicky Carr, Richard Large, Rosemary Large, Robert Allen Burgess, James Donaldson, Kenneth H. Crocco, Raymond Aronhalt, Jr., Roy Weston Sweitzer, Alan Moats, Karen Heath, Ron Freeman.

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submitted by,
Walt Davy, Jr.

Dear Sir:

I respectfully request you publish the enclosed letter. It may add to your readers' understanding of why we, in Mountain Lake Park, need a protective contract with the Sanitary Commission.

The Garrett County Sanitary Commissioners
Loch Lynn, Md.
Gentlemen:

Certain apparent violations of Maryland law are in the sewage billing practices you published in The Republican August 19, 1976. These apply to your customers outside the towns.

A series of sections of Article 43 of the Maryland Code of Law describe how Sanitary Commissions function. Commissions have no powers beyond those described in those sections.

I find in those sections no authority for you to require security deposits.

I find no authority for you to impose a 10% penalty for overdue sewage bills. Or water bills, either.

Your published notice provides for monthly billing for sewage. Section 663 of Article 43 provides only for billing on an annual, semi-annual, or quarterly basis.

You have a uniform hook-up charge for residences and another for businesses. Section 661 states that hook-up charges must be based on width of street, alley or right-of-way.

The same section requires all hook-up money collected above actual cost must be assigned to certain purposes. Are

you sure your bookkeeping follows this strictly?

Why have these things happened? Why has your legal adviser not forbidden them?

Please don't get up-tight if I ask The Republican to publish this letter. Good public officials don't resent criticism.

In spite of that TV commercial, it isn't Exxon that makes a strong America. It is informed citizens who make a strong America, Maryland, and Garrett County.

Best wishes,
Joseph B. Bowen

An open letter to Dr. William Buser, Garrett County Board of Education, 4th and Green Streets, Oakland, Maryland 21550

Dear Dr. Buser:

Please have the person responsible explain to the people of Garrett County the reason for schools being kept open last Monday, January 9, a day of severe storm. As predicted, temperatures began falling before midnight, Sunday, January 8 with rain changing to snow and the roads becoming like glass.

Temperatures neared the "0" mark by the time children were to wait for the morning buses. Many county roads were passable only by one lane of traffic. Blowing snow caused zero visibility in many places. Teachers were stranded in traffic tie-ups and in snow drifts throughout the county.

All of this seems to have been completely unnecessary and did in fact endanger the lives of children, faculty, and staffs of our various schools.

We do have a few "snow days" in Garrett County. What constitutes a snow day if last Monday did not?

Very sincerely yours,
Fred Illick

A concerned parent
P.S. I'm sending a copy of this letter to The Republican and trust that you may do as well with your answer, so as to keep the public informed as to the rationale of procedure in this regard and to alleviate the necessity for answering so many letters like this one.

Dear Rev. Illick:

We contacted Dr. Buser this morning for his response to

your letter and to answer responses from many others who had contacted us expressing similar opinions concerning this issue.

Dr. Buser stated that in Monday's instance, with the steadily worsening weather conditions, hindsight has proved that the decision to hold school was not the best decision.

The decision was made at 5:30 a.m. Monday to hold school so that bus drivers with early runs could be notified, the usual procedure followed whenever school sessions may be jeopardized by weather conditions. Before making such decisions, the procedure which has been followed includes contacting heads of roads departments and the state police to determine road conditions.

Dr. Buser said that since Monday, a meeting has been held with all those responsible for helping make decisions concerning school sessions, including Herbert McCrobie, head of the county roads department; William Goldsborough, administrative

engineer for SHA; Dr. Buser, Dr. Jerome Ryscavage, assistant supervisor of Administrative Services and Eugene Flinn, supervisor of transportation and cafeterias for the Board of Education.

The Board is now re-evaluating procedures to call off school when necessary, and another meeting is planned with the above so that the Board can make any changes which may be found necessary in the present policy.

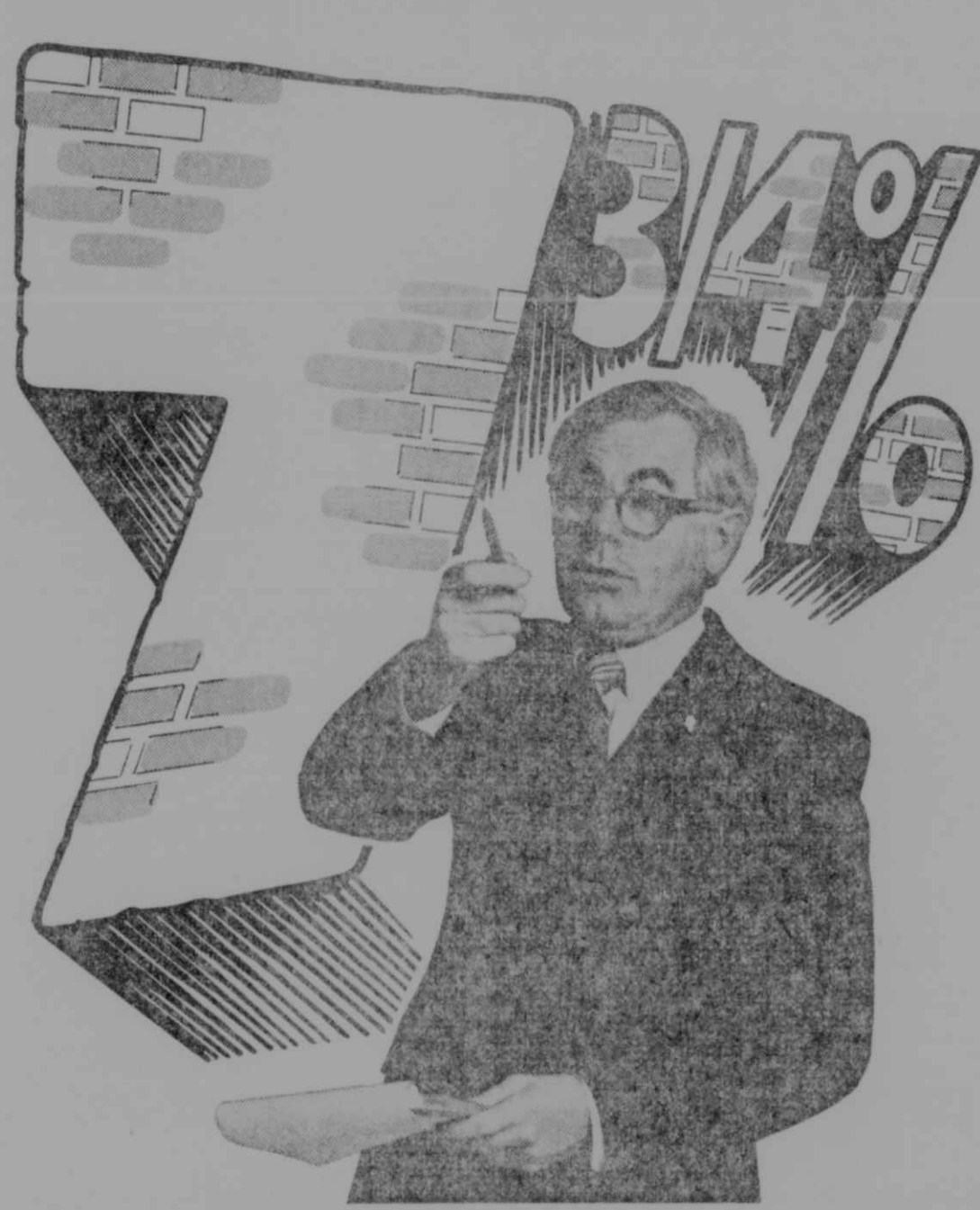
We hope to publish a full report of the revised procedure in the near future.

Editor

Dear Sir,

I would like to thank the people who put the snowmen from our driveway onto the road on Thursday, Dec. 5, then sent the State Police to our door. I think the next time they want to make them, they should be placed in their own driveway! If they cause a wreck, they can watch it from their windows.

Mrs. Glendene Lewis
Underwood and
Oakland Road

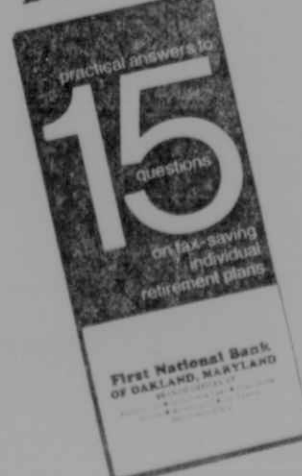


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deacon; and Robert T. Hoffman, secretary. Second row, George H. Hanst, treasurer; Robert Bray, senior steward; Thomas Browning, chaplain; and Robert Householder, junior steward. Standing in the back are, left, Louis M. Biggs, grand inspector and Homer Michaels, deputy grand lecturer.

OAKLAND PERSONALS

Mrs. Donald Bowman, Deep Creek Lake, returned to her home after being a patient in the hospital for ten days. Visiting her this past week were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cozens and family and James Cozens, Willowick, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kratoch and Keri, Pittsburgh; the Judd Martin family, Deep Creek Lake; Mrs. Clarence Long, McHenry; and Steve and Blaine Cutshall, Frederick; Mrs. Susie Livengood and Denise, Deer Park.

Mrs. Grace Nethken, Oakland, was admitted to Garrett County Memorial Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bittinger, Route 2, Oakland, became the parents of a son Sunday, January 8, at Memorial Hospital, in Cumberland. The mother is the former Judy Warnick.

A daughter was born January 8 at Sacred Heart Hospital in Cumberland to Mr. and Mrs. Randy L. Donham, Mt. Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Ruckert and Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Sincell attended the recent wedding of their great-niece, Mary Jankosky, to Robert LaManna at Natrona Heights, Pa. Mrs. LaManna is a daughter of Neil and Mary Frances (Sincell) Jankosky.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Zeender, Oakland, became the parents of a daughter, Kimberly Ann, January 5 at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland. The mother is the former Cathy Crowe, Belleville, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cosner, Gorman, W. Va., became the parents of a son Thursday, January 5, in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Thomas and sons have returned home after vacationing in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. David Brindle of Morgantown, W. Va., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Gonder.

Robert B. Garrett, Jr., and his son Michael of Baltimore and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Garrett of Chicago, visited their mother, Mrs. Robert Garrett in Deer Park during the weekend.

Maureen O'Keefe and Lee Ellen Hallwig, both of College Park spent several days last week with Linda Bolding who is home on Christmas vacation from the University of Maryland.

Harold T. Lewis, Cresap-town, formerly of Crellin, is confined to a nursing home in Cumberland. He is a patient at Lions Manor Nursing Home, Seton Drive, Room 1-B.

SANG RUN

Terry Skipper and Mike, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton DeWitt Friday.

Mrs. Milton DeWitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Skipper, Oakland, Friday evening.

Mrs. Clara Taylor and Mrs. Margie Funk, Elizabeth, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Wes Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Frazee, Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeWitt and Roxie, Janet Harman, Mike Frazee, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCullough, Mrs. Harold Madigan and Debbie Riley were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeWitt and Robin during the past week.

John Tasker is a patient in Garrett County Memorial Hos-

Humanities 100 Offered At GCC By Newspaper

A new course will be offered at Garrett Community College this semester, entitled Humanities 100. The course will cover such topics as music, Hollywood, TV, politics, sports and lifestyles, under the heading of "Popular Culture: Mirror of American Life."

Registration for credit or non-credit may be made this week in the college library, today from 1 to 3 p.m. and 6 to 7:30 p.m.; and Friday, January 13, from 9 to 11 a.m. Registration is also being held any evening next week.

Humanities 100 classes in popular culture begin next Wednesday evening, January 18. The instructor in the classroom is Dr. Charles Springman.

The course will also be available in this newspaper beginning next Thursday, January 19. For credit or non-credit on college transcripts, those following the course must register at the college.

An introductory workshop for program consultants and representatives of community organizations serving as sponsors for the Humanities Forums on Popular Culture is being held this evening, January 12, at Garrett Community College in McHenry.

The forums will deal with the following areas of popular culture: music, Hollywood, sports, politics, and life styles. Each forum will be sponsored by several community organizations, including the Women's Civic Clubs, Historical Society, Ministerial Association, PTA, WMSG, Garrett County Board of Education, Garrett County Business and Professional Women's Club, League of Women Voters, AAUW, Lions, Rotary, and Elks Clubs.

KITZMILLER

Mrs. Mary DeWitt has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Graham Truly.

Those attending the 80th birthday of Newton McRobie in Cumberland were Mrs. Helen Lipscomb, Kitzmiller; Pearl and Debbie Pitt, Terra Alta, Martha Gallagher and Steve, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Long and Joey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McRobie, Bobbie and Sandi, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, Sabrina and Johnna, all of Cumberland.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Lipscomb were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tasker and sons Gary and Randy; Paul Barnett, Massillon, Ohio; James Lipscomb, Jr., Canton, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edgar, McHenry.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellifritz were Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Ellifritz, Hagerstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lipscomb visited Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Gallagher in Cumberland.

In addition to the course, Humanities Forums on Popular Culture will be held for the public, one each month.

Seven Births Listed

Three girls and four boys were born during the first nine days of the new year.

On January 5, a daughter, the first baby of the new year, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ray Guthrie, Deer Park. Mrs. Guthrie is the former Betty Irene Knox.

Later that day, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Gank, Oakland. The mother is the former Linda Susanne Klasick.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Glavis Landisler, Rural Route, Terra Alta, on the 5th. The mother, who died the following day, was the former Stella Louise Bowser.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Junior Lewis, Oakland, became the parents of a daughter January 7. Mrs. Lewis is the former Marie Grace Bohon.

Also on the 7th, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lee Lewis, Horse Shoe Run, W. Va. Mrs. Lewis is the former Debra Lynn Rizer.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rodney W. Tichinel, Swanton, on January 9. The mother was formerly Debbie Ann McPhail.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Patrick Giotfelty, Mt. Lake Park, became the parents of a daughter January 9. The mother is the former Debora Kay Smith.

There were 51 admissions and 37 discharges during the week. Census this morning was 59 patients.

Sheriff's Dept.

Investigating Breaking, Enterings

The Garrett County Sheriff's Department was called to answer several complaints during the past week, most concerning breakings and enterings.

Dr. William Rossen reported that between December 2 and January 5 someone had entered his residence on Harvey's Peninsula. Alcoholic beverages appeared to be the only items missing, with a total loss value set at \$20.

Andy Snyder, Crellin, told the department that someone had entered his trailer between December 24 and January 1, and had removed articles of clothing, particularly suits, from a bedroom closet. Total loss value was estimated at \$675.

Wayne Carnahan, Alt House

Hill, near Gorman, reported that between December 4 and January 6, his trailer had been entered. Missing were items of silverware, a clock radio, and two jackets, with a total value of \$155. Some damage was done to the interior of the residence during entry.

A destruction of property incident was reported by Kenneth Peck, Star Route 1, Oakland, this week. Mr. Peck told police that someone had entered his home through the kitchen window, breaking a storm window and causing damage to the frame. No items appeared to be missing from the home. Amount of damage was set at \$10.

Mountaintop Is Hit By New Blizzard

Blizzard conditions slowed activities on the Mountaintop the first part of the week. Yesterday the sun was shining in a clear sky but the wind was still very cold. Gale force winds caused considerable

drifting. Schools were closed part of the day Monday and all day Tuesday. The past week brought back memories of last winter.

One-way traffic occurred in spots at times on County roads and State Routes 495, 42, 211 south of Oakland, and on Route 50. According to spokesmen of both departments no other particular difficulties were encountered. There was some difficulty involving county equipment, getting it started due to the extreme low temperatures and high winds. The wind chill factor dropped to about 67 degrees below zero Tuesday morning.

Schools closed early Monday and were closed all day Tuesday. Yesterday morning they opened an hour late.

Last Thursday was mostly cloudy becoming overcast later in the day with snow by evening. About two inches fell overnight. Friday was cloudy all day. Saturday morning was cloudy with fog and a haze

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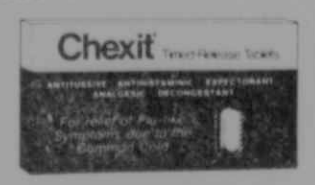
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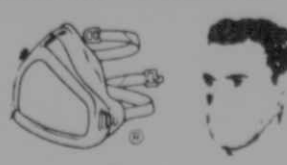
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FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

Filing for Office
Incumbents who filed with the Clerk-Treasurer at the library in the past weeks for the election to be held on Tuesday, February 14, from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. are Mayor, Carol Rush; Councilmen, Carl Lettters, R. Eugene Sines, and Ross Selby. Councilmen to serve for one more year are Charley Miller, R. O. McCullough and James Spear.

Registration for anyone who has not previously registered may do so on Monday, February 6, from 4-7 p.m. at the library. Persons desiring to register must be residents of Friendsville for six months, 18 years of age or older, and a resident of Maryland for one year.

Rangerettes to Meet
Rangerette Unit 135 of the W.O.W. will meet on Saturday, January 14, at noon at Blooming Rose Methodist Church social room, weather permitting.

Homemakers to Meet
Mrs. Julia Skidmore will entertain members of the Homemakers Club on Thursday, January 19, at 1:30 p.m.

Rotary News
The Rotary meeting was cancelled on Monday, January 9, due to weather conditions. Dr. Raymond McCullough will have the program on Monday,

January 15, at Hamburger House.

U.M.Y.F. Meets
The United Methodist Youth Fellowship met Sunday evening at the Selbysport church with nineteen young people and Mrs. Carol Frazee, counselor, present. The Friendsville youth won the attendance banner. Arlene Guard gave the devotional program, followed by group singing. Newly-elected President Greg Friend, conducted the business session. Committees were selected to make plans for a Youth Service and for future activities. The group will go swimming on Sunday, January 22, at the Wisp. The February 5 meeting will be at Blooming Rose Methodist Church. Refreshments were served by Cindy and Denise Friend.

L.C.W. Meets
Lutheran Church Women met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Elsie Savage with six members attending. Mrs. Sherry Couch, President, presided at the business session and Mrs. Dorothy Spear had the program on "One With God" with all members participating. The February meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Lillian Bates with Mrs. Bernadine Friend having the topic. Refreshments

were served.

Baptist Missionary Meeting Cancelled
Rush Baptist Missionary society meeting was cancelled Monday evening due to weather conditions, and will be held on February 6, at the home of Mrs. Richard Selby.

Rangers Meet
Ranger Unit 133 of the W.O.W. met Friday evening at the Schroyer Building with thirteen members and three adults attending. An election of officers was held with the following elected: Past President, Bobby Fisher; President, Jimmy Fox; Vice President, Junior Friend; Watchman, David Lowdermilk; Sentry, Richard Sines; Escort, Lyndon Friend; Jr. Secretary, Fred Fox, Jr.; Treasurer, Jimmy Siler; Musician, Brian Friend. Installation of officers was conducted by Ernest Savage, Unit Leader and Field Representative of W.O.W. Rangers plan to go bowling at Paramount, January 21. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Honored on Birthday
Mr. and Mrs. Clay Mayles and son, Oakland, were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Friend. They presented Mr. Friend with a decorated cake and a gift to honor his 74th birthday.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Selby visited from Friday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross J. Selby and son, Edgewater, and with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fike and family, Mt. Airy.

Dewey Delaney, Grantsville, and Miss Anita Skidmore, McHenry, were Sunday guests of her grandmother, Mrs. Julia Skidmore.

Mrs. Macie Goehring returned home Friday after being a patient at Garrett Memorial Hospital. She suffered a broken ankle recently.

Mrs. Annetta Grove spent Saturday and Sunday with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Coddington, Loch Lynn Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Miller and Eddie were Wednesday dinner guests of her sister and family, Mrs. Mary Cooper, at Lonaconing.

Miss Penny Friend spent several days with Miss Linda Bowman, Washington, D.C., with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitman and family, Floberville, and a Monday overnight guest of her brother, Terry Friend, in Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Thomas and daughter, Kingwood, W. Va., were Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Thelda Frazee and family. Mr. and Mrs. Webster Herring, Hagerstown, were Wednesday overnight guests at the Frazee home. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Criss, Markleysburg, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaffer, Uniontown, Pa.; Mrs. Damon Bishoff, Cuzzart, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Livengood, Bruceton, W. Va.; Myron Livengood, Morgantown; Mr. and Mrs. David Livengood, Hoyes; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupp, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Livengood, Mrs. Troy Fike and Mrs. Lillian Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Savage, White Rock, were Sunday visitors at the Frazee home and sang hymns for the elderly there.

Mr. and Mrs. David Martin, Oakland, were Saturday overnight guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friend. Other Sunday dinner guests were Bonnie Cowen and Glen Schlossagle, Accident, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Evans and family, Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Margroff, Cove, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Teets, Bruceton, were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Elsie Savage and Harry. Evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Clay Bosley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and sons, Grantsville; Mrs. Lucy Thomas and Ralph Thomas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. David Davis, Accident, were Sunday afternoon callers of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Fike.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thomas were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Schroyer and daughters at Hagerstown. Their mother, Mrs. Margaret Rush, returned to her home here with the Thomas' after a two-week vacation with the Schroyers. Dean is slowly improving at his home, Rt. 6, Box 193 M, Hagerstown, 21740.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Schroyer returned home after a holiday vacation with their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kelly, Timonium, and Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan, Baltimore. The Schroyers were Wednesday evening callers of his sister, Mrs. Blanche Lowellen, Elder Hill. Tom Sines was a Thursday caller of the Schroyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Friend, Frazee Ridge, Curtis Friend, Mrs. James Ross and Karen and Mrs. Patricia Schmidt were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Friend. Mrs. F. C. Couch and daughters, Rt. 40, were Tuesday dinner guests of her parents, the Friends.

Mrs. Bessie Frantz, Buffalo Run, was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Jessie Rush and Robert at Rush.

Heart Association Plans Education Dinner February 1

The sixth annual Educational Dinner sponsored by the Western Maryland Chapter of the American Heart Association will be held Wednesday, February 1, at 6:30 p.m. at Hill Top Inn, Route 40.

David M. Evans, project coordinator for the CPR training program for the public, will be one of two principal speakers, with his topic to be "Motivation to Learn CPR."

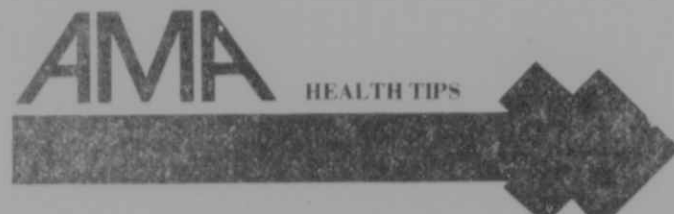
Harold J. Cordts, Ed. D., president of the Western Maryland Chapter, will address the group on "Physical Fitness and Heart Disease."

Dr. Cordts is head of the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation at Frostburg State College.

All guests at the dinner will have the opportunity to have their blood pressure checked. Shirley Hinebaugh and Charley B. Miller are general co-chairmen for the 1978 Heart Fund drive. Assisting with planning the dinner are Fred A. Holliday, president of the Grantsville Rotary club; Bradley A. Stewart, president of the Oakland Rotary club; and B. O. Aiken, president of the Friendsville Rotary club.

Anyone wishing to attend the dinner should contact one of the above for information, or write to the Western Maryland chapter, P. O. Box 1114, 551 N. Centre Street, Cumberland. Cost is \$5 for each reservation.

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In a positive sense, health includes abundant energy and vitality. A healthy person is physically fit when he can perform his daily work and tasks without undue fatigue, maintain adequate reserves of energy to enjoy recreational activities and leisure, and meet the challenge of unexpected demands. These might be running to catch a train, quickly climbing several flights of stairs, shoveling snow, or jacking up the car to change a tire.

Can you go up several flights of stairs without severe discomfort, chest pain, or having to stop before you reach the top? You would expect to be puffing a little at the top, but this should subside in a few minutes if you are reasonably fit.

The best exercise is doing something physically active which you enjoy, with the exercise aspect secondary. If you enjoy swimming or tennis, or handball, these are excellent sports for exercising most of the body. Golf is good for the tired businessman. Most of us find it difficult to exert the mental discipline to keep at a program of daily calisthenics purely for the sake of exercise.

If you have had little or no exercise for years, be cautious about plunging immediately into active sports. Work up to strenuous exercise gradually.

There are simple tests by which your doctor can determine the extent of your fitness. If you flunk the tests miserably

— and many of us will — then ask your doctor to prescribe a simple, daily exercise program to help you get back in shape.

HOYES

Several family members gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold DeWitt Sunday afternoon for a surprise house-warming for the DeWitts and Birthday party for their daughter Linda. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton DeWitt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brobst, Amy, Eric, Jesse and J. R., Mr. and Mrs. George Bishoff, Bill and Michael.

Accident Firemen

Called To Truck Fire

A 1977 Jeep pickup sustained extensive damage in a fire which occurred in the vehicle Sunday evening about 9:45 while the vehicle was being operated eastbound on Route 48 near Keyser Ridge.

The fire caused total loss of the engine and the cab area of the truck, property of Inter-

state Lumber Company. The blaze also caused some shot-gun shells to explode inside the truck, but there were no injuries.

Accident Volunteer fire department and the Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad responded to the scene. A spokesman for the fire company said due to the extent of damage, it was uncertain just how the blaze had started.

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Swanton Area — Mobile home on 2 acres of landscaped land. Many extras \$40,000.
Farm Farm — 5-room rancher, 3 bedrooms & bath, fireplace. House situated on very nice lot with commanding view of lake. Also 175' of lake frontage. Property includes 1969 stern drive boat, new dock & some furnishings in house. \$65,000.

McHenry — Masonry cottage featuring living room with fireplace, modern kitchen, spacious bedrooms, inc. large sleeping loft for 12. 2 baths, 91 ft. lake frontage. Located on Marsh Hill Road, 1 mile from Wisp Ski Area. \$54,000.

McHenry — (Commercial) 2-acre, corner lot with historic 7-room building. Bath, large deck, ideal retail location with room for expansion. Set at the intersection of Old Rt. 219 and Wisp Ski Area. \$59,000.

7 Lots approximately 2 miles from McHenry in Lumpopo area. \$2,000 per acre.

2.14 Acre Lot on Mosser Road near Community College. \$10,000.

2 Lots Side by Side — Each .57 acre. In Springwood Acres Development. \$2,500 each.

Green Glade Area — Lots with access to Lake. \$4,000 to \$5,500.

Hazelhurst — Two bedroom winterized cottage with beautiful view of lake. Includes partial lakefront lot with dock. \$25,000.

Hazelhurst — Cedar chalet, 2 bedrooms, sleeping loft, cathedral ceiling, stone fireplace, full basement, beautiful view of lake from large sun deck. Deeded lake access nearby. Winterized. \$43,500.

Sky Valley — Lot 115' x 196' deep. \$6,000.

GRANTSVILLE AREA

Lower New Germany Rd. — 6-room brick veneered rancher with attached garage, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, total electric house, fully carpeted, situated on large lot \$39,250.

Grant St. — Large brick rancher has 3 bedrooms, tiled bath, large living with fireplace, kitchen & utility room. Has approximately 1500 sq. ft. of living space with oak floors & trim, plastered ceilings & walls. Gas hot water heat. Attached 2-car garage. Enclosed breezeway opens into large flagstone patio. Situated on a large landscaped corner lot. \$47,500.

Avilton — Lonaconing Rd. — 2-story, brick, stone & frame dwelling, 4 rooms, 2 baths, 3 bedrooms, complete equipped kitchen, large living room/dining room combination, family room, carpeting, drapes, fuel oil hot water heat. Attached paneled garage. Situated on large corner lot with outside stone patio & fireplace. House completely remodeled in very good taste. \$45,000.

Finkel Rd. — 42' x 31' concrete block foundation with well & septic, on 1/2 acre lot. Finished foundation presently occupied. \$9,000.

Finkel Rd. — Aluminum **SOLD** me, 3 bedrooms, bath, refrigerator, range, carpet, 2nd large lot. \$7,500.

Chestnut Ridge — 5-room brick rancher, oak floors, total electric heat, 2 storage buildings. Situated on a 1.13 acre lot with view. \$43,000.

ACCIDENT

Bittinger Brethren Church Rd. — Located in Emerald Valley Estates. New construction. 6-room modular rancher, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement, radiant electric heat. Situated on 150' x 200' lot. \$39,400.

COMMERCIAL

Grantsville — 2.3 acre corner lot, 200' road frontage. Located at the Chestnut Ridge Interchange, U.S. Rt. 48. Adjacent to proposed site of Holiday Inn. Price on inquiry.

Commercial Investment — Lot Size 200' x 500'. Located at the Chestnut Ridge Intersection of U.S. Rt. 48. Price on inquiry.

Grantsville — Service Station & Restaurant. Highly profitable operation. Large gas volume. Includes masonry building. Situated on 1 acre corner lot at the intersection of Rt. 40 & Rt. 219 North, just off Interstate 48. Owner financing available. Particulars on inquiry.

Keyser Ridge — 3-acre corner lot. Ideal location for motel, truck stop or service station. Fronting on U.S. Rt. 40, adjacent to U.S. 219 South and the U.S. 48/Keyser Ridge interchange. Price on inquiry.

LAND/ACREAGE

64 Acre Farm, Bittinger — 1 1/2 miles east of Rt. 495 on the Frank Breneman Rd. **SOLD** farmhouse, barn, stock pond. Fresh water, stone borders farm. 1/2 of farm adjacent to State Forest. \$60,500.

8.2 Vacant Acres on Rt. 40. Four miles east of Grantsville by New Germany Exit of Rt. 48. \$29,000.

140-Acre Tree Farm — Located on Beall School Rd. 2 separate dwellings. Price on inquiry.

Rt. 40 West of Grantsville — Near Pa. Line. 30 acres with large farm house, barn, silo, pond. \$59,500.

Rt. 40 Near Keyser Ridge — 8-room and bath frame dwelling on 3 acres. \$25,000.

Rt. 40 Near Keyser Ridge — 12 beautiful acres with good frontage. \$18,000.

157 Acres Wooded — Located on the Oakland-Sang Run Rd. between the Power Plant & Sang Run. Approximately 1200' of road frontage. Property located on both sides of road & property is also located on both sides of the Youghiogheny River. \$600 per acre.

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Salisbury — 157 Ord. St. 10-room house located on large landscaped corner lot with detached garage. Located within walking distance to all town facilities. Excellent wood working qualities in house. \$38,600.

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Assessment Answers

By James Burley

One of the year's most controversial issues facing lawmakers and citizens is that of tax assessment. Beginning this week, we will feature an objective, question-and-answer column written by James Burley in cooperation with the State Department of Assessments and Taxation, which is designed to answer many questions common to property owners.

Tell me what I can do for relief, now that my property assessment for this year has been increased by more than 15%?

There is a law in effect for the taxable year 1978-1979, that grants a homeowners' tax credit against the county, Baltimore City, or municipal property taxes imposed by that jurisdiction on real property.

The law provides that if an assessment on a dwelling increases by more than 15% from that of last year, the legal owner of the dwelling will be entitled to a tax credit for the amount that exceeds the 15%. The tax credit will be granted if these conditions were met during the previous calendar year:

1. The property was not transferred to new ownership;
2. There was no change in the zoning classification resulting in an increased value of the property;
3. A substantial change did not occur in the use of the property;
4. Extensive improvements were not made; and
5. If for the previous taxable year, the assessment was

not clearly erroneous.

Also, the dwelling must be your principal residence, and you must reside in it for more than 6 months of a 12-month period, including July 1, 1978, unless unable to do so by reason of illness or need of special care.

Generally, the taxing authority will include the tax credit in calculating the property tax bill. If the credit is not included, you should apply directly to the taxing authority, requesting that credit be granted on the tax bill or that the amount of the credit be refunded to you if the tax has been paid.

I am about to have a hearing on my appeal of an increase on the assessment of my home. What information should I have on hand to present a strong case at the hearing?

Two suggestions might help you. First, concentrate on those points that are pertinent to the value of your home. Second, avoid wasting your time discussing subjects that are not directly related to your assessment.

Try to acquire beforehand sales information of properties in your neighborhood that are comparable to yours. You can get this information by drawing from your own knowledge

of what is going on in the neighborhood or through your local realtor. You can also ask the assessor to share the sales information that has been compiled. You can obtain from the assessment office a copy of the assessor's work sheet which has been used in computing your assessment. You might review this for possible errors in calculations which could have an effect on your assessment. Are there any adverse interior or exterior features of your property. If there are, be sure to bring these to the attention of the assessor or hearing officer. Also, you may have sustained a property loss through a fire or some other casualty that is unknown to the assessor.

The time allowed for your hearing will probably be limited, especially if there is a heavy agenda. Do not discuss unrelated matters; such as, previous assessments, ground rents, expenditures of tax dollars, possible changes in zoning, residences in other localities, etc. The assessor may be sympathetic, but he cannot do anything about them.

The important thing to remember is that your current assessment should reflect 50% of the market value of your property which you can judge fairly accurately by the selling prices of other properties in your neighborhood.

Questions or letter of general interest on assessments and

the property tax should be addressed to "Assessment Answers — James Burley" in care of this newspaper. They will be answered through this column to the extent that space allows.

This column was written with the co-operation of the Maryland State Department of Assessments and Taxation.

4-H Skate-A-Thon Slated Saturday

A 4-H Skate-A-Thon and Roller Skating Party will be held this Saturday, January 14, at the Tri-Roller Rink, Oakland, for members, their families and friends, who are invited to skate anytime between 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Cost will be \$1.00 for skaters, \$5.00 for skate rental, and \$5.00 for spectators.

Individuals participating in the Skate-A-Thon are urged to make contacts for their pledges prior to the skating on Saturday.

Prizes for the first and second place individuals securing the most money through pledges will be \$15.00 and \$10.00 respectively. All money must be turned into the 4-H Office by 4:30 p.m. on January 31 to be eligible.

This skating activity is the first in a series of fund-raising activities sponsored by the 4-H teens participating in an Exchange Program with Nebraska during July 1978.

For details on the skating party, contact the 4-H office, Oakland.

Extension Service Schedules Two Embroidery Classes

The January Leisure Time Update series on "Embroidery" will be presented by the Cooperative Extension Service at Northern High School on January 23, from 7 to 9 p.m., and at the Garrett Community College Oakland Center January 24 from 7 to 9 p.m.

Participants will be involved in practicing 12 basic embroidery stitches, under the direction of instructors Helen Harman, Maxine Gibson, Alice Hevner, and Jane Rentschler. The workshop is designed for individuals of all ages who are interested in learning to embroider. Participants should bring the following materials: creel yarn or embroidery floss, plain woven fabric (for practice), embroidery hoop, creel or embroidery needles, and scissors.

For further information, contact the Garrett County Cooperative Extension Service.

COVE

Many relatives and friends from this community were callers at the Humbert Funeral Home in Confluence due to the death of Earl George, Addison, who died late Tuesday night at the Veterans' Hospital, Pittsburgh. The funeral was held on Saturday at St. John's Lutheran Church, Addison and burial was in the Addison Cemetery. The deceased was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Melchoir George, Keyser Ridge.

William Harman returned to his home here on Saturday after being a patient at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, since Wednesday. He is scheduled to return to the hospital in February.

Earl Hanft is a patient at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, for tests and observation for a few days.

Walter Collier was a Saturday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, LaVale. John took Walter to Cumberland Saturday to visit with his wife, Mrs. Dora Collier, who has been moved from the Manor Care Nursing Home in Wheaton, Md., to the Cumberland Nursing Home at Williams and Winifred Road, Cumberland. John was an overnight guest of Walter at his home here and returned to his own home in LaVale on Sunday.

Visitors of Mrs. Rosa Reichenbecher and son, Robert, at York, Pa., were Mrs. Iva Rush, Mims, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Glover, York, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bernard, Swanton; and Charles Ringer. Mrs. Charles Ringer returned to her home here with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard on Sunday after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Reichenbecher in York, since her discharge from the hospital. She continues to show improvement.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Everett McClintock, Mr. and Mrs. Luther McClintock, Mr. and Mrs. Gary McClintock and sons Jeff and Steve, and Mr. and Mrs. Emerson McClintock and family. The occasion was to celebrate the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Smith and Everett McClintock.

Scott Schwing was in Frederick on Saturday to attend the state conference of the Governor's Youth Advisory Council. His mother, Mrs. Melvin Schwing and son, Skip, spent a few days with Mrs. Robert Carr, Fairview, W. Va.

Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Oren Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bender and family.

Mrs. Homer Deniker and granddaughter, Melanie, were Wednesday visitors of Mrs. Mary Zinkan, Accident.

Visitors of Edward Hachman and Mrs. Clara McRobie were

David Hachman and friend, McKeesport, and Ralph Kolb-fleisch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hetz and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glass were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Georg and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Moser. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts have returned to their home in Rocky River, Ohio, after spending a week's vacation here with Mr. and Mrs. Glass and other relatives.

Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Margroff were Miss Pam Beachy, Confluence; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Margroff and Hubert Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Dollie Hunter, Confluence. A Saturday visitor of the Hockmans was Lee Bowser, Friendsville.

Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Emerson McClintock and family.

Mrs. Edith Butler was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Richter. Mr. and Mrs. Richter and daughters were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richter, Accident.

Darrell Friend, Washington, D.C., was a weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hockman and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Wiley, Grantsville.

A weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gary McClintock was Joe Friend. The McClintocks took Miss Donna McClintock to Morgantown on Sunday, where she is attending West Virginia University.

Geologist Claims Winters To Get Colder and Colder

CINCINNATI (UPI) — You may as well get used to the bitter cold weather now plaguing much of the nation because winters are going to get colder gradually throughout your lifetime, a geologist says.

"It doesn't look good, not in our lifetime, and it's going to be even worse for future generations," said Madeleine Briskin of the University of Cincinnati, who specializes in researching long-range weather cycles.

"We're entering a 'Little Ice Age' and it's my opinion we could have glaciers moving into the northern part of America in 1,000 years."

While the thought of a glacier possibly swallowing Cleveland 10 centuries from now is worth pondering, most people are more interested in knowing if they're going to shiver through winters the rest of their lives.

"Generally, in the immedi-

ate future we're going to have more severe winters and cooler summers," Ms. Briskin said. "There probably will be some variation — it might get slightly warmer one winter — but we should not be deceived by these variations. Overall, it's going to get colder."

Ms. Briskin says nothing has gone "wrong" with the weather, it's just that we happen to be living during a cold cycle.

"Research has shown there are repetitious cycles of weather, so extremely cold winters are not unusual, it's just another cycle coming around."

"Temperatures rose from the turn of the century until around 1940 when the cycle began to reverse. Now we're having less arctic ice melt and we're having a systematic displacement of arctic air southward."

As a result, winters not only will be colder, but longer, Ms. Briskin said.

"We're getting to the point where we may start losing a month of so-called autumn

weather," she said. "The warmer weather is deteriorating."

Although there are several theories on what controls overall weather cycles, Ms. Briskin believes astronomical variations relating to the orbit of the earth and the tilt of the axis are the "ultimate causes."

"Even though the theories on the cause may vary, almost all

my colleagues agree we're entering a cold phase," added Ms. Briskin. "Coupled with energy problems and dwindling natural resources, this colder weather could create a really tragic situation unless people become aware of it and something is done at the government level."

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Maryland State Ski Championship Held At Wisp

The Wisp Ski Area was the site of the Maryland State Championship Slalom Ski Race last Saturday, January 7. Approximately 50 racers from the tri-state area competed in the event which was sponsored by the Wisp Ski Club and the Eastern Regional Ski Association.

Races were held in eight different divisions. The best time of the day was recorded in the Junior I boys' division by Bob Kastenbaum, of Potomac, Md.

Heidi Vosbeck, of Alexandria, Va., won the Junior I girls' division, and Margaret Steitz, Latrobe, Pa., placed first in the Junior II girls' division.

Scott Geisler, Pittsburgh, won the Junior II boys' class, and Craig McCordic, Potomac, won the Junior III boys' division.

The only Garrett County racer to win a division was Jon Umbel, of McHenry, in the Junior IV boys' division.

In the senior division, Donald Walk, Arlington, Va.; Michael McCordic, Potomac; and Herb Lewis, Columbia, were the top runners.

Greg Hough, Pittsburgh, placed first in the National Division.

Mt. Top Shufflebowl Standings Listed

As of January 4, Storey's Lunch was in first place in the Mt. Top Shufflebowlers' League with a record of 69 wins and 12 losses. Sportsman's Bar was in second place with 42 wins and 39 losses, followed by Rustic Inn, 38-43, and in last place was Little Henry's, with a record of 11 wins and 70 losses.



WINNERS in the Maryland State Slalom Ski Championships held Saturday at Wisp are left to right, front row, Maggie Steitz, Ligonier, Pa.; Heidi Vosbeck, Alexandria, Va.; Jon Umbel, McHenry; and Scott Geisler, Pittsburgh. Second row,

Mike McCordic, Potomac; Donald Walk, Washington, D. C.; Bob Kastenbaum, Potomac; Greg Hough, Pittsburgh; and Herb Lewis, Columbia.

Free Ski Day Set At New Germany

The second annual free cross country ski day at New Germany State Park has been scheduled Sunday, January 22, sponsored by the Hudson Bay Outfitters, Ltd. of Gaithersburg.

The ski day is planned from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. to include a warming fire, cross country ski films, free ski information, free cold weather safety hints and trail maps.

There is no charge for the use of ski equipment provided by Hudson Bay Outfitters Ltd.

Many people are expected, so ski time may be limited.

There are no camping facilities available at New Germany at this time of year; however, camping is available in Big Run and Swallow Falls state parks and nearby private camps.

A food concession will be in the park, sponsored by the Grantsville Area Jaycees, and will offer hot drinks, cold drinks, soups and sandwiches.

Anyone desiring to ski should bring a pair of heavy socks.

Maryland Park Service and Maryland Forest Service Personnel will be on duty to answer questions and assist in parking.

Huskies Notch Victory Over Oldtown

The Northern High Huskies got back on the winning track Friday night, scoring an 83-72 victory over visiting Oldtown.

Tony Doerr fired for 31 points and grabbed 20 rebounds to pace the way for the Huskies. Teammates Bill Bender and Jim Spear hit 17 and 15 points, respectively, and Jamie Workman was credited with eight assists for Coach Harv Speicher's squad. Workman also added eight points.

Doerr hit 11 shots from the floor and connected on 9 of 19 at the foul line. The Huskies outshot Oldtown from the field 31 to 27 and made good 21 of 40 from the line, compared to a 18 for 30 effort by the visitors. Don Riggelman, who hit 15 for Oldtown, fouled out of the contest, as did Northern's Spear.

Oldtown's scoring was paced by Greg Keister with 16, leading four other Oldtown players who reached double

figures. Riggelman had 15, Bill McMillan hit 13, and Mark Hodel and Wayne Mitchell each chipped in 11 points.

Northern held comfortable leads at the quarters with scores of 19-14, 45-32 and 64-48.

The Huskies were to face Bruceton Mills Tuesday, but the game had to be postponed due to inclement weather.

Oldtown	G	F	A	P	T
Don Riggelman	7	1	2	5	15
Greg Keister	6	4	7	4	16
Mark Hodel	4	3	6	3	11
Greg Robinson	0	2	2	3	2
Andy McKenzie	2	0	1	2	4
Bill McMillan	5	3	5	5	13
Wayne Mitchell	3	5	7	3	11
Bobby Shaffer	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	27	18	30	28	72

Northern	G	F	A	P	T
Jamie Workman	2	4	1	8	2
Marlin Schrock	6	2	2	2	2
Tony Doerr	11	9	10	4	31
Jim Spear	7	1	2	5	15
Bill Bender	6	5	6	3	17
Jeff Kamp	2	0	2	3	6
Phil Workman	0	0	3	0	0
Scott Schwing	0	1	3	1	1
Tim Miller	1	0	0	0	2
Ken Bowman	0	1	2	1	1
Totals	31	21	40	22	83

Par-Matt Lanes Games Activities

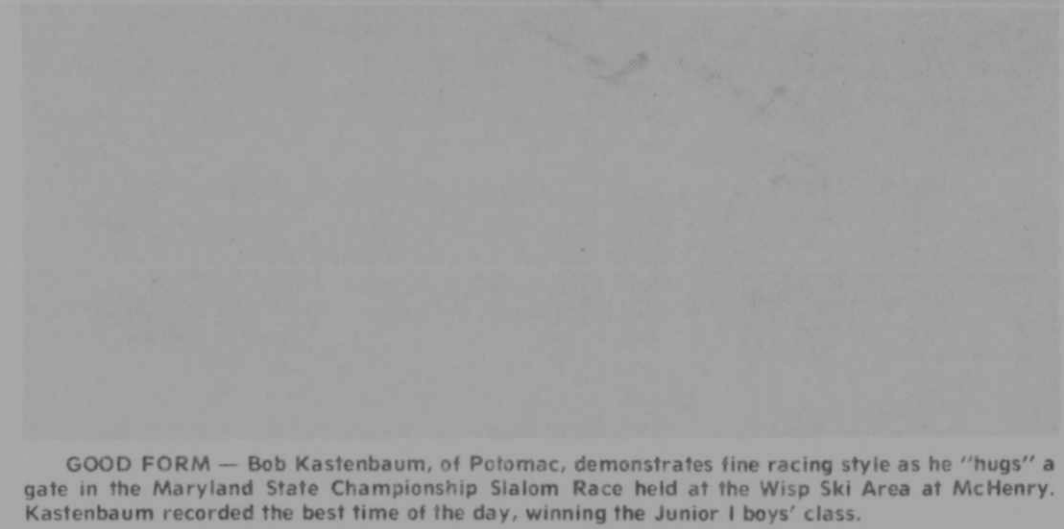
League Action continued this week at Par-Matt Lanes.

In the Mt. Op Men's League, Tail Ends were in first place, followed by Beachy Lumber Co. and Lewis Building. High team series was won by Beachy Lumber Co. with 2361, Tail Ends were second with 2355 and Shirers were third with 2335. The Beachy Lumber Co. took the high team game with 1033, followed by H-P Stores with 1027 and Lions Club and Shirers tied for third, rolling a 1022. Ken Sisler rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 617, Dave Parsons was second with 611 and Bill Sharps was third with 584. High individual game was won by Don Parsons with 248 followed by Bill Sharps with 224 and in third place was Ken Sisler and John Bernard, each rolling a 220.

In the Thursday Early Mixed League, Island Creek Early Birds were in first place,

followed by Oakland Coin Laundry and Road Runners. High team series was won by Pin Busters with 3005, Clippers were second with 3000 and Unpredictables were third with 2940. The Unpredictables took the high team game with 1060, followed by Pin Busters with 1038, Pin Busters were also third, rolling 1027. George Hebb rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 568, Bob Llewellyn was second with 557 and Tony Sullivan was third with 543. High individual game was won by Melvin Rhodes with 215 followed by George Hebb with 206 and in third place was Tony Sullivan and Don Butler, each rolling 204. In the Ladies' action Edith Llewellyn rolled the high individual series with 539, followed by Norma Dilgard with 515 and Mary Leighton was third rolling 480. High individual game was won by Edith Llewellyn who rolled a 197, followed by Norma Dilgard in second place with 194 and in third place was Edith Llewellyn, who rolled a 191.

In the Cream Fuff League,



GOOD FORM — Bob Kastenbaum, of Potomac, demonstrates fine racing style as he "hugs" a gate in the Maryland State Championship Slalom Race held at the Wisp Ski Area at McHenry. Kastenbaum recorded the best time of the day, winning the Junior I boys' class.



I MADE IT! — Jim Recker, McHenry, appeared to be slightly exhausted after his run through the slalom course at Wisp. Jim placed second in his division. At right is timekeeper, Ann Elliott, Oakland.

BuildUps were in first place, followed by Rip Offs and Head Hunters. High team series was won by Rip Offs with 2163, Build Ups were second with

2109 and Head Hunters were third with 1960. The Rip Offs took the high team game with 752, followed by Build Ups with 717 and Rip Offs was third, rolling 710. Bonnie Zimmerman rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring

515, Cheryl Landis was second with 507 and Isabelle Terrant was third with 453. High individual game was won by Cheryl Landis with 209, followed by Bonnie Zimmerman with 186 and in third place was Jean Peterman, who rolled a 167.



Bill Ashby, Oakland, negotiates a gate on the "face."



Bill Elliott, Oakland, zooms through the gates and down the face of the mountain at Wisp. Elliott placed third in his division.



Mike McCordic, Potomac, races through the fog to capture first place in his division.



Donald Walk, of Arlington, Va., placed first in the senior division.



HOOP SHOOT WINNERS — Pictured are winners in the local competition of the annual Hoop Shoot basketball contest sponsored by the BPO Elks Clubs of America. The free throw contest was held January 7 at Garrett Community College and was sponsored locally by Elks Club #2481, Oakland. Placing first in their respective age groups are, left to right, Vickie Dilgard, student at Loch Lynn Elementary, 8-9 age group; Doug Smith, student at Broad Ford Elementary, 8-9 age group; Jimmie Flanagan, student at Southern Middle School, 10-11 age group; Becky DeWitt, student at Accident Elementary, 10-11 age group; Donna Ringer, student at Northern High School, 12-13 age group; and Todd Lewis, student at Southern Middle School, 12-13 age group. These winners will now compete in the West District finals on January 22 at Frederick Community College.

GCC Lakers Drop Two Close Ones, Then Defeat Indiana Jayvees, 73-71

The Garrett Community College Lakers ended a three-game road trip on a pleasing note last night by nipping the Indiana, Pa., University Jayvees, 73-71.

The first of the three road games was last Friday evening and was decided in the final two seconds when Chuck Lisbon sunk a 20-footer to lift Bay College to a 64-62 victory over the Lakers in an American Division JUCO game.

Lisbon led all scorers on the evening with a total of 23 points on 10 goals and a near-perfect 5 for 6 effort from the foul line.

GCC was down at the half by three, 36-33, on another buzzer shot by Bay's Huntley. Wally Ziminski paced the Lakers' scoring with 15 points while Kevin Liller hit 14 and John Guadagnino added 12.

The loss dropped the Lakers' record to 8-4.

Bad luck seemed to follow as the Lakers traveled to Catonsville on Saturday evening and dropped another contest by two points, 73-71.

The loss was attributed to the unavailability of point guard Dave McPherson, (out due to injury), committing 30 turnovers, shooting a poor percentage from the floor and hitting only 68% from the foul line. The Lakers went into the contest shooting 54% from the field and managed to hit only 26 of 62 attempts for 42%.

Catonsville outshot Garrett from the floor 32 to 26. The Lakers made up most of the difference at the foul line, making good 19 of 28.

Coach Paul Holzshu said a team should hit 80% from the foul line. "This is an area in which we must improve," he lamented.

Al Simmons was the game's leading scorer with 21 points on nine field goals and three for three from the line. Buddy Hall finished with 18 for the winners.

Former Southern High School standout, Ken Niner, led the scoring for the cold-shooting Lakers with 19 points, followed by Wally Ziminski with 17, Kevin Liller, 11 and John Guadagnino, hitting ten.

The Lakers held a 33-32 lead at the half.

Catonsville broke a 71-71 tie with a field goal with 20 seconds remaining on the

clock. Garrett then took the ball down the floor, missed on a field goal attempt, and fouled in the process. The Cardinals failed to convert the foul shot, but the Lakers ran out of time before getting off a shot.

The Lakers' JUCO Conference record fell to 2-4 and their season record dropped to 8-5.

The momentum finally shifted for the Lakers last night at Indiana, however, as they overcame a 12-point deficit with 12 minutes remaining to be played.

The Lakers rallied in the final minutes of the game to pull out the win, led by Kevin Liller, Bill McGarvey, Ken Niner and Wally Ziminski.

Garrett outshot Indiana from the floor by a narrow 29-28 margin. Both teams converted 15 free throws, the Lakers in 26 attempts and Indiana in 19.

Liller finished as the high scorer for the game, netting 24 points on nine field goals and six for seven at the line. McGarvey followed with 14 points, Niner added a 12 and Ziminski, ten.

Jerry Bailey paced the Indiana cagers with 16 points, while teammates Bob Canagan hit for 13 and Marty Hodonovich scored 12.

Indiana led at the half by six, 36-33, and the home team maintained that lead until the final 12 minutes when Garrett assumed the momentum.

The Lakers were still without point guard, Dave McPherson, who is out indefinitely with a pulled tendon of the knee.

Garrett will be back home this Saturday night against Hagerstown Junior College and at the Fayette campus of Penn State Monday night.

Garrett CC G F PFT
John Guadagnino 2 10 15
Kevin Liller 9 6 7 24
Neal Rice 1 5 7 17
Ken Niner 4 0 1 12
Wally Ziminski 5 9 6 10
Pete Bronson 0 1 2 0
Bill McGarvey 4 2 4 14
Rick Phillips 0 0 1 2 0
Totals 29 15 24 73

Indiana JV's G F PFT
Jerry Bailey 6 4 6 18
Greg Barker 0 2 2 2
Todd Evans 4 0 0 4
Marty Hodonovich 4 0 0 12
Bob Canagan 4 5 4 12
Albert Frank 3 0 0 4
John Carter 0 3 4 3
Mark Routh 1 0 0 2
Ron Urie 4 1 2 9
John Abrahamovich 0 0 0 1 0
Totals 28 15 17 73

Halftime score: Indiana 35, Garrett 33

Southern Rams Net Conference Win

The Southern High Rams notched their fifth win of the season Friday night against the Elk Garden Stags, easily rolling over the visitors, 76-54.

Steve Liller led five Rams in double figures, hitting 18 points on eight fielders and two for two from the foul line. Steve's cousin, Todd Liller, and Joe DiSimone each added 13 points, Reggie Messenger hit for 12, and Dave Kahl netted 11 in the winning effort.

Southern held a 19-12 advantage at the end of the opening period and increased that lead to 40-24 at the half. The Rams outshot the Stags from the floor two-to-one, netting 32 goals compared to 15 for the losers. The Stags avoided a total rout by connecting on 24 of 44 attempts from the foul line, compared to a 12 for 16 effort by the Rams. Kahl and Jim Simms both fouled out of the contest in the fourth quarter. Elk Garden's Moreland and Sowers also left the game after five personals.

Chuck Endler led the Stags scoring with 13 points, followed

by Dave Streets and Bob Parish who each connected for 11 tallies.

The Potomac Valley Conference victory raised the Rams season record to 5-4 and dropped the Stags to 1-3.

Southern was to return to action Tuesday night against host Petersburg, but the contest had to be postponed due to bad weather. The game has been rescheduled for Saturday evening, 7:00 p.m., at Petersburg.

Elk Garden G F PFT
Moreland 1 5 10 5 7
Sowers 2 3 7 5 7
Endler 4 5 6 11 3
D. Streets 3 5 9 0 11
Parish 4 3 4 5 3
Nelson 1 2 4 4 4
Brathwaite 0 0 1 2 0
Moore 0 1 2 0 1
Totals 15 24 47 54

Southern G F PFT
S. Liller 8 2 2 4 18
Bittinger 1 1 2 2 3
T. Liller 5 1 2 3 3
Kahl 4 3 3 11
DiSimone 5 3 3 4 13
Messenger 6 0 0 12
Stovel 1 0 1 2 2
Green 0 0 1 2 2
Stranger 0 0 0 5 0
Ehll 0 0 1 3 0
Simms 1 0 0 5 2
Totals 32 12 16 47 76

Score by Periods
Elk Garden 12 24 26 54
Southern 19 40 40 76

Huskie Matmen

Smash Rockwood, Central Preston

The Northern High wrestling team picked up its third win against two defeats and one tie by outscoring Rockwood (Pa.) and Central Preston in a triangular meet last Thursday at Northern.

The Huskies rolled up 102 points compared to 54 for Rockwood and 36 for Central. The Huskies scored a 44-18 win over the Pennsylvanians and smashed Central 58-6.

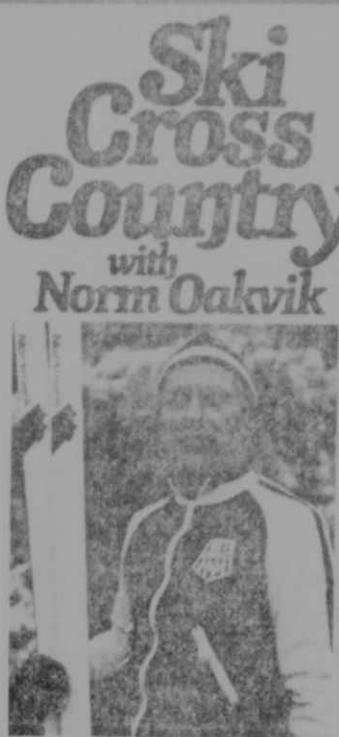
Don Gillum, Galen Kamp, Duane Bittinger, Randy Broadwater, Brent Breneman, Jack Garlitz, Tim Artice, Kurt Lear, Dave Frazee, Lenny Yommer, and William Wilt notched a total of 13 pins, five decisions and one default in the meet.

Don Gillum pinned Don Fletcher (R.) and dislodged E. Montgomery 16-0 (CP).
Galen Kamp pinned J. Ling (R.) pinned P. Ware (CP).
Duane Bittinger dislodged S. Bohrer (R.) dislodged P. Gracade (CP).
Randy Broadwater pinned B. Wood (R.) pinned B. Castel (CP).
Brent Breneman pinned J. Greaserowski (R.) pinned K. Hovetter (CP).
Jack Garlitz pinned J. Kramer (R.) pinned A. Western (CP).
Jim Warnick dislodged J. Pfeifer (R.) pinned G. Teets (CP).
Tim Artice pinned R. Augustine (R.) pinned M. Teets (CP).
Kurt Lear dislodged D. Hinkle (R.) pinned R. Shoul (CP).
Dave Frazee won by default over Rockwood pinned R. Harsh (CP).
Lenny Yommer dislodged by R. Carpenter 7-5 (R.) pinned by D. Thistlethwaite (CP).
William Wilt dislodged J. Warnick (CP), pinned by Mark Kitchner (R.).

Par-Matt Lanes

In the Civic League, Army-Navy was in first place, followed by Little Seven and 135 Meat Market. High team series was won by Browning's Foodland with 2953, M-M Body shop was second with 2936 and Ben's Plumbing and Heating was third with 2926. The Silver Knob 2 took the high team game with 1056, followed by 135 Meat Market with 1050 and M-M Body shop was third, rolling 1037. Jesse Gnegy rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 639, George Grimm was second with 595 and Bob Lewis was third with 580. High individual game was won by George Grimm with 244, followed by Ira Burns with 226.

In the Skirts League, Unpredictables were in first place, followed by Dreamers and Kingpins. High team series was won by Unpredictables with 2125, Screwballs were second with 2043 and Misfits were third with 2036. The Unpredictables took the high team game with 728, followed by Kingpins with 726 and Ball-babies were third, rolling 716. Pearl Parsons rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 511, Erna Stephens and Bessie Bowers were second with 499 and Lorraine Mason was third with 493. High individual game was won by Bessie Bowers with 204, followed by Pearl Parsons with 197 and in third place was Reba Herrington.



Norm Oakvik is the father of cross-country skiing in the Midwest. During his 35 years in "X-C" he has held several Nordic championships, including Special and Combined Cross Country in both Senior and Veterans classes and the North American Senior Special Cross Country Championship.

Norm is a U.S.S.A. Central Division Cross Country Coach and a founding member of the North Star Ski Touring Club, the nation's largest. He was the first coach of such outstanding skiers as Steve Riesch, Jim Belfanz and Doug Peterson, member of the current U.S. Olympic Cross Country Ski Team. Norm lives in Minneapolis and serves as Director of Research and Development for the Normark Corporation.

V — Dressing For Cross-Country

As in any other sport that requires freedom of movement for all parts of the body, cross-country skiing is best accomplished in clothing that does not restrict your actions. Outer clothing, particularly, should be light and loose-fitting for ease of movement, but not so baggy as to create cold spots.

Conversely, pants, sweaters or jackets that bind will soon make you wish you were back indoors.

Because X-C skiing generates high body heat, all of your clothing should breathe so as not to trap moisture which soon becomes cold and uncomfortable. Therefore, wool or several layers of cotton (which may be combined with the polyesters) is to be much preferred over nylon or pure synthetics. Because of that heat and the need to move freely, you'll soon discover that there's no reason for heavy mackinaws, parkas, etc.

Starting from the inside, it is best to build on a suit of long underwear; a combination of cotton or wool with polyester being an excellent base. Next:

a light wool turtleneck shirt and roomy trousers with a light breathable jacket (perhaps poplin) and, if you like, an extra jacket tied around the waist, for insurance. Wool socks are best, knee-length if you're wearing knickers, the traditional X-C pants. If you stick with long pants (bell-bottoms are definitely not recommended), thermal socks are both warm and comfortable.

We've talked about boots before. Sweat and moisture from melted snow are the enemy of the X-C skier. An inexpensive way to keep your feet warm and dry is to pull a pair of old tight-fitting socks right over your boots. Or invest in a pair of boot socks or gaiters. Gaiters come in various lengths and are a great comfort in the deep snow. Finally, take good care of your boots. Keep them polished or treated with a good waterproofing compound.

Some ski tourers prefer cross-country ski mitts; wool liners covered by a good leather palm. They are warmer than gloves but you sacrifice some feel of your ski poles. Here, let your own comfort be your guide. Knit wool stocking caps do nicely as headgear. In fact, about half of our heat loss occurs via the head. So select material that both breathes and is able to take up a good deal of perspiration. It might be well to tuck away an earband to complement your cap, lest a bitter wind overtake you on the cross-country trail.

Good accessories to carry are goggles (make sure they're well ventilated or you'll wind up in a fog!) or a pair of light plastic polaroid sunglasses. The frames of these won't freeze and adhere to your skin. Also: a fanny pack to strap around your waist for carrying sandwiches, snacks, extra ski wax, socks, etc.

Cross-country clothing, like the basic equipment, has grown in sophistication and utility. One-and-two-piece ski touring suits of brightly coordinated colors now identify the X-C skier and lend a flair that makes the sport even more colorful. Stay abreast of these styles as you ski cross-country.

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CRELLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntire and son, Stephen, of Baltimore, were recent weekend guests of Mrs. Paul McIntire and Mrs. Stephen Sanders.

Miss Brenda Fulk of Frederick spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fulk.

Mr. and Mrs. James White and son, Jarrod, and Mrs. Ruth White spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Moore at Clarksburg, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cathell, of Nutt Fort, W. Va., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Switzer and other relatives.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fulk and Mrs. Bessie Lowdermilk were Margaret Fulk, Oakland; Brenda Fulk, Frederick; Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeWitt and daughters, Laura and Amy, of Hutton; and Lisa Friend of Crellin. Saturday evening visitors were Mrs. Harry Kinsner, Crellin, and Mrs. Parke Tressler, of Mt. Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hinebaugh were last Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Meyers near Underwood. Sunday afternoon visitors of the Hinebaughs were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and daughter of near Terra Alta, W. Va.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carskadon were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fike and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Panther, Oakland, and Mrs. Stan Skiles and children, Melinda and Jeremy, of Mt. Lake Park.

Rev. and Mrs. Ray Beahm and four children of Semetere, Quebec, Canada, have moved to Crellin. Rev. Beahm is the new pastor at the Assembly of God Church here. Rev. and Mrs. Paul Poland, the former pastor and wife, have moved to the Frostburg Assembly of God Church. A congregational dinner will be held on Friday evening, January 13, in the church basement to welcome the new pastor, Rev. Beahm, and his family.

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The Pennsylvania National Teenager Pageant is the official state finals to the Miss National Teenager Pageant to be held in Atlanta, Ga. in August 1978. Reigning Pennsylvania National Teenager is Maureen O'Rourke, of Altoona.

Contestants will be judged on scholastic achievement, leadership, poise, personality and appearance.

Miss Brown is being sponsored by Salisbury Lions Club, American Legion Auxiliary, Earl H. Opel Unit 459, and Robbins & Myers, Inc.

ACCIDENT

Personal Items

The Accident Zion Lutheran Church Senior Citizens and Pastor Fred Illick held a luncheon at the Hamburger House January 5. Mrs. Lilly Kahl was awarded a prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carlson and Stacy, Paul Miller, and Miss Karla Knox were New Year's Monday dinner guests of Mrs. Mary Zinkan.

Mrs. William Oester, Patty and Brenda, Grantsville, were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mrs. John Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dale Rush were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Rush, Saba

and J.R., Oakland.

Mrs. Elsie Glass, Mrs. Florence Deniker and granddaughter, Melanie Deniker, Cove, were Wednesday lunch guests of Mrs. Mary Zinkan.

Miss Kathy Glass, LaVale, spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Ernest Glass.

Mrs. Mary Jenkins spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Zinkan.

Ms. Linda Livengood, Randallstown appeared on Channel 13 TV New Year's Eve in a special program, "People in Baltimore Getting Ready for New Year's Eve." A Channel 13 reporter interviewed Ms. Livengood while she was a patron at "The About Faces Make Up And Hair Center" at The Hilton in Pikesville.

Christmas weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Schroyer, Accident, were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Whiteman, Debbie, Valerie, and Timmy, Sykesville; Joel Stanton and Linda Livengood, Randallstown, and Lisa and Barry Livengood. Other visitors were William R. Livengood and Russell Schroyer.

Mrs. Carrie Brobst is spending some time with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr.

and Mrs. Roy Kahl. She was a recent dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brobst, near McHenry.

Mrs. Ray Artice and Mrs. Tom Brobst visited with Mrs. Ben Savage, who is ill at her home, one day last week. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Durst and Mrs. Mary Jenkins in Accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Friend spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton DeWitt. Other recent callers at the DeWitt home were Mr. and Mrs. James Ray and son Mark, Washington, D. C. Mrs. Ray is the former Elaine Spoerlein, of Oakland.

Citizens Lose Chances For Deductions Due To Poor Bookkeeping

BALTIMORE (UPI) — Many citizens lose chances for tax deductions because of poor financial records, the Maryland Association of Certified Public Accountants said Tuesday.

Thomas L. Woods, administrative vice president, said persons who earn less than \$40,000 yearly often do not keep detailed records of expenses, which the Internal Revenue Service requires to justify deductions.

"The higher income people usually have professional accountants who keep extensive records and inform them what records should be kept and how to apply for deductions," he said.

Association President Robert Busch said the most important factor in determining whether to seek a deduction is the amount of documentation.

He cited the example of a Texas doctor who several years ago received tax deductions worth thousands of dollars for entertaining other doctors who referred patients to him.

Documentation of business entertainment is more important than ever because the IRS has become "hard-nosed" about requiring receipts and detailed information about persons entertained, according to Busch.

If gambling winnings can be balanced by losses, valid documentation is also important, he said.

He said one gambler tried to claim deductions to offset his winnings by producing hundreds of losing race track tickets. However, the tickets had heel prints, indicating they had been picked up from the ground after a race.

Busch said that although the

Rev. Ray Beahm And Family Assume Pastorate At Crellin Assembly of God



Rev. Ray Beahm and family assumed the pastorate of the Crellin Assembly of God Church on January 1, replacing Rev. Paul Poland.

Rev. Beahm ministered to the Cree and Algonquin Indians of northern Quebec, Canada in the town of Senneterre, 350 miles north of Montreal, for the past nine years. He had also served as assistant pastor at Central Assembly in Cumberland for one and one-half years.

A 1966 graduate of the North

central Bible College in Minneapolis, Minn., he obtained a BA degree in Pastoral Theology. His wife Becky graduated there in 1968 with a BA in Christian Education.

They have four children, Todd, eight; Lance, six; Alayna, seven, and Nathan, one and a half.

On Sunday evening, January 22 at 7:30 p.m., Rev. Beahm will give a presentation of his work in Senneterre, including a 15-minute slide presentation. The public is welcome to attend.

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Bittering-Glades

Emmanuel Lutheran Church women will meet at the home of Leora Yaste Friday, January 13, at 7:30 p.m. for the regular monthly meeting. Margaret Hershberger and Lottie Brenneman are leaders of the topic, "Women and Alcoholism."

Martha Giotfelty was installed as organist of the Eastern Star Tuesday evening, January 3, at the Masonic Lodge, Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Yaste were recent Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brenneman.

A recent get-together was held at the home of Joseph W. Buckel. Celebrating birthdays were Kristina Buckel, Norma Mitchell and Lana Brenneman. Attending were Pastor James Mitchell, Mrs. Bruce Brenneman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brenneman, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Lowery and children, Etta and Betty Buckel, Mrs. Patsy MacDonald and children and Joseph W. Buckel. Refreshments were served.

Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Buckel were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brenneman.

Wednesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brenneman.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brenneman were Michael Barber, Baltimore, and Kenneth Snart, Ripon, Wisconsin.

Saturday afternoon visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brenneman was Mrs. Edna Falstick, Galtersburg.

Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weaver, Rawlings, and Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Kitzmiller. Mrs. Smith spent several days over the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Bruce Brenneman recently visited her brother, Jack Hardesty, Kitzmiller, who had been admitted to Garrett County Memorial Hospital with pneumonia, but is home now.

Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Reckner were Linda and Shell Bittering.

Mr. and Mrs. William Southerly returned to Lafayette, Ind., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stanton visited Mrs. Lucretia Stanton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Brenneman have moved into the Frank Brenneman home.

Brenda Siler has returned home from the hospital where she recently had minor surgery. She will leave Friday, January 13, to join her husband who is in Memphis, Tenn.

Lana Brenneman, who is a student at Shenandoah College, Winchester, Va., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brenneman.

Lay speaker for the Bittering Lutheran Parish Sunday morning was Harry Fox, Swallow Falls.

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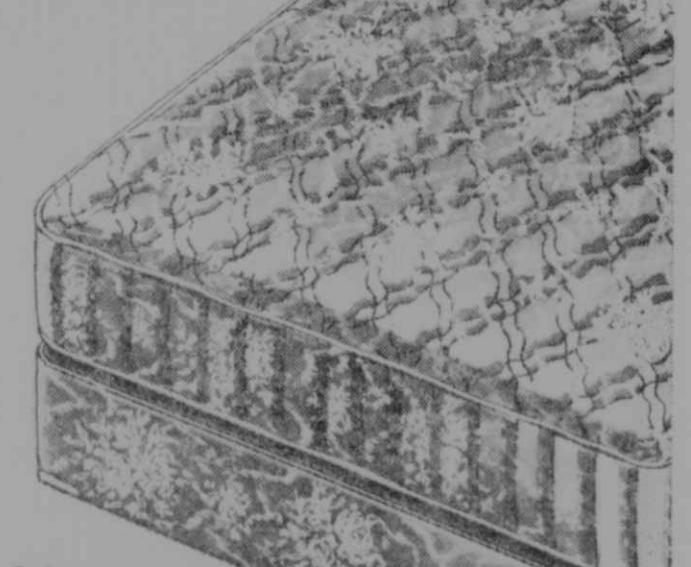
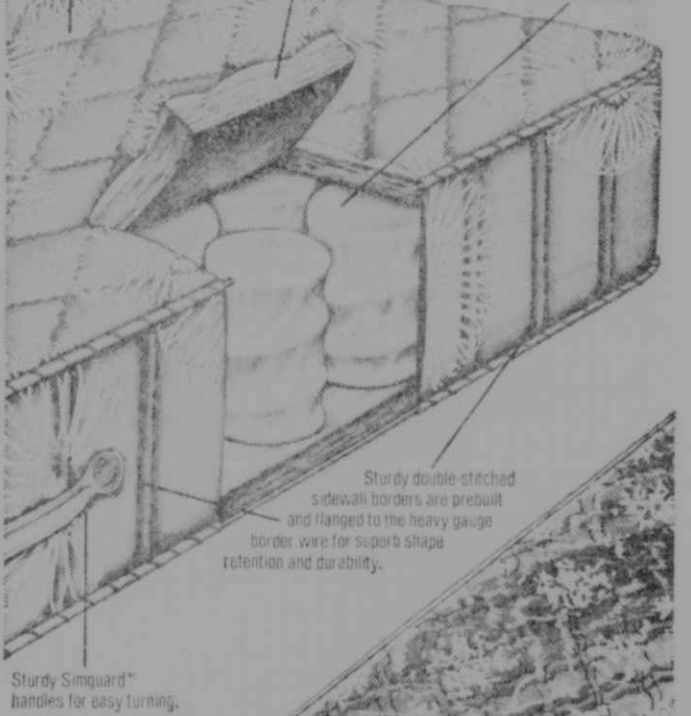
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Vehicles Collide Going Backward

Vehicles even got into trouble trying to go backwards during the storm of the past few days, according to reports by the Maryland State Police.

On January 9, about 2:15 p.m., two vehicles collided on the Accident-Bittering Road. A 1950 Caterpillar Road grader, owned by the Garrett County Roads department and operated by Paul Cecil Thomas, Accident, was clearing snow from the roadway. The operator failed to see a vehicle stopped behind the machine, and backed into a 1972 Gremlin owned and operated by Rebecca Dawn Wilson, Accident.

There were no injuries and T.C. D. K. Williams made no charges.

On January 10, a Ford Falcon operated by Elizabeth Jane Cummings, Mt. Lake Park, backed into a parked vehicle on the Manor Mart parking lot about 3:06 p.m.

According to state police, Mrs. Cummings backed her vehicle into a 1978 Dodge pickup owned by Burdienne Faye Bever, Swanton, who was in the store shopping at the time of the incident. No charges were filed by the investigating officer.

One Pays Heavy For Illegal Deer

A heavy fine was paid by one man for possession of an antlerless deer during closed season as noted in the records in District Court for the week ending January 10.

Marvin Manning Metts, Midland, forfeited collateral in the amount of \$100 for possession of an antlerless deer in closed season.

Also forfeiting was Peter P. Peach, Ellicott City, for having a loaded rifle in a motor vehicle, \$30.

Charles W. Mason, RD 2, Oakland, pleaded not guilty before Judge Lewis R. Jones of shooting at a species of wildlife (deer) from the shoulder of a public highway, and the plea was sustained.

Amounts shown include fine and costs.

Heavy Fine Is Levied For Assault, Battery

Assault and battery drew a heavy fine levied by Judge Lewis R. Jones in District Court for the week ending January 10. Other recent cases are listed. Two other cases are being transferred to Circuit Court.

George E. Sweitzer, Kitzmiller, pleaded not guilty of assault and battery on Jerry Sweitzer at Hill Top Tavern near Crellin on December 11. Monday, he was found guilty and fined \$100 and costs.

Charles R. Paugh and Steven Wayne Bradley, both of West-ernport, have been charged with grand larceny (over \$500) and burglary of goods of George R. Reeves of RD 1, Swanton on December 4. These cases are being transferred to Circuit Court. Both are free on payment of \$100 bail each.

Robert David Nair, Center Street, Oakland, pleaded not guilty of wanton trespassing and resisting arrest at Ward's Bar in Oakland on November 30. He was found guilty on both charges. On the first charge he was fined \$25 and costs. On the second charge, a 30-day jail sentence was suspended and he was placed on probation for one year under supervision.

Margaret L. Craver, RD 1, Swanton, pleaded guilty of two charges of shoplifting in Oakland on December 8. She was fined \$25 and costs on each charge.

Warren Clyde Teets and Norman Thomas Reams, Jr., both of RD 5, Oakland, pleaded guilty of larceny of steel traps of Michael Rhodes on December 8. Both were placed on probation before judgment and paid costs.

Two persons pleaded not guilty and the pleas were sustained. Daniel R. Gillenwater, Parsons, W. Va., had been charged with false pretense (worthless check), and Leo F. Schenk RD 4, Deer Park, had been charged with assault and battery.

Charges of false pretense (worthless checks) were dismissed against two persons as restitution had been made:

Barbara Terrant, Bradley Manor, Oakland, three charges and Betty Lee Garrett, Powles Drive, Mt. Lake Park, one charge.

Drunk Driving, Illegal Licenses Again Appear

Driving under the influence of alcohol and illegal licenses again drew heavy fines levied in District Court by Judge Lewis R. Jones during the week ending January 10.

Mona Caroline Simmons, P. O. Box, Kitzmiller, pleaded guilty of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated and was fined \$100 and costs.

James E. Kent, B Street, Mt. Lake Park, pleaded guilty on three counts. For driving a motor vehicle while ability was impaired, he was fined \$100 and costs. A 30-day jail sentence was suspended and he was placed on probation for one year. For driving a motor vehicle while his license was revoked, he was fined an additional \$100 and costs.

Another 30-day concurrent sentence was suspended. On driving in a negligent manner, a \$25 fine and costs were suspended.

Paul Douglas Thayer, Orange Park, Fla., pleaded not guilty of driving while his license was suspended in Maryland. He was found guilty and fined \$50 and costs.

Michael Roy, Terra Alta, W. Va., pleaded not guilty of turning from a straight course when not safe and the plea was sustained.

Troy R. Gnegy, RD 2, Oakland, had been charged with failing to keep to center of the road. The case was dismissed as the witness failed to appear.

All others forfeited collateral.

Exceeding the posted speed limit, \$40 unless noted otherwise: George C. Phillips, Davis, W. Va.; James J. Shepard, Jr., Bedford, Pa.; Philip DuPont, Charleston, W. Va.; Gene W. Shrieves, Fairfax, Va.; \$30; Richard A. Shaffer, Crellin; Jerome J. Ryscavage, Jr., Scott Street, Oakland; Kenneth L. Fuller, Cumberland; Ernest F. Miller,

LaBelle, Pa.; Maria L. Turney, RD 5, Oakland; Janet S. Butts, Berkeley Springs, W. Va.; Joseph R. Kisselovich, Hagerstown; Mark A. Bingaman, Gaithersburg; Michael A. Smith, Fairmont, W. Va.; \$33; Donald F. Rhodes, Glen Burnie, and David A. Hastwell, Steubenville, Ohio, \$50.

Speeding greater than reasonable and prudent, \$30, and failing to stop for a red light, \$30, Mark A. Proudfoot, Oakland.

Failing to reduce speed to avoid a collision, \$20, David L. Biser, RD 3, Deer Park, and George J. Schill, Pittsburgh.

Speeding greater than

reasonable and prudent, \$20; Ray S. Rexrode, Waynesboro, Va., and Donald R. Doerr, Star Route, Accident.

Operating a motor vehicle in a negligent manner, \$30, William L. Bowen, II, Star Route, Frostburg.

Improper passing, \$30, Marion E. Wiley, RD 2, Grantsville.

Improper passing on the right, \$20, Randall L. Shaffer, RD 5, Oakland.

Failing to obey a stop sign, \$30, Davy L. DeWitt, RD 4, Deer Park.

Making improper left turn, \$30, Kevin C. Hahn, E Street, Mt. Lake Park.

Operating a motor vehicle

without snow tires as required, \$30, Mary L. Miller, Markleysburg, Pa.

Unnecessary spinning of wheels making excess noise, \$30, Jerry A. Myers, Aurora, W. Va.

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1977 Ends With 6.6 Percent Rate Of Inflation

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Wholesale prices rose a substantial 0.7 percent in December, ending 1977 with a 6.6 percent annual rate of inflation, the Labor Department reported today.

Higher food prices were blamed for most of the December increase, which was nearly double a 0.4 percent rise in November.

The report — a harbinger of trends in the retail market, was based on a new Finished Goods Price Index, not the old Wholesale Price Index. The old index rose 0.5 percent, but Bureau of Labor officials claim the new one is more accurate. The 6.6 percent annual increase in wholesale prices over the last year compares to 3.3 percent at the end of 1976. Administration economists predict a 6 percent annual inflation rate will prevail for consumers over the next few years.

Food prices rose 1.5 percent in December, the biggest increase in six months. The increase was blamed on higher pork, fish, dairy and egg prices. Fresh fruit and coffee prices declined. These changes soon will be showing up in groceries.

The Finished Goods Price Index, which measures only the prices of wholesale goods that are ready to be sold to their final user, was 185.5 in December. This means that goods costing \$100 a decade ago, now cost \$185.50. The Wholesale Price Index, which measures the prices of

goods at every stage of processing, was 198.2 — meaning that goods under this index have nearly doubled in price over the past decade. It was 5.9 percent higher than a year ago. Wholesale prices were up sharply at the beginning of 1977 as a result of shortages created by severe weather. The trend turned downward at mid-year, and then began heating up again. The December rate was similar to an 0.8 percent rise in October.

Consumer finished goods, which are considered to be the best advance measure of trends in the retail market, were up 6.3 percent in 1977.

Excluding food, wholesale prices rose at a more moderate 0.2 percent rate in December. Consumer items rose 0.6 percent, led by items like jewelry, furniture and gasoline. Auto prices were unchanged.

Goods purchased by industry rose 0.5 percent in December. Published regularly since 1913, the Wholesale Price Index was intended to measure the prices received by producers in large quantity sales. But some critics contend it did not accomplish that task accurately.

British Firemen End Walkout

LONDON (UPI) — Representatives of Britain's 35,000 striking firefighters voted overwhelmingly today to end their two-month walkout.

Delegates representing the 63 regional fire brigades involved in the strike met in a union conference in Bridlington, Yorkshire, where they voted to accept the government's offer of a 10 percent pay increase.

The firefighters walked off the job Nov. 1 demanding a 30 percent pay hike — three times the government anti-inflation limit.

The vote meant the firefighters would be back at work Monday morning. During the voting, scuffles erupted outside the meeting hall between militants wanting to keep up the strike supporters of the back-to-work decision. Police made several arrests.

During the strike, the government called out more than 10,000 troops and equipped them with wartime trucks — called Green Goddesses — not used for the past 25 years. The strikers maintained 24-hour vigils in front of the firehouses and senior officials advised the troops on how best to fight the fires.

Some 185 people have died in fires since the strike began — a fraction above the average fire death rate of three a day. It was the first national strike ever called by British firefighters and cost each man about \$950 in lost earnings.

Firefighters estimate their earnings averaged about \$127.30 a week before taxes. The national average salary is \$150.10.

But even as the strike was called off, more trouble loomed. Union leaders, angry with members who manned stations in defiance of the strike, said these would be disciplined.

The union's assistant general secretary, Richard Foggie, said there would be a recommendation their union cards should be withdrawn. He said it might affect several hundred men.

In stations with 100 percent union membership this would mean loss of the jobs.

A census Bureau study showed that young men are shunning college.

Ohio Skeleton Not Mrs. Peugeot

OTTAWA, Ohio (UPI) — Putnam County Sheriff Robert Beutler said today the skeleton of a woman found in a rural area of the county last week was not that of Linda Peugeot, 21, who was kidnapped in Cumberland, Md., in 1969.

Beutler said he at first thought the body was that of Mrs. Peugeot whom convicted killer and rapist Stanley Hoss, presently in prison in Pittsburgh, said he kidnapped and killed in 1969.

Hoss said following his arrest in October 1969 that he had kidnapped Mrs. Peugeot and her 2-year-old daughter from a Cumberland shopping center and killed them both in Ohio. He said he buried the woman's body in northwestern Ohio.

Beutler said today the Forensic Laboratory in Cleveland compared dental work with charts obtained from Cumberland authorities and said they did not match.

"We felt pretty sure that this could have been Linda Peugeot because of information furnished us by Cumberland police and statements made in 1969 by Stanley Hoss," said Beutler.

Beutler said the laboratory said the skeleton was that of a woman in her late 20s or early 30s.

"We are investigating other leads but have nothing yet," he said.

Gulf Oil Official Fined For IRS Auditor Bribes

PITTSBURGH (UPI) — A Gulf Oil Corp. tax official was sentenced to two years' probation and fined \$10,500 Wednesday for providing illegal vacation trips to an Internal Revenue Service official who supervised audits of Gulf tax returns.

Joseph F. Fitzgerald, 61, of suburban Wilkins Township, also was ordered by U.S. District Judge William W. Knox to pay prosecution costs. Fitzgerald, who was suspended as Gulf's manager of tax compliance after his indictment, pleaded "no contest" in November to providing IRS supervisor Cyril J. Niederberger with golf junkies to Florida, California and Las Vegas.

In passing sentence, Knox termed Fitzgerald "the lowest rung on the ladder" in a scheme that also ended in the conviction of Fred W. Stander, Gulf's vice president for tax administration, on charges of providing the \$3,305 in gratuities to Niederberger between 1971 and 1974.

The Pittsburgh-based corporation itself pleaded guilty to a reduced number of charges and fined \$36,000.

Sentencing for Stander, who resigned all positions of financial responsibility with Gulf Dec. 14, has been postponed pending final arguments Feb. 1. Niederberger, 64, former large-case manager for the IRS, was found guilty at a February jury trial of accepting the four Gulf-financed trips. The retired IRS official is free on bond pending an appeal of his six-month jail term and \$5,000 fine.

The U.S. Attorney's office announced this week that the Gulf tax investigation was not ending and that more indictments were possible.

Farmers Block Livestock Markets

The Senate Agriculture Committee chairman says hearings later this month will focus attention on the problems of American agriculture, but strikers already are attracting plenty of notice with blockades of livestock markets and trains. Sen. Herman Talmadge, D-Ga., said Wednesday Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland would testify in Washington Jan. 24 at the first in a series of hearings to determine "what constructive steps can be taken to help our producers bring demand and supply into balance."

Talmadge, who helped guide a four-year farm bill through Congress last year, said he had no ideas for new legislation but wants to study steps that can be taken under discretionary powers included in the act.

Meanwhile, a judge ordered strikers to lift their blockades that had closed two livestock markets in Michigan and farmers stopped 11 railroad trains in Texas and New Mexico to gain support for their strike, but were pummeled from driving their tractors on Missouri interstate highways to a scheduled rally in Tennessee. Strikers placed red flares on railroad tracks west of Cannon Air Force Base, N.M., and halted two Santa Fe freight trains for about 20 minutes.

Railroad officials knew of the stoppage beforehand and warned the engineers by telephone. There were no incidents. In Texas, nine different trains were forced to make 11 stops. "We just told them (the engineers) we were picketing their Santa Fe Railroad," American Agriculture spokesman Tommy Applewhite said. "The only purpose we had in stopping these trains was to get the American public a little more to observe the problems of American farmers."

Near Hayti, Mo., farmers blocked an entrance ramp to Interstate 55 for several hours after state police refused to let them drive tractors onto the highway en route to Dyersburg, Tenn. Several Missouri Highway Patrol cars suffered minor injuries when a tractor equipped with a blade shoved them out of the way.

There were no arrests and no violence, but several tickets were issued for traffic violations. A judge Wednesday issued permanent injunctions preventing strikers from blocking entrance and exit points at two

Four Robbers Get \$100,000 Haul

COCKEYSVILLE, Md. (UPI) — Four men, armed and wearing ski masks, broke into a house today, held the family at bay and ransacked the rooms, taking more than \$100,000 worth of jewelry, coins and guns, state police said.

A police communications officer said Stanley Kellart, his wife and 13-year-old daughter were tied up during the robbery about 4:30 a.m. The family was not injured. Officer Stanley Bridge said the robbers escaped before troopers, responding to an automatic burglar alarm set off at the house, arrived at the scene.

Police said the robbers spent nearly an hour rounding up merchandise, which was estimated to be valued in excess of \$100,000.

American Yacht Not Yet Released

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The State department said the American yacht Brillig and its three crewmembers have not yet been released by Vietnam.

But the American officials attributed the delay to high seas and not reports the boat was carrying large amounts of marijuana.

The boat was captured Oct. 12 and was to have been released Jan. 3, according to a message from the Vietnamese to the State department.

But a later announcement said that the yacht had been kept in port because of 12-foot waves and high winds in the South China Sea.

Aboard the yacht were owner Cornelia Ann Dellenbaugh of Vero Beach, Fla., and crewmembers Leland Dickerman of Flagstaff, Ariz., and Charles Affel of Philadelphia.

U.S. officials said the Vietnamese radio had broadcast a report that the yacht carried "a large number of boxes of marijuana." But the U.S. officials said they had no independent confirmation or evidence of that.

State Economic Secretary Sworn

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — Acting Gov. Blair Lee III today swore into office the state's new economic and community development secretary, Herbert B. Cahan.

Cahan, 63, left his job as corporate communications director for Carling National Breweries, Inc., to assume the position as head of the Department of Economic and Community Development.

He replaces Joseph Anastasi, who resigned effective Dec. 2 after four years as head of the agency.

Anastasi, who issued a controversial report that said the state's economy is not in the best of health, said he resigned so Lee could choose his own cabinet.

During the swearing-in ceremonies today, Lee said Cahan's job will be to weld together the various complex functions of the Department of Economic and Community Development to make them function smoothly.

Cahan also will advise Lee on the state's economic outlook, the acting governor said. "The economy of the state is about as important as anything there is," Lee said. "Everything flows out of it."

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Surviving Siamese Twin Dies Wednesday Of Shock, Infection

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) — Doctors at Children's Hospital were worried about how Baby B, the surviving member of a set of Siamese twins, would react to her heart after surgery was performed to separate her from her sister.

But a disfunctioning liver resulted in the death of the girl Wednesday, three months after the separation surgery was performed.

Hospital officials said the infant died at 4:04 a.m. of septic shock, an "overwhelming infection" which her liver could not fight and which brought on cardiac arrest despite efforts by doctors to save her.

"It is ironic that the heart which we were so worried about never bothered her," said Dr. Louise Schnauffer, a surgeon on the 20-member team that separated the twins Oct. 11.

Doctors said Baby B was chosen to be the survivor of the twins because her body contained four chambers of the six-chambered heart she shared with her sister, identified only as Baby A, at the time of their birth Sept. 15.

"Pre-operatively, we worried about the heart," Dr. Schnauffer said. "Post-operatively we thought we were going to make it, but then the liver problem developed... and we knew this was an ominous sign."

Dr. Schnauffer said the death of the child was inevitable, but still came as a shock to her parents, who were identified only as Hassidic Jews. She said the parents would not allow an autopsy to be performed on the baby's body.

"The mystery is what happened to her liver," she said. "Both on a religious and emotional basis, they did not feel they could allow her to go

through an autopsy."

Although the child had remained in critical but stable condition following the surgery, Dr. Schnauffer said she was far more than a statistic to doctors who fought to save her life.

"She had quite a personality," the doctor said. "She was alert. She responded and showed quite a bit of interest in her mother."

Dr. Schnauffer said each infant had a fully formed liver, joined by a bridge of tissue, and during the separation operations the livers were easily separated.

"There may have been something in the other twin's liver, supporting hers (Baby B)," she said.

Baby B's length of survival established a record for separated conjoined twins sharing a six-chamber heart. Medical records show that only three such separations have occurred and in only one of them, a twin survived for 11 hours.

Dr. Russell C. Raphael, chief anesthesiologist who was on the surgical team, said, "We had made substantial progress."

He said that earlier this week, "To our happiness, the diaphragm was working which led us to believe she would get off the (respirator) machine."

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Miss Harman To Wed Mr. Gloflety



Mr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Harman, Accident, announce the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Ann, to Thomas Elwood Gloflety, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gloflety, also of Accident.

School and is attending Garrett Community College.

Mr. Gloflety is also a 1976 graduate of Northern High School and is employed by Orner and Sons Trucking, Inc., Grantsville.

A May wedding is being planned.

Monte Vista 4-H Club News

By Carol Maffett

Judging of cookies was featured at the regular January meeting of the Monte Vista, Jr. 4-H Club members last Thursday. Mrs. George Hanst, former Home Economist, judged cookies which were baked by the members. Each member was told something about her cookies, by Mrs. Hanst. Taking first place was Patty Livengood; second, Alisa Castell; third, Teresa Thomas, and tying for fourth were Amy Dickinson and Diana Savage.

After the business meeting, Kim Doyle and Suzanne Mitchell gave a demonstration on making peanut butter cookies. The club discussed a swimming party to be held January 21, from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Members were advised of the Skate-A-Thon Saturday, January 14, at Tri-R Roller Rink. After the meeting was adjourned, songs were led by Tina Kepple and Denise Livengood.

Miss Bittinger To Wed J. Bury



Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bittinger, Grantsville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Joyce Marie, to Jerome J. Bury, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bury, Charlevoix, Pa.

Miss Bittinger is a 1975 graduate of Northern High School and is employed by Flushing Shirt Factory. Mr. Bury is a 1972 graduate of Charlevoix Area High School and a 1975 graduate of Allegheny Community College. He is employed by Grantsville Foodland.

No date has been set for the wedding.

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Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Oester Celebrate 55th Wedding Anniversary In Florida



Mr. and Mrs. Oscar William Oester, formerly of The Cove, now living in Clearwater, Florida, celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary December 27 with Mrs. Oester's brother and sister-in-law, Richard and Lillian (Dillon) Holliday in Dunedin, Fla.

Oscar, son of the late John and Mary Ann (Cassell) Oester, and Virgie, daughter of the late Judson and Mary (Georg) Holliday, were married December 27, 1922 by

Rev. George Dietz, Connellsville, Pa.

Mr. Oester retired from the Detroit Street Railways in Detroit and moved to Florida in 1949. He worked for the Pinellas School Board for eleven years.

The Oesters are members of the First Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Oester has done braille for the blind and has helped to teach those needing assistance in reading.

Licenses To Wed Dip In December

Marriage licenses in December showed a slight dip from November with 77 issued. Of these, 38 or 49 percent were civil ceremonies. Applications numbered 80.

Marriage licenses for the week ending January 10 dropped slightly from the week before. Seventeen were issued with one not to be published. Information is from information in the office of Richard L. Davis, clerk of the Circuit Court.

Richard Jesse Wilson, 22, Confluence, Pa., and Carolyn Ann Johnston, 18, Uniontown, Pa.

Jerry Dale Alexander, 18, and Sharon Kay Friend, 18, both of Detroit, Mich.

Ronald Scott Burnsworth, 22, and Ann Denise Kaminski, 22, both of Detroit, Mich.

Delbert Wayne Bolyard, 19, Thornton, W. Va., and Pamela Lynn Field, 16 (parent's consent), Independence, W. Va.

David Paul Pyles, 21, Masontown, W. Va., and Barbara Lynn Hayes, 20, Terra Alta, W. Va.

Robert Emmet Walsh, 63, Marianna, Pa., and Loretta Frances McDonald, 49, Washington, Pa.

Michael Bernard Bunner, 25, and Bonnie Jean Fisher, 21, both of Washington, Pa.

Paul Drees Harman, 30, and Betty Lou Glover, 24, both of Accident.

John Arthur Williams, 23, and Susan Marie Welch, 21, both of Parma, Ohio.

Charles Leroy Jackson, 19, and Trina Carolyn Moran, 18, both of Newburg, W. Va.

Randolph James VanMeter, 18, New York, N. Y., and Katherine Lee Murphy, 22, Blackwood, N. J.

Thomas Lowell Swiger, 21, Oakland, and Christine Joy Shaffer, 18, Mt. Lake Park.

Philip David Lemine, 19, Westover, W. Va., and Patricia Jean Cady, 21, Morgantown, W. Va.

Karl William Kight, 19, and Marilyn Patricia Colville, 16 (parent's consent), both of Oakland.

Robert Joseph Cawthon, 40, Weston, W. Va., and Brenda Sue Dewey, 34, Buckhannon, W. Va.

Robert Leon Carr, 36, and Judith Ann Carr, both of Thomas, W. Va.

AARP To Meet

The American Association of Retired Persons will meet

Wednesday, January 18, at 1:30 p.m. at the Oakland fire hall, it was announced by Ernest Spoerlein, president.

Games will be played and refreshments will be served by Mrs. Wise and Mrs. Rohrbach.

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Sheila Stem, Mike Simpson To Wed



Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stem, Mt. Lake Park, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sheila Ann, to Michael Glen Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen A. Simpson, Mt. Lake Park.

Miss Stem will be a 1978 graduate of Southern High School, and is presently employed by Alpine Lake, Terra Alta, W. Va.

Mr. Simpson is a 1976 graduate of Southern High School and is presently employed by Donald E. Mason, Pleasant Valley.

A June wedding is being planned.

Licenses To Wed For 1977 Show Slight Increase

Marriage licenses for the year 1977 showed a slight increase over those of 1976, with 1,038 being issued against 996 in 1976. Civil ceremonies showed a two percent increase in 1977.

Applications numbered 1,108 last year. Civil ceremonies numbered 470 or 45 percent of those issued. August took the

honors away from June with 126 licenses issued in August against 119. January was the lowest with only 38 issued. The highest percentage of civil ceremonies up until then occurred last April when it was 55 percent. Also in April, the applications and those issued were the same, 78. This seldom occurs as applications most always exceed those issued because some licenses are not picked up.

A summary for the year follows, listing by month applications, those issued, civil ceremonies and percentage of civil ceremonies: January, 44, 38, 12, 32%; February, 60, 51, 23, 45%; March, 89, 71, 34, 48%; April, 78, 78, 43, 55%; May, 101, 83, 41, 49%; June 123, 119, 46, 39%; July, 117, 111, 55, 50%; August, 124, 126, 61, 48%; September, 98, 102, 39, 38%; October, 102, 93, 42, 45%; November, 92, 89, 36, 40%; and December, 80, 77, 38, and 49%. Yearly totals are: 1108 applications, 1038 licenses issued, 470 civil ceremonies and the average of percentage of civil ceremonies is 45.

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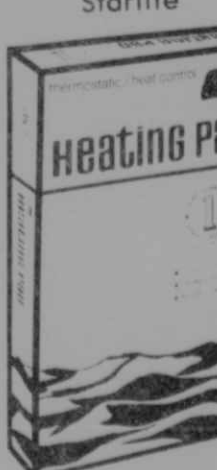
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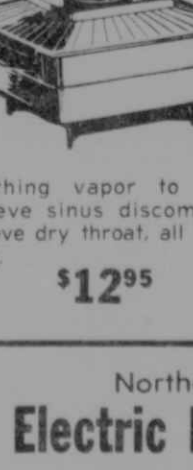
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Service Schedule For Area Churches

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Fourth and Oak Sts., Oakland. George D. Porter, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m. Nursery Provided.

Church of the Nazarene, 8th and Alder Sts., Oakland. Rev. Ellsworth McCracken, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Junior Meeting, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Oakland. Rev. Martin E. Feild, Pastor. Mass Saturday, 7 p.m.; also 5:15 p.m. summer. Sunday Masses, 8 and 10 a.m.; winter, 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Confessions before Masses. Immaculate Conception, Kitzmiller, winter. Sunday, 12 noon, and summer. Saturday, 6 p.m. Confession before Mass.

St. Mark's Ev. Lutheran Church, Oakland. Rev. Richard A. Seaks, Pastor. Sunday Church School, 8:45 a.m.; The Service, at 10 a.m. (Church Nursery).

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Oakland. The Rev. Manning Smith, Rector. Holy Communion Service, 8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sunday School, 10:30.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1022 John Drive, Oakland. Priesthood meeting, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sacrament meeting, 11 a.m.; Primary and APYW meetings, Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Pleasant View Baptist Church, Rev. I. M. Martin, phone 334-9630. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer meeting, Wed. 7:30 p.m.; Wed. Boys and Girls in Action, 7:30 p.m.; Thurs. Young People's meeting, 7 p.m.

Loch Lynn United Brethren Church, Rev. O. W. Hull, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, Each Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; Teenarama, each Sunday, 8:30 p.m.; Prayer and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Md. Rev. Lgene Ronnell, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Church Service, 9:00 a.m.

Bloomington-Swanton United Methodist Church, Rev. Frank Johnson, North Glade, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 10 a.m.; Mt. Zion, Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 9 a.m., followed by Sunday School, Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 5:30 p.m.; Swanton, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Chestnut Grove, Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 9:30 a.m., followed by Sunday School, Bloomington, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd and 5th Sundays, 11 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Ray Beahm, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m.; Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Family Night and Youth Service, 7:30 p.m.

Kitzmiller Presbyterian Church, Rev. H. Earl Baker, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; every Sunday; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.

Crellin U.B. Church, Rev. Charles Teets, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m., 1st and 3rd Sundays; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Rocky Dream Assembly of God, Rev. Robert Mayfield, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night, Church, 7:30 p.m.; Thursday night, Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ (Meeting in the Mt. Lake Park Town Hall), John R. James, Evangelist. Bible School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Friendsville Assembly of God, Rev. Iris V. Friend, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Walnut Bottom Assembly of God, Rev. Christopher Crawford, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 1st and 3rd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Prayer Service and Bible Study, Wednesday.

Savage River Full Gospel Church, Rev. Hilda Cayey, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night services, 7:30; Wednesday night services, 7:30; Every third Saturday night of the month, regularly, Hymn Sing.

Sand Flat Assembly of God, Rev. Alvin Kyle, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Youth Service, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study Service, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Bayard Church of God, Bayard, W. Va. Rev. Chesley Noel, Jr., Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 7:30; Y.P.E. Services at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday.

Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m. on Rt. 219, 1 mile north of Rt. 40. Rev. Earl Harper, Pastor.

Ferndale Baptist Church, Rev. Richard Topper, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Prayer Service, 10:45 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.

Rush Baptist Church, Rev. Richard Topper, Pastor. Morning worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30.

First United Presbyterian Church, Terra Alta, W. Va. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00. Rev. Francis E. Irmann, Pastor.

Loch Lynn Church of God, Rev. Robert H. Fletcher, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Brookside, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Mt. Grove, Worship, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. every Sunday.

Otterbein United Methodist Church, Swanton, Rev. Frank Johnson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Prayer Meeting, Youth Fellowship Meeting, Boy & Girl Fellowship, all on Tuesday evening from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Paradise United Methodist Church, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Worship Service, 9:45 a.m.; Church School, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 2nd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 2nd and 3rd Sunday, 7 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran, Red House, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Service, 11 a.m. Rev. Bernard W. Carl, Pastor.

Bittinger Lutheran Parish, The Rev. James S. Mitchell, Pastor. St. John's Meadows Mountain, Worship, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Emmanuel, Bittinger, Worship, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Zion, Jennings, Worship, 11:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Holy Communion in each Church, 1st Sunday of each month.

Christ Lutheran Church, Grantsville, Md. David E. Fetter, Pastor. Service at 11:00.

Zion Lutheran Church (LCMS), U.S. 219, Accident. Pastor, Fred Illick. Sunday Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran, (Missouri Synod), Cove. Rev. Fred Illick, Pastor. Service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.

Faith Presbyterian Church, Oakland. John A. Ledden, Pastor. Sunday Bible School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Mid-week Services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Bear Creek Church of the Brethren, Accident. Rev. William C. Shimer, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Jennings Church of God, Rev. George Platts, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a.m.; Preaching at 7 p.m.; Y.P.E. every Thursday evening at 7 p.m.

Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Pastor, Mrs. Evelyn M. Bowman. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. Minnie Bittinger, Supt.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville, Philip J. Geoghan, Pastor. Sunday Worship Service, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 8:45 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

Mt. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 1005 Bransford Rd., John Schrimshire, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Service, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Women's Missionary Circle, 2nd Tues., 7 p.m.; The Evangelical Center of Garrett County.

Independent Full Gospel Revival Center, Loch Lynn Heights, E. W. Elliott, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, Sunday evening at 7; Mid-week Services, Wednesday evening at 7.

McHenry United Methodist Church, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Church School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 4th Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 1st and 3rd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Prayer Service and Bible Study, Wednesday.

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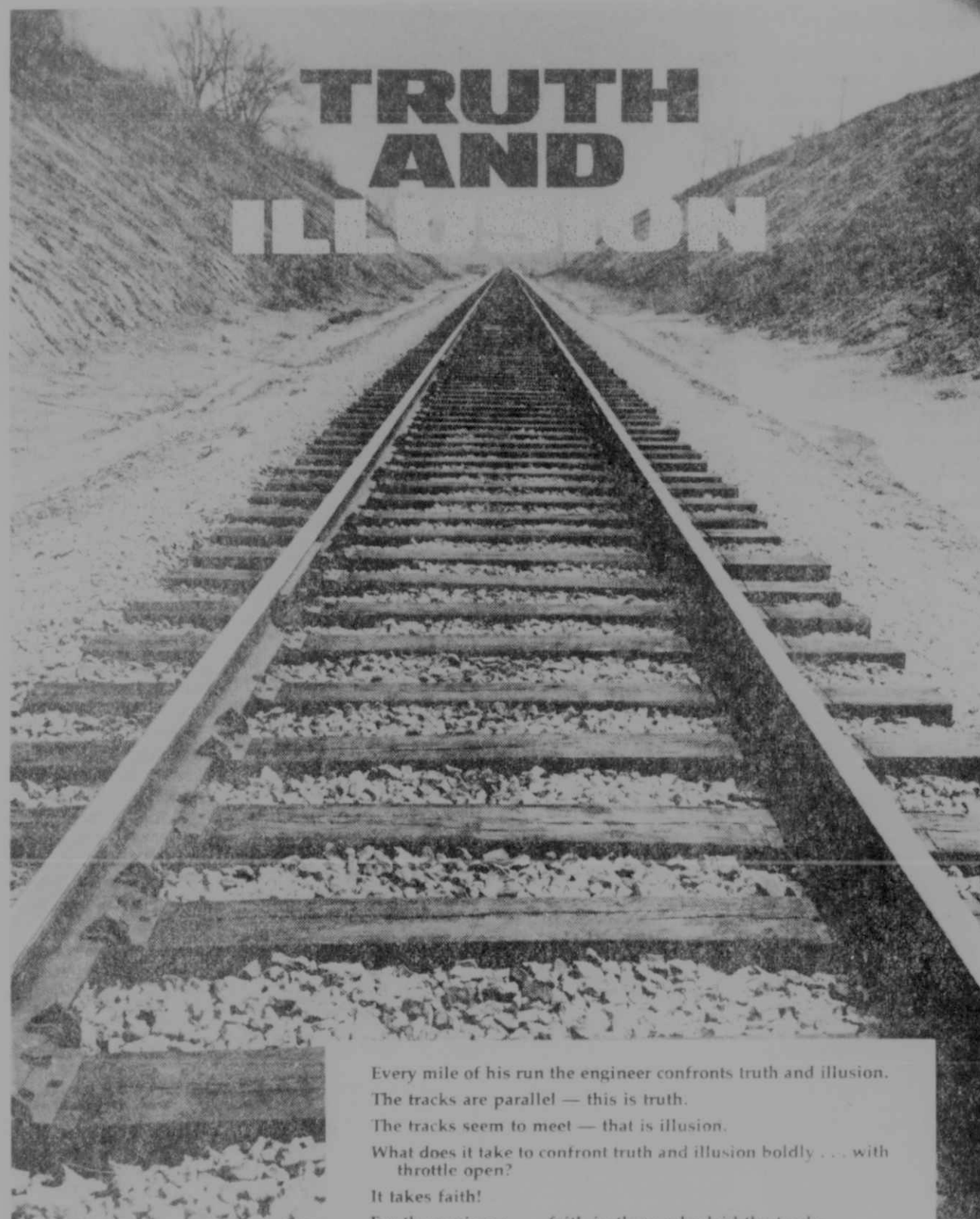
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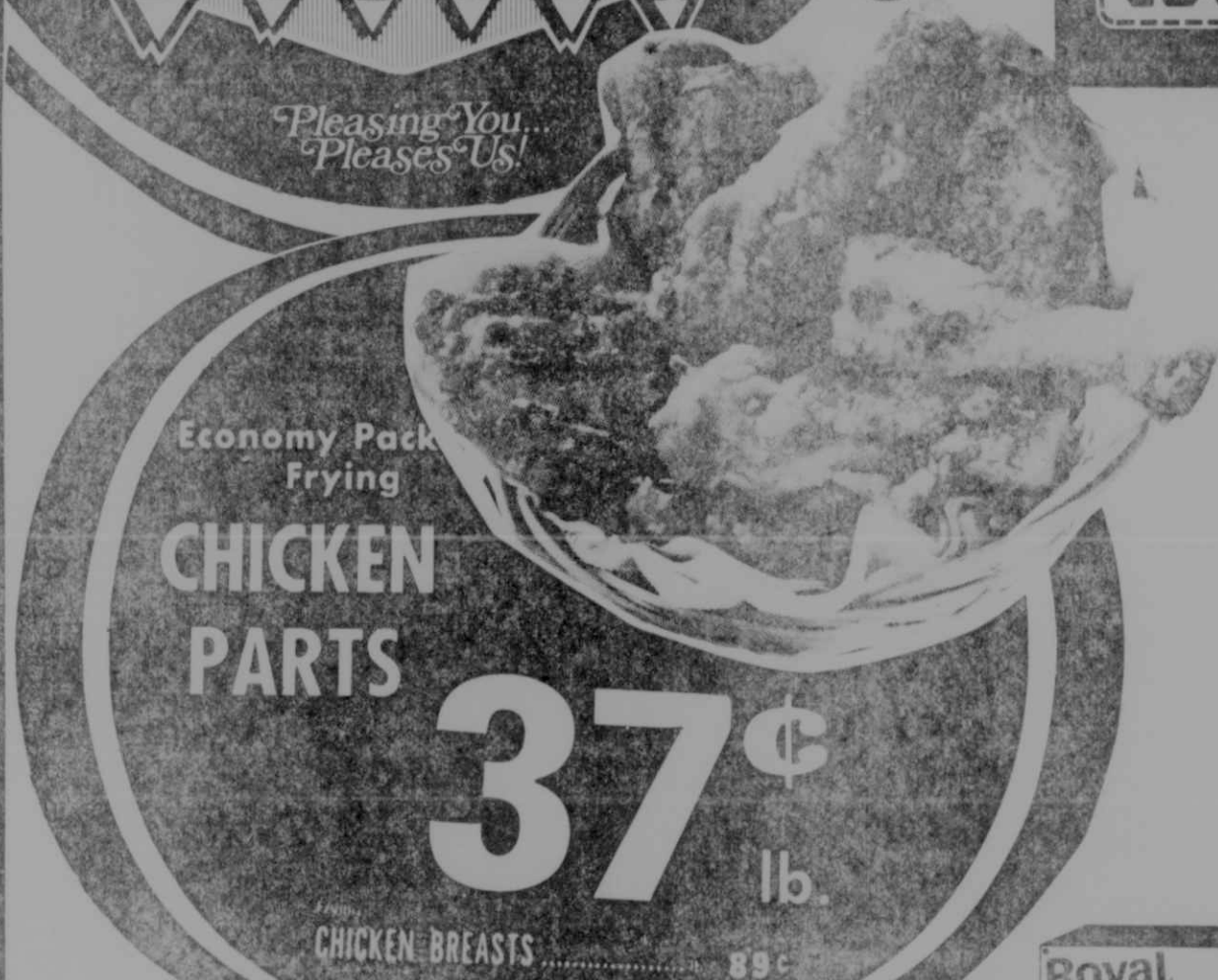


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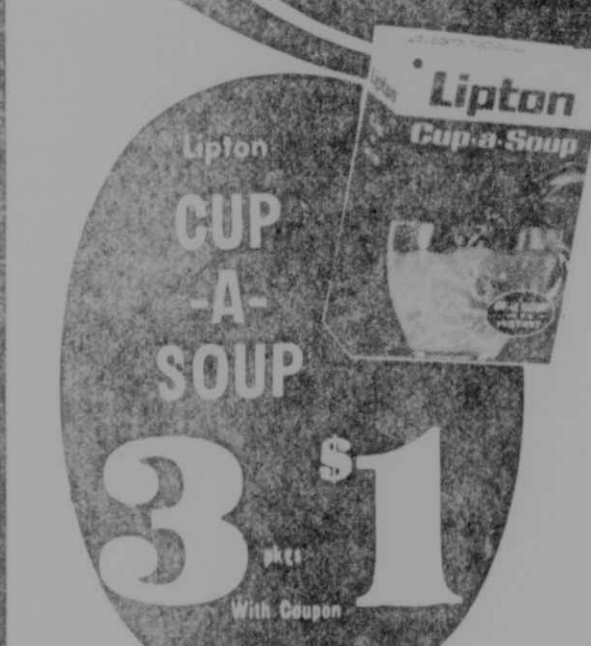


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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Younkin and daughter Brenda, Dover, Delaware, and Mr. and Mrs. James Beardsley and son Steve, Smyrna, Delaware, were parttime holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Younkin.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Blocher and daughter Patty were Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hitchens and daughter Julie, West Point, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Blocher and son Brian and Mrs. Margaret Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Hitchens and daughter spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Miller, at Little Crossings.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Younkin spent the weekend in Hagerstown, where they attended the Fieldman's annual awards banquet, sponsored by

Slate Manager Earl Cupp at the Venice Inn for the jurisdiction of Maryland and New Jersey. They spent the weekend as guests of Mrs. Albert Will.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Atwood and Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Beitzel went to Baltimore on Monday.

Mrs. Phyllis Bender is a patient at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, where she underwent surgery on Monday morning.

Mrs. Doris Blocher remains a patient in Memorial Hospital, where she has had surgery.

Mrs. Flossie Bittinger is a patient in the Meyersdale Community Hospital after she had the misfortune to fall and break her hip.

John Knox is a patient in intensive care at Sacred Heart Hospital.

Mrs. Doris Bowser is a patient in a hospital near Red Lion, Pa.



Faculty Forum

Garrett County Teachers' Association
Bob Rentschler

In recent decades a new dimension has appeared on the American public education scene: the rapid increase of disruptive students. These classroom delinquents - these children and adolescents who display social and emotional maladjustments - are becoming more and more common in all segments of American society, and unfortunately the subject cannot be treated casually. On the contrary, the solution requires intensive study, constructive action, and the cooperation of many people and agencies. The discussion that follows considers the topic from the viewpoint of public school educators. After all, it is the teachers, counselors, and administrators who must deal with the disruptive student on a daily basis. Therefore they must give careful consideration to the best ways to teach these students. It is within the power of conscientious school personnel to effect these troubled students to become educated and better adjusted to our society.

The disruptive student has many stereotypes. He is a law-breaker with a low IQ; he does

not achieve educationally; he comes from a broken home in a poor neighborhood. While these examples often have validity, delinquents and other maladjusted students can be found in neighborhoods of all types, and they display academic qualities that are as diverse as the homes they come from.

William Wattenberg did a study concerning social deviancy among American youth for the National Study of Education and placed disruptive youth into four broad categories:

1. Boys designated as explosive, aggressive and ego-damaged. These boys generally come from homes described as rejecting and over-protective.

2. Boys or girls whose delinquency seems to have a compulsive purposeless quality that expresses a type of inner conflict. Their parents have a tendency to be demanding and restrictive.

3. Boys or girls who have "weak consciences" but who have many apparently normal relationships with their classmates. Frequently the families live in areas where delinquency is high and where the youth are not supervised adequately. As a result, offenses are often incubated in groups.

4. The final category deals with the "cool cats" or "confidence-man" personality. These youngsters are able to control themselves but deliberately manipulate people.

In general basic causes of delinquency are already present when children are in elementary school. The effects are displayed in undesirable forms of behavior such as hostile and aggressive, stealing, withdrawn and apathetic, psychotic and neurotic. These pupils tend to be below the average in achievement and IQ levels of their peers and fall further and further behind each year.

We cannot go into the children's homes and rectify all the evils therein. However, education can work to improve these conditions, but the solution requires a high degree of concern and organization by the central office and local school administrations.

Garrett County proposes the following guidelines in "Garrett County Students' Rights and Responsibilities" - a handbook made available to teachers and students.

Positive discipline in the school is essential for an effective learning environment.

Teachers and administrators have the responsibility for facilitating and maintaining for all students an effective learning environment.

Acts such as disrespect, fighting, use of profanity and failure to follow rules are examples of disruptive behavior.

It is the responsibility of the school and supportive personnel to explore the resources

that may be of help in working with the student.

At the classroom level the teacher may: hold a conference with the student; confer with parents and student; use appropriate staff of the school; remove the student from the class and request assistance from appropriate administrative personnel in resolving the problem.

The classroom and the teacher can offer a place of security and learning for troubled children, but in most cases the background of the teacher is different from this type student. Therefore, it is through empathy and warm feeling that the teacher can even hope to learn of the distressing problems with which these unfortunate youngsters are confronted. In dealing with their problems the teacher is firm, yet has compassion and understanding - never hostility. This type of relationship fosters love and respect in return which creates a wholesome learning climate in the classroom. The class functions as a team with the teacher as the leader.

Knowledge must be conveyed by the teacher, however, a willingness to learn on the teacher's part is also important. Methods, techniques and strategies must be developed with the teacher in firm control, yet in a friendly confident and cooperative spirit. Thus the teacher shows the student there is work to be accomplished in a democratic climate. Learning is structured on their level from plans made by the teacher on a daily and long range basis. Teachers

should build on what the students can do and expect achievement. Also, lessons linked to the students lives become meaningful. For example, if their interest is drugs and narcotics, teachers should build lessons around these areas.

Advice is given on school regulations and discussed with the students at the beginning of the term. Standards for the classroom can be set up with them at this time, too. Routines are necessary to provide a feeling of security. Basically the students need to understand and follow daily routines such as: enter the classroom quietly and orderly; quickly find assigned places; begin work promptly; consistent effort and cooperation; promptly prepare for dismissal. An effective monitoring system makes the student feel worthwhile and important.

As a whole, the classroom can offer a place of refuge and comfort for five or six hours a day for the ill of society if educators properly win confidence and cooperation. Finally, it should be remembered when dealing with

disruptive students that hostility breeds hostility; respect commands respect; and most importantly, love awakens love.

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Girl Scouts will be going house to house beginning Friday, January 13 taking orders for Girl Scout cookies. Sales end January 31.

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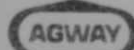
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Basic Real Estate	January 23	7:00-10:00	\$50.00	15	Oakland
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Draper Construction	January 25	6:30-9:30	\$20.00	15	Oakland
Genealogy	January 25	7:00-9:00	\$ 8.00	6	Oakland
Surface Mining	January 26	6:00-9:00	\$15.00	15	McHenry
Regulation Training	January 24	6:00-10:00	\$40.00 + text	12	McHenry
Welding I	January 26	6:00-10:00	\$40.00 + text	15	McHenry
Welding II	January 24	6:00-10:00	\$40.00	15	McHenry
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Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT)	January 26	7:00-10:00	\$10.00	28	Accident Firehall

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Esther DeWitt, Crellin; second row, Anita Beeman, Barbara White, Kitzmiller; Toni Knapp, Karen Upole, Red House; Ann Ellis, Andrea Martin, Loch Lynn; Brenda Friend, Joyce Bell, Judy Miller, Brenda Buser, Broad Ford; and Mrs. Barbara Flinn, supervisor of the Child Find project; third row, Sandy Wildman, Louise Nealis, Bloomington; Terry Kitis, Ellen Moon, Route 40; Betty Sisler, Carol Frazee, Janice Fisher, Friendsville; Vivian Wolf, Sharon Rohrbaugh, Karen Collins, and Rosalee Evans, Dennett Road. Each will wear a "Child Find" identification tag while conducting interviews.

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EARTH AND MARS

Tuesday Mars will be 98 million kilometers (61 million miles) from earth. This is the closest the two planets will be for the next 25 months. Because of the different rates at which the planets revolve around the sun, the earth passes Mars at 25 to 27 month intervals. The next time the earth passes Mars will be in February, 1980. When earth and Mars are close to each other, Mars appears brighter. In fact, Mars may be the third brightest starlike object in the sky, with only Jupiter and the star, Sirius, being brighter.

MOON
Passing through First Quarter phase on Sunday at 10:03 p.m. the moon is waxing all week. Moonset is at 9:42

p.m. tonight. It is retarded about 43 minutes each day until Wednesday, moonset occurs at 2:42 a.m. One hour after sunset on Tuesday moonset occurs at 2:42 a.m. One hour after sunset on Tuesday and Wednesday, the moon may be seen near the Pleiades, seven sisters.

VISIBLE PLANETS
Mercury, Mars, Jupiter, and Saturn may be visible to the unaided eye. Mercury remains to the lower left of Antares, and is visible for less than an hour before sunrise for the next few days. Mars rises at about sunset with the stars of Cancer. Jupiter, seen against the background stars of Gemini, is high in the east at sunset. Saturn appears as one member of a "double star" found low in the northeast about 3½ hours after sunset. The dimmer star of the pair is really a star, Regulus, the heart of Leo.

DAYLENGTH
By Wednesday we will enjoy nine minutes more daylight than there was today. Sunrise was at 7:38 a.m. this morning. Sunset will be at 5:15 p.m. Wednesday the sun will rise three minutes earlier, and it will set six minutes later than it does today.

MVA Offices To Close Monday

Motor Vehicle Administration headquarters in Glen Burnie and all branch offices will be closed Monday, January 16, in observance of Martin Luther King's birthday.

This day is a legal holiday in Maryland and most state offices will be closed. The MVA wishes to especially remind motorists eligible to receive their photo-driver's licenses that they will not be able to do so on January 16.

Four Killed On Highways Last Week

Four persons lost their lives on Maryland Highways according to the weekly News Release compiled by 2nd Lt. M. I. Morgan of the Maryland State Police. Of the persons killed, three were drivers, one was a passenger and none were pedestrians.

Persons killed through January 8, 1978, total nine, one less than for the same period last year.

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Mrs. Illick Heads Accident Board

Officers for the Accident Community Health Board were elected Thursday, January 5, with Mrs. Marilyn Illick named chairman.

Other newly elected officers are Rev. William Carlson, vice chairman; David Davis, treasurer; and Mrs. Julie Brennehan, secretary.

John J. Brennehan was appointed project director by the Board, for the project aimed at recruiting a physician for the Accident area. Mayor Richard Kolb was named representative to the Western Maryland Health Care Corporation. Current board activities in-

clude the application to the Appalachian Regional Commission for recruitment and operational funding in order to initiate a medical practice in Accident to serve portions of northern and central Garrett County.

The next meeting of the Health Board will be February 2 at 8 p.m. in the Accident fire hall.

A federal court in Chicago outlawed compulsory retirement.

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ROUTE 495 — 12.45 acres woodland fronting Rt. 495 \$10,600.
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NEW GERMANY AREA — 10.34 acres \$750/acre
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McHENRY — 2.00 acres, development possibilities \$6,000.
DURST ROAD — 7 — 25 wooded acres fronting on the Durst Road, Bordering State Forest \$1,000/acre

ROCK LODGE ROAD — 21 acres of sloping woodland with view of Deep Creek Lake. Ideal for private retreat or development of one (1) acre parcels. Map and plat available at office or look for our sign 2.2 miles from Rt. 219. \$6,000 down, balance over ten (10) years in monthly installments of \$169.86, 8% A.P.R. \$20,000

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MAYNARDIER RIDGE ROAD — 18.64 gently sloping wooded acres. Perfect retreat site bordering Savage River State Forest \$18,500.

BACKBONE MOUNTAIN — 9.8 acres of gently sloping woodland overlooking Pleasant Valley. Perfect for a retreat site \$6,000.

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ROCK LODGE ROAD — Large beef farm, 200 level acres with 2 Harvestore silos. Contact this office for details.

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FAIRVIEW ROAD — 157 acres with old house, barn and outbuildings. Partially bordering Savage River State Forest. Owner will finance. \$350 per acre

ROCK LODGE ROAD — 90-acre dairy farm with house, barn, milkhouse, trailer, 2 Harvestore silos and garage. Contact this office for details.

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MT. LAKE PARK — 412 "1" St., 4 bedroom house. Situated on 3 town wooded lots. Large living room, dining room, kitchen, utility room, 2 baths, ¾ basement. Priced right at \$25,500.

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ROUTE 39 — Approximately 3.5 acres with house that needs work and outbuildings. Has trailer hook-up which produces rental income. Land lies level with a good stand of pines, two springs and area which could be made into a pond \$18,000.

MAYNARDIER RIDGE ROAD — Beautifully located Redwood cottage, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, living-dining area, fireplace. 17½ wooded acres with stream. Partially bordering Savage River State Forest \$66,000.

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McHENRY — Two Lincoln Lodges. Perfect for a two-family investment or rental. Each lodge has a large living room/fireplace, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 1½ baths. Completely furnished. Sale included 8x16 storage shed and snowmobile. Enjoy the most breath taking view of Deep Creek Lake and the surrounding mountains. Must see to appreciate \$59,900.

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AURORA-EGILON NEWS

The Gospel Echoes of Mt. Lake Park will be singing at Stemple Ridge Church on January 21, 7-9 p.m. Everyone is invited.

The Mountain Lions met Thursday evening, January 5, at the Mill Stone Lodge for a ham dinner. Present were twenty-four members and one guest.

The flag salute was led by Joe Flint, the song by Glenn Brown, Sr. and the invocation was given by the Rev. Harding Nelson.

Presiding at the business session was Elmer "Pete" Stemple, president. The West Virginia School for the Blind at Romney has asked for support from the clubs in West Virginia for a project which will provide skiing experience for the students there at the Canaan Valley Resort. It was also announced that the Christmas treat on December 21 was one of the best attended in several years.

The club is still receiving responses from the letters sent for their Sight Project.

Member Lions are assisting with the Grasshopper Basketball program at Aurora School which began Sunday with games with Mountaineer School of Thomas.

The next meeting will be held in St. Paul's Lutheran Parish Hall with the Aurora

Pioneer 4-H Club serving the meal. Erwin Stemple, new member, will also be installed in the near future.

A covered dish meal at noon, January 7, highlighted the first meeting for 1978 on the Union District Senior Citizens. There were fifty-three present for the meeting including several guests.

The program consisted of gospel music sung by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kope. They were joined by Carol Wotring and Mary Wotring in singing "How Great Thou Art". Mrs. Margaret Crawford conducted the devotions.

Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gooding of Brookside and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burkhalter of Reedsville. Mr. Burkhalter had attended, along with Frank Wiles, a meeting for Senior Citizens in Charleston on which he reported on some forthcoming legislation.

"Happy Birthday" was sung to Mrs. Clara Fike of Egilon who was celebrating her birthday Saturday.

The next meeting will be a noon meeting on February 4 in the Aurora United Methodist Memorial Building which will feature a Valentine party following the luncheon which will consist of sandwiches, salads, desserts and beverage. Maxine Hauser and Ernestine

Sisler will be in charge of planning the program.

Jan Shackelford, Preston County director for Senior Citizens, moved Saturday from the St. Paul's parsonage in Aurora to Kingwood where she has rented an apartment. Should there be a place available in this area for purchase, she would be interested in returning to our community.

Eldred and Louise Wotring of Fairmont and Robert and Mildred Burkhalter of Reedsville were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wotring in Aurora.

Larry Johnson of Timonium, Md. was an overnight guest last Tuesday of Rev. and Mrs. Galen Fike in Egilon. He was in the midst of a trip to various skiing areas and had been present on Sunday at the Bridgewater Church of the Brethren when his friend, Michael Fike, was licensed to the ministry.

Bill Bagshaw of Pt. View, Pa., visited last Friday in Egilon where he had lived for several years with the Jonas Bittinger family.

Remodeling has begun on the Aurora Community Building where renovation will consist of removing the stage area and installing a kitchen along with lowering the ceiling. Volunteer labor will be needed and anyone willing to help is asked to contact Elmer "Pete" Stemple who is in charge of the project.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maxey and their daughters of Clinton, Md. visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shaffer of Gnevy Church and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Teets, Egilon.

Frank Stemple of Aurora attended a Romney District Council on Ministries and Retreat in Keyser on January 6 and 7. The meeting was held in the Potomac Motel and leader for the event was the Rev. Billee Scott Mick of Charleston. While there, Mrs. Stemple visited with Mrs. E. A. Courrier who had once been an Aurora resident. On Sunday the Stemples visited with Mrs. Joann Wolfe at Cranesville.

Cody Lee Lewis was born at 3:22 p.m. January 7 in Garrett

Memorial Hospital. He is the first child born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary L. Lewis of Horse Shoe Run and he weighed 7 lbs. 14 ozs. at birth. The mother is the former Debbie Rizer; her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Rizer, Jr. of Cleveland the maternal grandparents. Nina Wallace of De Ridder, Louisiana and Cecil "Whitey" Lewis of Aurora, on whose birthday his first grandson arrived, are the paternal grandparents. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Rizer, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clark and Mrs. Edna Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Teets of Egilon visited Sunday with friends in Bridgewater and attended the Summit Church of the Brethren where Rev. Allen Pugh is pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Selders, Bob and Jane of Greensboro, N. C. spent last Tuesday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Selders in Aurora. They were called to this area due to the death of Mrs. Selders' youngest brother, Joe Fawcett, 53, who died in Grafton January 2.

Beginning the New Year, the Egilon Homemakers met January 3 in the Egilon Memorial Building. Mrs. Nina Layman presided at the business session which began

the meeting. A report from the December County Council meeting presented several items for thought and action.

Colossians 3:17 was the scripture chosen by Mrs. Lorraine Fike for her devotional thoughts for the new year. She used a reading, "Just for Today".

Mrs. Linda Lewis brought a number of garments, accessories, books and magazines to use in her presentation of "Today's Looks with Yesterday's Clothes". Ideas were exchanged for creating a different look from various older type dresses by the use of pattern illustrations. Using scarfs, and her daughter Emily as a model, she demonstrated a number of ways in which long and square scarves may be folded or tied for a variety of effects.

At the conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. Mildred Wilt served refreshments to the following who were present: Mrs. Avenell Roth, Mrs. Mary Rembold, Mrs. Nancy Feather, Mrs. Lettie Bonner, Mrs. Ruth Teets, Mrs. Rebecca Teets, Mrs. Jean Winters and those above named. The February 7 meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Lettie Bonner.

A Maryland court declared the state's obscenity law invalid.

Visitors Restricted At Goodwill Home

Visiting privileges are being restricted at only one of the two nursing homes in the county, according to spokesmen at the facilities. Visiting hours at the Garrett County Memorial Hospital remain the same.

Margaret Fratz, nursing supervisor at Goodwill Menomate Nursing Home in Grantsville, released a statement this week saying that no visitors under 16 years of age will be admitted, and there will be only one visitor allowed at one time in a room.

At Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home in Oakland, visiting hours and privileges remain the same, from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. daily.

Anyone with a cold, fever or sore throat should refrain from calling on those in these institutions at all times.

Youth Fellowship Installs Officers

Mary Lynn Sebold was installed as president of the United Methodist Youth Fellowship for the Deep Creek United Methodist Charge Sunday evening, January 8, in ceremonies at the McHenry

Church. Nora Rausch is vice president; Kim Wilburn secretary and Steve Wilburn treasurer. Other officers are held by Paula McCrobie, Amy Brobst, JoAnn Deal, and Vicki McCrobie.

The youth group, directed by Janet Paugh, presided over the service and Ross Giotfelty presented a short message. The young people presented the leaders with gifts as tokens of appreciation for their help in the past year.

Mrs. Ellis Harvey lit a candle for each new officer installed, and presented each with a pink rose.

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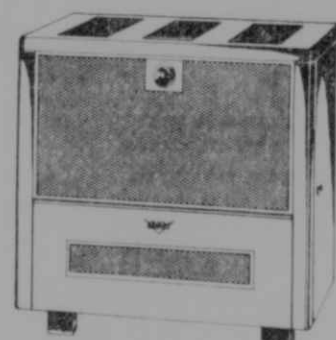
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OAKLAND —
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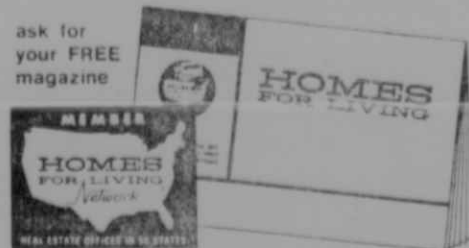
U. S. RT. 50 —
71212 — Going club, restaurant, and teen center. This business has provided the owner a nice living for many years. He will also finance a qualified buyer. Immediate possession, with all equipment and ready to operate. 3 apartments included. Call office for details.

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U.S. RT. 219 SOUTH —
1241 — 10 acres cleared, close to town and bounded on three sides by paved highway. \$40,000.00

MT. STORM —
1055 — 1.5 acres improved with 1-story restaurant with full basement. Main highway, close to lake. Ideal for truck stop, small store or residence. \$22,500.00

SILVER LAKE, W. VA. —
1242 — Operating restaurant and lounge on busy U. S. 219 at Horse Shoe Run, WVA. Contains dining room seating 32 and a lounge seating 14, as well as a large storage area for expansion. Nicely landscaped with ample parking on 2 1/2 acres. \$55,000.00



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It was 1935, quite a "depressing" year. The Maryland Theatre featured Claudette Colbert & Clark Gable in "It Happened One Night." Buck Jones was in "Fighting Code" and Myrna Loy & William Powell appeared in "Evelyn Prentice." Admission cost was ten and twenty-five cents per person.

The new Oakland telephone directories were being delivered and Oakland now had a count of 385 telephones. A gain of nearly 16 since 1934. Ma Bell was on her way to becoming one of the areas most popular ladies.

Several area gentlemen had close encounters during the winter months of that year. "Charles W. Ream, President of Stanley Coal Co., in Crellin, escaped injury when a mass of ice & snow weighing over 100

lbs. fell from the roof of the company's building upon his automobile, crushing the top and windshield of the machine. He had just gotten out a few minutes before."

Mr. Welling, the "custodian at the Oakland High School sustained a deep cut when a floodlight fixture, used the previous night at the President's Ball, fell from the balcony and struck him. He required services of a surgeon to close the wound. Had the object struck Mr. Welling squarely, it is stated, the probability is that his skull would have been fractured."

"Scoops Column" was filled with the usual witty comments: "Skeeter Naylor was stepping gingerly along the other morning. Having just returned from Florida I guess he didn't have much desire to remain out in the exhilarating, bracing, snappy, zero wind. But he wouldn't admit it. 'I'll be OK as soon as I get the Florida sand out of my socks', he admitted." (I guess the Garrett County winters haven't changed much since 1935!)

"This new generation of New Dealers now promises to straighten out everything to the queen's taste, leaving nothing for future generations to do but pay the bills. So nice of you!"

In 1935 it was customary to mention the groom's occupation when filing for a marriage license. These ranged anywhere from a

teacher to soldier — a time keeper to an ice puller. Perhaps this was done as a favor to the bride's parents.

The "In Days of Old" column, offered this bit of satirical philosophy — "An article said that it cost the people of the U. S. \$25,000,000 to be born, \$300,000,000 to be married, \$15,000,000 to be buried, and \$900,000,000 to get drunk. It had not been figured out what it cost to get sober."

Speaking of drunkenness, bootlegging was quite popular during this time in Garrett County history. Quite often some unfortunate would be caught by the Federal Agents. A Hutton man and his assistants were arrested on charges of manufacture and possession of untaxed liquor. He was held on \$500 bond. The man stated that he was not on the relief rolls and that he had to engage in the liquor business "to keep from starving." Federal agents had visited a large still in the woods near a Friendsville man's home and seized a quantity of moonshine. The man had ignored the citation to appear for a hearing and was apprehended by a U. S. Deputy Marshal.

"We reckon you are getting right tired of hearing us mention the Post Office, but it's a lot easier to tell you through this column than to answer the many people who ask us, so we are saying again that we don't know a darned thing about it. When we do we shall shout it from the hill tops." The Mt. Lake Park personals was a strange place to find this. Would anyone know what was meant by "it?"

The Oakland Personals contained a few sad events: "Merchant O. C. Buckle had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow one day last week." and "Dr. J. Lee McComas' horse, Charley, 24 years old, was hurt in its stable and had to be killed. It was said to be the best known animal in Garrett County. Its mate, Mack, had died several years prior from an injury."

Although the loss of an animal can be a traumatic experience, a Terra Alta man was also subjected to a similar episode. "A fireman literally lost his pants while fighting a fire in Terra Alta when a hose got away from two other firemen. The nozzle got caught on his trousers and with a jerk the poor man was left standing on the roof in his pajamas. The Terra Alta guards held the crowd back."

"The residents of Oakland and vicinity have been wondering what caused the haze in the sky and what caused the windshields of their automobile to become muddy when it sprinkled. The haze was caused by dust clouds blown 1,500 miles from the middle west where terrific wind storms have been shifting soil for weeks. The grimy film has also covered Baltimore, Salisbury and other cities along the Chesapeake. Residents of the state have discovered that the old toast, 'Here's mud in your eye,' has taken on a new significance."

This phenomenon is not to be confused with the haze found in Pittsburgh or any other large industrial city. This haze was natural, not man-made.

Military Units From Five States To Train At Camp Dawson

Military units from five states are scheduled for cold weather environmental training at Camp Dawson, a 1200-acre State Military Reservation located near Kingwood, according to Colonel A. P. Romano, Commanding Officer of Special Forces Section of West Virginia Army National Guard.

During January and February, the increased activity will bring an estimated 2000 active U. S. Army, National Guard and Army Reserve personnel into Kingwood area. Among these will be ROTC Cadets from Loyola College near Baltimore, Maryland's Fifth Battalion of 20th Special Forces from Glen Arns and Towson area.

At different intervals personnel from units in Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia will arrive to conduct field training exercises. The maneuvers in remote areas of Briery Mountain along Cheat River will cover all phases of winter training with emphasis on arctic survival, skiing, snowshoes and night airborne operations.

Camp Dawson, West Virginia's only military reservation, is located just east of Kingwood. A tract of 196.5 acres was originally purchased on May 7, 1909 for use as a military training camp, and was named Camp Dawson in honor of Governor William M. O. Dawson, a native of Preston County, who served from 1905 to 1908 as the twelfth Chief Executive of West Virginia. The purchase of the land was authorized by the State Legislature. After the original purchase in 1909, two additional tracts were purchased — 1.43 acres in June, 1932 and 235.47 acres during July, 1945, bringing the total acreage to 434.5 acres. Additional purchases since that time have made approximately twelve hundred acres available for training, although all the property is not contiguous.

Two Retire From Westvaco Mill

Two employees, one from Bloomington, retired in December from Westvaco's Luke mill with a total of 77 years 11 months of service.

Dorsey E. Beard, a wrapper and stripper in the Finishing Department at retirement, had 41 years three months of service. He began working the Coating Mill August 11, 1936. Mr. Beard is a native and current resident of Bloomington.

Howard W. Keplinger began his 36 years eight months of service in the coating mill on March 18, 1941. He was a finisher in the Finishing Room at retirement. He is a resident of New Creek.

Registration Slated For Zion School

Registration for the spring semester of classes at Zion School of Christian Education, Grantsville, will be held beginning at 10 a.m., January 13. Bible courses for this semester will be: "The Nature of Man," "The Godhead," "Prayer" and "Worship." This is a new format of Bible study and will permit an overall view of a subject or concept rather than the traditional verse-by-verse book-by-book pattern. It will make available a more interesting and in-depth presentation of scriptures.

Other courses being taught this semester are: "English Bible," "Introduction to New Testament Greek," "English Composition" and "Cults."

Registration for the night class, now studying the Pentateuch, will be held at 7 p.m. January 16. Anyone in the area having a desire to broaden Bible knowledge is urged to attend the registration session to examine the possibility of attending on a full or part-time basis. Zion is approved for students to attend under veterans administration benefits. Anyone unable to attend the January 13 registration can make arrangements to register at the first convenient opportunity by calling 855-5978 or 895-5768. Rev. George McDowell, Sr. is president of the school.

St. John's Church Plans Special Centennial Book

St. John's Lutheran Church, Meadow Mountain, is planning a special project to help observe its centennial celebration in 1978.

As a special part of the observance, a book is planned, a collection of memoirs and human interest incidents which can be recalled by members, former members and friends.

Memories may also include former pastors, examples of outstanding service or devotion, amusing incidents, interesting tidbits of information, etc. Notes may then be given to Marvin Beckman, council secretary, who will compile them in book form.

Although some historical information will be needed, the project is not designed to be a factual, historical account of the church.

Contributions are needed and will be appreciated from everyone, according to Mr. Beckman.

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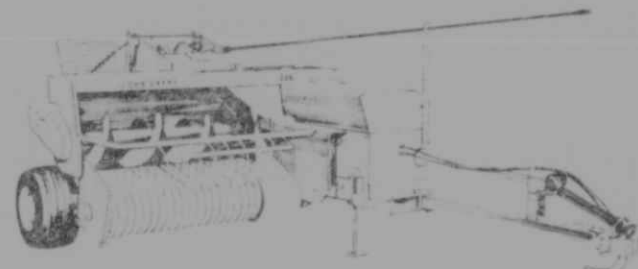
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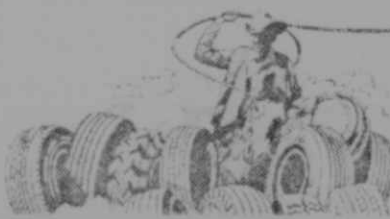
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LOCH LYNN — In nice residential area on corner lot. Rustic 2 story, 3 bedroom home with basement. New oil furnace for hot water heat, new roof, and needs man with "fix it" ability. \$19,500.

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OLD RT. 219 — Lakefront condominiums now available for purchase. 2 bedroom model unit may be seen. Furnishings by owners' choice. Excellent lakefront with beach & docks. Close to all winter activities, Wisp Ski Area, and college. For further details, contact sales personnel. Priced right at \$44,900 & \$47,200.

FRIENDSVILLE — Large 2 story frame building with store. Large lobby, 11 other rooms. Formerly hotel \$35,000.

4 MILES FROM TOWN — Chalet on the Yough. 91 acre with garden space, fruit trees, grape vine, spring water, AND picnic area with tables (frivertside). Extra well insulated for low fuel bills. ALSO, the added punch of 2 fireplaces. By schools & churches. ONLY \$34,000.

—LOTS—

SANG RUN RD. — You better grab this one! 1 acre lot fronting on paved road. 1 1/2 mi. from Garrett Community College, 1 mi. from Wisp Ski Area & Deep Creek Lake. Only \$2,400.

STATE RT. 495 - GREEN GLADE RD. — Several nice building lots near Swanton and Deep Creek Lake. Priced reasonably.

BITTINGER - GRANTSVILLE AREA — 2 acre building lot has electricity on lot & good spring water. \$2,900.

MARSH HILL RD. — 60' x 80' lake access lot suitable for campers or commercial investment. \$4,000.

LOT in Youghiogheny Mt. Resort — Approximately 1/2 acre, Section 5F, Lot 16. \$2,795.

—ACREAGE—

OAKLAND OUTSKIRTS — 278.42 acres. Good barn, milk house, poultry house, springs, stream, room for air strip—partly wooded, cleared fields. For further details contact office. \$220,000.

FRIENDSVILLE — 4.14 wooded acres, 400 ft. frontage on county road. \$46,000.

NEAR FRIENDSVILLE — How about a 45.25 acre farm with older home & barn? Fenced pasture land. Cleared fields & wooded areas. Top this off with commercial grade sandstone & possibility of commercial coal. About 2,000' road frontage. Be quick about it. Details from sales representatives. \$55,000.

BROAD FORD DAM — 37.43 wooded acres offering an excellent view of Broad Ford Dam; ideal for development. (NOTE: This property has no right-of-way of record). \$40,000.

FRIENDSVILLE — Edge of Yough River; 1 lot containing storage building. \$3,000.

PARADISE GARDENS — Approximately 8 acres wooded land with 200' lake front on Deep Creek Lake. Ideal for development or condominium. \$65,000.

AT THE EDGE OF OAKLAND — 2 or 3 building lots large enough for well and septic system. One lot with spring. All wooded. Suitable for house — modular or trailer. \$2,000 ea.

330 ACRE FARM — Near Friendsville. Improved with 4 bedroom stone house, large cattle feeding barn, 4 silos, large machine shed. Some minerals. \$220,000.

—COMMERCIAL—

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H. S. Governing Body To Meet

There will be a meeting of the Governing Body of the Health Systems Agency of Western Maryland on Wednesday, January 18, 1978, 1:00 p.m., at the All Ghan Shrine Country Club, Cumberland.

Fourth Quarter Tax Deadline Jan. 17

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — The deadline for filing fourth quarter declarations of estimated tax payments is January 17, State Comptroller Louis Goldstein said Monday, adding taxpayers could instead file regular tax return by January 31.

"Instead of making the fourth quarter payment, the taxpayer has the option of filing a regular 1977 Maryland income tax return on or before January 31, 1978," Goldstein said. "Any balance of tax due must be paid in full with that return when it is filed."

He said any taxpayer with at least \$500 in yearly income that is not subject to withholding taxes should file quarter declarations of estimated tax.

The comptroller also urged taxpayers to check the gummed labels on their tax returns. Correct information will mean early receipt of refund checks, he said.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to thank one and all who in any way helped make this new home for Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert Durst of Accident possible.
Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert Durst, Mr. and Mrs. Selby Bittlinger and daughter, Mrs. Nettie Tressler
Adv. 46-11

**STATE OF MARYLAND
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
AND
NOTICE TO CREDITORS**
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF
MILBURN W. MANN
This is to give notice that the undersigned, Robert James Stanton, who is the executor of the will of the said deceased, will file the same with the Register of Wills of Garrett County on or before January 12, 1978.
All persons having claims against the decedent must present their claims to the undersigned, or file the same with the Register of Wills on or before January 12, 1978.
Any claim not so filed on or before such date shall be unenforceable thereafter.
Robert J. Stanton
Personal Representative
Joseph H. Welch
Register of Wills
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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF
MARGARET J. HARVEY
This is to give notice that the undersigned, John W. Hill and Victor O. Harvey, who are the executors of the will of the said deceased, will file the same with the Register of Wills of Garrett County on or before January 12, 1978.
All persons having claims against the decedent must present their claims to the undersigned, or file the same with the Register of Wills on or before January 12, 1978.
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John W. Hill
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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF
RICHARD WILLIAM BROLL
This is to give notice that the undersigned, Linda Sherbin, who is the executrix of the will of the said deceased, will file the same with the Register of Wills of Garrett County on or before January 12, 1978.
All persons having claims against the decedent must present their claims to the undersigned, or file the same with the Register of Wills on or before January 12, 1978.
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Linda S. Sherbin
Personal Representative
Joseph H. Welch
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Adv. 46-31

DEBT NOTICE
I will not be responsible for any debts other than those contracted by myself as of January 5, 1978.
Theodore Butts
Oakland, Md.
Adv. 45-31*

**STATE OF MARYLAND
DEPARTMENT
OF NATURAL RESOURCES
WATER RESOURCES
ADMINISTRATION**
Public Notice No. MA-16
Issue Date: January 13, 1978
Persons wishing to present information or comments about the tentative decisions listed below are invited to speak at the scheduled hearings or submit written comments. Adversely affected persons wishing to contest a tentative decision must request an oral hearing on or before February 6, 1978, that contested issues be adjudicated at the hearing. Procedures for making such requests are set forth with this notice in the Maryland Register of January 13, 1978, and in COMAR 08.05.06. The applications, draft permits, and other information are on file and may be inspected, and arrangements made for copying. Requests for information, and any written requests for additional information, should be submitted to the following address:

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judication, may be addressed to: Water Resources Administration, Permits Division, State Office Building, 588 Taylor Avenue, Annapolis, Maryland 21401; Phone (301) 269-2260.
GARRETT COUNTY: A public hearing on the following tentative decision will be held: Wednesday, March 1, 1978, 10:00 A.M.
The Garrett County Courthouse Grand Jury Room Third and Alder Streets Oakland, Maryland
Public Notice No. MA-16

Appropriation Permit Application No. GA-77-GAP-019: A and J Coal Corporation, Route 1, Swanton, Maryland 21561, proposes to appropriate for dewatering of a deep mine located east of the intersection of Bloomington Road and Chestnut Grove Road southeast of Bloomington, Garrett County, Maryland, a yearly average of 15,000 gallons per day and a maximum of 36,000 gallons per day. Tentative Decision: Issue permit with conditions requiring (1) the monitoring of water levels and water quality in all existing water supply wells within 1,000 feet of the area from which coal is to be removed and (2) compensation to existing overlying water users for any adverse impacts caused by mining operations.
Adv. 46-21

**COMMISSIONER OF LAND PATENTS
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NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF WARRANT

Take notice that on the 3rd day of November, 1977, at the request of Thomas E. Doyle, a warrant to survey was issued to Kevin Steinhilber, surveyor, of Garrett County, to survey all that vacant land containing approximately 36 acres in the Sixth Election District of Garrett County. Said vacant land is bounded by a parcel containing approximately 270.73 acres owned by Toby Turpin, 14901 Peach Orchard Rd., Silver Spring, Md. and by a parcel containing approximately 10 acres owned by Ronald Kapp, 12 W. Park Court, Glen Burnie, Md., and by a parcel containing approximately 26.94 acres owned by John R. Byron, 1122 Linden Ave., Takoma Park, Md.
Provided certain conditions are met and unless an objection is filed in the proceeding as provided by Real Property Sections 13-461 and 13-462 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 edition as amended to date), a Land Patent for said approximately

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36 acres of vacant land may be issued by the State of Maryland to the said Thomas E. Doyle, conveying all the right, title and interest of the State of Maryland therein.

Pursuant to Section 13-307 (b) (2) of the Real Property Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, 1974 edition as amended to date, the surveyor will be on the premises, that is, the vacant land described in the aforesaid warrant, in the Sixth Election District of Garrett County, near or at Hayes Run Road on the 7th day of February 1978, at 9:00 a.m., to execute said warrant.

**Edward C. Papenfuss
Commissioner of Land Patents
Adv. 45-31**

PUBLIC NOTICE

The State Land Reclamation Committee will meet at 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 15, 1978, in the Conference Room of the Westernport City Building to act on the following strip mine application:

Upperman Coal Company has applied for an amended permit to its Permit No. 206. The proposed operation is located near Deersons Park, Garrett County, Maryland. Maryland grid coordinates are: N. 560,000 and E. 146,000.
Any person or persons who may have any comments on the above applications may present them at the hearing or forward them in writing before the hearing to the Bureau of Mines, P. O. Box C, Westernport, Maryland 21562.
Harry B. Buckley, Director
Bureau of Mines
Adv. 46-11

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION
There will be an election for the Borough of Friendsville Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1978. Registration day will be Feb. 6, 1978. Persons who have filed are: For Mayor, Karl Rush; For Council, Carl Lefferts, Ross Selby, R. Eugene Sines.
Adv. 46-11

STATE OF MARYLAND Department of Transportation State Highway Administration

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED PROPOSALS for the following will be received by the State Highway Administration at its offices, 300 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201 until 12 Noon on the 7th day of February, 1978, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. PRE-QUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS NOT REQUIRED. ON FEDERAL AID PROJECTS, the Maryland State Highway Administration, in accordance with the Standard Department of Transportation, Title VI Assurances, Item 2, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

**FEDERAL AID PROJECT
GARRETT COUNTY CONTRACT NO. G-409-501-024; FAP #LSF-155-1(46)
COST OF PLANS - \$15.00
PROJECT CLASSIFICATION - A**

Landscaping - work shall consist of furnishing and planting and caring for trees at the Youghiogheny Scenic Overlook on the National Freeway (U.S. Route 40) Eastbound, Roadway, east of Friendsville. Work shall also include selective thinning.

Minimum wage rates for this project have been predetermined as required by law and are set forth in the Bid Proposal.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans, will be furnished by the Administration upon application and cash payment noted. NO REFUND FOR RETURN OF SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check, a Cashier's check, or a Treasurer's check drawn upon a bank or bid bond payable to the State of Maryland, in the amount as set forth in the proposal form, as required by Transportation Article, Section 8-614, Annotated Code of Maryland. In addition, a Bid Letter from Surety must accompany the Proposal guaranteeing the Payment and Performance Bonds will be furnished if the Contractor is determined to be the successful bidder.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland respecting Contracts.

The Administration reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

**BERNARD M. EVANS
State Highway Administration
Date: January 3, 1978
ORDER NO. E-4520
Adv. 46-21**

DEBT NOTICE
I will not be responsible for any debts, other than those contracted by myself, as of Jan. 12, 1978.
Granville P. Halterman, Jr.
Oakland, Md.
Adv. 46-31*

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Loch Lynn Heights Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on January 12, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. in the Loch Lynn Heights Town Hall (Bonnie Boulevard). The Board will review applications for the following cases:

1. Docket VR-1, an application by Mrs. Samuel Bowman for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow the placement of a mobile home on her property which would extend to within four feet of her side property boundaries located on East Second Street, (Zoned TR).

2. Docket VR-2, an application by Mr. Myrl Wilt for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow the placement of a mobile home on his property which would extend to within five feet of his side property boundaries located on East Second Street, (Zoned TR).

John E. Nelson
Zoning Administrator
Adv. 45-31

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

Bids are being asked by the Maryland Park Service of the Department of Natural Resources for operation of the food and drink concession at Deep Creek Lake State Park. Bid forms and conditions of the agreement may be secured from the office of Deep Creek Lake State Park, Route 2, Box 70, Swanton, Maryland 21561 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Mondays thru Fridays. Bid proposals will be received until 1:00 p.m., January 27, 1978.

The right is reserved, as the interest of the State of Maryland may require, to reject any or all bids.
Adv. 45-31

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have filed an application with the Board of License Commissioners of Garrett County for a Class D beer, wine and liquor license to sell alcoholic beverages in Garrett County as provided by Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

Name of applicants and place of business are as follows:
Applicants: J & C Inn, Inc., Joseph T. Healy, President & Vice President; Elizabeth A. Healy, Secretary & Treasurer.
Location: Joe's Place (formerly V.F.W.), 1015 E. Oak Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550

Notice is hereby given that a hearing on said application will be held on February 3, 1978 at 10:30 a.m. in the office of the Liquor Control Board at 400 N. Third Street, Oakland.

By Order of the Board of License Commissioners of Garrett County,
Joseph M. Wolf, Secretary
Date of first publication:
January 12, 1978
Adv. 46-21*

LOST AND FOUND

LOST - 2 Cats - one black male, and one tan & black tabby female. Lost in Mt. Lake Park. If found, call 334-4235. Adv. 46-11

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FOR SALE - Pullets - 24 weeks old. Babcock 300-V Leghorns, \$2.60 ea.; DeKalb brown egg layers, \$2.75 ea. Phone 334-4064. Adv. 46-21.

FOR SALE - Kirby Classic III vacuum cleaner with attachments in original box. \$200.00. German Sewing Center, 212 E. Alder Street, Oakland, Md. 21550. Phone 334-2560. Adv. 46-11.

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FOR SALE - Hammond Console organ. Two full manual 26 note pedal board. Ideal for home or church. \$800.00 or best offer. Phone (304) 735-3855 or (301) 729-3392. Adv. 45-21.*

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FOR SALE - 12X60 mobile home with oil tank, already set up in Piper Trailer Park. Very nice condition, \$5,500.00 - cash. Firm. Phone 334-4065. Adv. 45-131.

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FOR SALE - Firewood. Phone 304-735-6251. Adv. 45-31.*

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16 or older, join an adult basic
education class now. No
charge. Garrett Community
College, Oakland, Center.
Phone 334-8266. — Adv. 29-01.

WANTED — Buyers and
sellers. Call Tel-Ad at 334-9730,
weekdays 4-6 p.m., Saturday 8
a.m. until noon, Sunday noon
until 5 p.m. — Adv. 38-131.

WANTED — Housekeeper for
farm home. Would consider
married couple. Write Joe
Holtzschneider, Rt. 1, Oakland,
Md. — Adv. 43-131.

WANTED TO DO
Interior Painting
For Estimates Call
334-3509
or 245-4460

WANTED TO DO — Baby-
sitting in Oakland, Phone 334-
4083 anytime. — Adv. 45-21.

WANTED — Used Aurora
HO race sets & accessories.
Phone 387-6420. — Adv. 45-21.

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and garland making equip-
ment. Contact APANAP at 387-
6622. — Adv. 36-131.

HELP WANTED — Salesladies
experienced and mature.
Benefits, openings as of Jan. 1,
1978. Send resume to Box F, c/o
The Republican, Oakland, Md.
21550. — Adv. 42-131.

WANTED — Elderly gentle-
man to room and board. Call 1-
304-789-2764. — Adv. 45-81.

WANTED — Small farm.
Contact Delbert Cooper, 2308
Essex Street, Baltimore, Md.
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removal by weekly or monthly
contract. Southern Sanitation
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Two Positions Open
•Bookkeeper
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project in Garrett County. Absolu-
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out stumps and clean up two
acres of land. Jessie Walters,
Eggleston, Va. 2671

ARMED SERVICES REVIEW

Jamie Sisler Is Soldier Of Month



Aberdeen Proving Ground Troop Command's December soldier-of-the-month is Private Jamie L. Sisler, a sports-minded records specialist who has been in the Army only six months, and at Aberdeen Proving Ground less than three.

A native of Accident in Garrett County, Sisler is a personnel records specialist with Military Personnel. He is the son of Carlton and Joann Sisler, also of Accident.

Sisler, a 1977 graduate of Accident's Northern High School, entered the Army July 4, and underwent basic combat training at Ft. Jackson, S.C., and remained there to attend the Army's Administration School. He reported to APG Nov. 1, 1977, and is assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Company.

Sisler began planning for an Army career when he was in the ninth grade at Northern High School. He reportedly is happy with his early military experiences and hopes eventually to attend Officer Candidate School.

In high school Sisler was on the junior varsity and varsity wrestling and football teams. He played defensive back on the Northern Huskies team and hopes to continue his interest in sports by participating in the 1978 APG softball program.

Sisler is engaged to be married this summer and plans to continue his education by attending evening classes at Harford Community College next fall.

Sisler will receive a \$25 bond and a six-months exemption from the company duty roster for being selected December's top soldier.

Airman Dale R. Bowser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Bowser of Accident, has graduated at Sheppard AFB, Texas, from the U. S. Air Force technical training course for aircraft maintenance specialists.

Airman Bowser, who was trained to maintain, repair and service aircraft currently in use by the Air Force, is being assigned to Kadena AB, Japan, for duty with a unit of the Pacific Air Forces. Completion of the course earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

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FRIENDS
STOCKYARD
Market report for January 9.

Slaughter Steers: good to choice, 30.00 to 43.50; medium to good, 34.00 to 39.00; common to medium, 30.00 to 33.50.

Slaughter Heifers: good to choice, 36.00 to 41.75; medium to good, 32.00 to 35.75; common to medium, 27.00 to 31.50.

Bulls: heavy, 27.00 to 35.00; light, 28.00 to 36.20.

Cows: commercial to good, 27.00 to 29.75; utility, 24.00 to 27.50; canners, 21.00 to 26.00.

Veals: good to choice, 60.00 to 75.00; medium to good, 45.00 to 58.00; common to medium, 30.00 to 42.00; cull veal, 30.00 & down.

Baby Calves, return to farm (90 to 120 lbs), 28.00 to 40.00.

Hogs: top quality, 46.00 to 46.75; heavy, 45.25 to 46.00; light, 42.00 to 45.00.

Sows, 30.00 to 34.00.

Male Hogs, 22.75 to 26.00; Lambs, 55.50 to 61.00.

Eggs: 97 to 60; medium, 45 to 53 cents per doz.

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On The Bright Side . . .

Little remains to be said about the weather that has not been said several times over. However, there are some interesting analogies one can create by using the snow as the focal point.

Today's issue contains various shots of snow and ice scenes around the mountain. With the weather being the main topic of discussion at home, at work and at coffee break the past several days, the staff of this newspaper felt obligated to provide some pictures of this Garrett County climate, not so much for our local readers, but for those who live many miles away.

The reader may or may not notice, however, that all of the photos in today's issue are taken from an aesthetic viewpoint. Our photographer wanted to capture only the beauty of the snow, and not the drudgery it can cause. There is not a single picture of a person shoveling his driveway, some poor soul pushing his car or a snowplow crashing through the drifts.

Oh, of course, we all know that these things are occurring. They are quite real, and our staff does not wish to evade reality or simply ignore the difficulties encountered due to all the white stuff. Our point is, too often people look on the dark side of things. Too many have basically pessimistic attitudes about life in general rather than optimistic ones. It's unhealthy for individuals, families, towns and the entire country.

Too many parents scold a child for missing three questions on an exam, rather than praising him for getting seven correct.

When a friend is found to be seriously ill, too many automatically have him dead and in the grave five minutes after the discovery of his illness, rather than initiating a campaign of hope and optimism.

So, when the snow falls again (probably tonight), rather than immediately complaining about it, one should take a few moments to go for a walk and observe its beauty. Then maybe the shoveling will go just a little easier.

Outlook does indeed make a difference.

Court Upholds Television Tower To Be Located Near Eagle Rock

Delegate DeCorsey Bolden announced Tuesday that an agreement has been reached between the Department of Natural Resources and the Maryland Center for Public Broadcasting concerning the proposed construction site of a public broadcasting television tower in Garrett County. Representatives of the two government agencies, Dave Graham, Director of Engineering, Md. Center for Public Broadcasting; Clint Irwin, Environmental Specialist of the Forestry Service, and William Krebs, Director of Project Open Space, Capital Projects Administration, met in Annapolis along with Delegate Bolden.

As a result of this meeting has been agreed to build the television facility on state owned land on Backbone Mountain near Eagle Rock to provide educational television to the Oakland area and eventually to all of Garrett County. During the 1977 session of the Maryland General Assembly \$230,000 was appropriated to fund the construction of a UHF television tower for public broadcasting in Garrett County. However, the project had been rejected by the DNR to allow the construction of the tower at the original site near Eagle Rock, forcing it to be located in the natural wilderness and scenic beauty of the area.

Alternate sites proposed by the DNR were rejected by the Maryland Center for Public Broadcasting because they did not provide sufficient altitude for broadcasting into the Oakland area, as well as to translator towers to be built in the future to service the Friendsville and Grantsville areas.

Although the plans for construction of the broadcasting facility are now on schedule, Delegate Bolden expressed disappointment that it will require at least six months to obtain approval of the site location by the Federal Communications Commission and the Federal Aviation Administration. An additional six months will then be needed to complete the competitive bidding process for state construction contracts required by Maryland law.

Delegate Bolden has resolved to work for the completion of this construction project at the earliest possible date so that broadcasting could commence by the fall of 1979.

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After the first trial, the Court of Special Appeals granted Walters a new trial but not Johnson. Judge Getty subsequently granted Johnson a new trial. It was Walters' revolver which was used in the grocery store holdup and Judge Getty concluded that in fairness, Johnson also was entitled to a new trial.

In the most recent opinion, the Court of Special Appeals affirmed the Garrett County conviction of Johnson and Walters for first degree murder, assault and use of a handgun. But the judgment of attempted robbery with a deadly weapon was reversed.

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Dr. Jerome Ryscavage, Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services, reported to the Board that the Interagency School Construction Committee had established a budget for the Grantsville Elementary School of \$1,967,000. He indicated the architect has estimated \$1,948,000 and that Garrett County should seek additional funding for this project. Dr. Ryscavage was authorized by the Board to present this budgetary concern at a meeting in Baltimore later this month. Funds were also included in the budget request to move the transportation from Northern High School to the Crellin Elementary School once the Northern Middle School is opened.

In other business the Garrett County Board of Education established Tuesday, March 7, as a joint meeting date with the Garrett Community College Board of Trustees. They also established Monday, March 13, 1978, at 7:30 p.m., as an open Board meeting at the Southern Middle School.

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A record number of 230 pints of blood were collected at the January 13 visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile, nearly 100 pints more than the quota of 135 pints set for the Oakland area.

Figures were compiled and released this week by Mrs. Norma Hesen, chairman of the local Red Cross chapter.

Two hundred twenty of the 276 donors scheduled showed up at the National Guard Armory, along with 27 first time donors but 19 were rejected for various reasons. An additional 29 pints were collected at Garrett County Memorial Hospital. Nineteen would-be donors were rejected.

New one gallon donors are Ruth Orpha Peachey, Naomi Yoder, and Richard Rush, Oakland; Paul D. Howdshell, Kitzmiller; and Sherry O'Brien, Swanton.

Two gallon donors are Glenn Shaffer, Mt. Lake Park; Mrs. Virginia Rainey, McHenry; Debra Paige, Mt. Lake Park; Alice Filsinger, Deer Park; and Dessie Bowman, Oakland.

Three gallon donor is Tony Sullivan, Deer Park.

Six donors were from Sterling Processing; 31 from Bausch & Lomb; and five from Rodyans.

Among the volunteers who helped were the employees of the town of Oakland, and Boy Scout Troop 31, including Richard Smith, Glenn Cuppett, Tom Parrack, Les Bittinger, Fred Bell, Robert Flinn, Gregory Flinn, Steve Goegey and Gregg Savage.

Nurses taking medical histories were Mrs. Doris Foster, R.N.; chairman, Helen Baumgartner; Pat Powles, Beth Newcomb, Dot Rudy, Jerry McCracken, Lucy Burnett, and Mrs. Hesen, all R.N.s.

Taking temperatures and pulse rates were Mrs. Darlene Terlizzi and Edna Petersheim, both I.P.N.s.

Assisting in the donor room were Pam Trickett, Kathryn Sincell, Judy Custer and Hazel Duval.

Mabel Friend was in charge of the canteen. Assisting with bonnettest testing were Judy Urnst, Francis Clark, Mary Hering, and Mary Lynn Loomis. Registrars were Katherine Helbig, chairman; Beryl Stanton, Goldie Bittle, Sally Thayer, Peg Echard, and Loraine Ladden. Battle labelers were Avis Bittinger and Lorene Custer.

Physician on call was Dr. Mark Sugar. Typist was Mary Early. Canteen workers were Beryl Gortner, chairman; Ruth Mateer, Ann Purlbaugh, Violet Bowser, Jane Wagner and Joer Kidlow.

In charge of publicity were Pearl Daniels and Don Sincell. Others who helped included Sarah Wine, Sandra Dickinson, Col. and Mrs. J. Haig Jackson, Garrett County Memorial Hospital dietary staff under direction of Mrs. Mary Kay Kovach, and Coca-Cola Bottling Co. Durst Funeral Home provided transportation for donors from Ben Franklin 9 & 10 between 1 and 6 p.m.

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McCardell said, "Commercial and industrial customers," he continued, "are being urged to reduce lighting in stores and offices, lower thermostats, and reduce other power requirements wherever possible."

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OAKLAND VFD GETS TOP AUCTION GIFT — Donald Butler, left, president of the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department, accepts a check for \$400 donated to that organization by R. Thomas Thayer, Jr., president of Garrettfield Realty. The check is the proceeds from the annual "garage sale" auction held at the Garrettfield Christmas party during the holidays. Each year the proceeds from the auction are contributed to a community organization.

Obituaries

FRANK B. THOMAS, JR.
Frank B. Thomas, Jr., 75, of Myersdale, died Sunday at his home.

Mr. Thomas, a pharmacist, owned and operated Thomas Drug Store in Myersdale from 1924 to 1976. The business was started by his late father, Frank B. Thomas, in 1896.

A native of Myersdale, he also was a son of the late Clair (Poling) Thomas.

Mr. Thomas was a member of Pennsylvania Pharmaceutical Association, Cambria-Somerset Pharmaceutical Association and the National Association of Retail Drugists.

Surviving are his widow, Irene (Borden) Thomas; five sons, Dr. Frank B. Thomas and John C. Thomas, both of Hancock; Dr. Terrence J. Thomas, Oakland; Adrian A. Thomas and Dr. Nathan O. Thomas, both of Myersdale; a brother, Joseph N. Thomas, Myersdale, and 24 grandchildren.

Services were conducted yesterday at the Price Funeral Home. Interment was in SS Philip and James Cemetery.

JAMES EDWARD GLASS

James Edward Glass, 54, of Romney, W. Va., was pronounced dead on arrival Saturday at Hampshire Memorial Hospital.

A native of Swanton, he was a son of the late Charles M. Glass and Jennie O. (Helmick) Glass.

Mr. Glass was a communications relay operations supervisor for the General Services Administration in Romney. He was a retired major in the U. S. Air Force.

He was a member and deacon of the First Baptist Church in Romney, a representative to the Eastern Baptist Association of West Virginia Convention and a member of Wappocomo Post 1101, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Geraldine (Messick) Glass; one daughter, Mrs. Linda S. Miles, Huntington; two sons, Sgt. Richard L. Glass, Clark Air Force Base, the Philippines; Michael E. Glass, at home; two sisters, Mrs. Evelyn Bartlett, Pontiac, Mich.; Mrs. Helen Winters, Swanton; two brothers, Charles Glass, Beaver Bay, Minn.; John Glass, Dayton, Ohio, and two grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Shaffer Funeral Home, Romney. Services were conducted this morning in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Frank Meadows officiating. Interment was in Winchester (Va.) National Cemetery.

The family requests memorial contributions be made to Hampshire County Heart Association.

GEORGE W. STONEBREAKER

George William Stonebreaker, 80, of Kitzmiller, died Saturday in the Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home, Oakland.

Born in Emoryville, W. Va.; he was a son of the late Harrison and Ruby (Ruble) Stonebreaker. He was a retired coal miner.

Surviving are his widow, Elva Catherine (Bernard) Stonebreaker; four daughters, Mrs. Mary Hartman, Elk Garden; Mrs. Wanda Love, Oakmont, W. Va.; Mrs. Dolly Warnick, Wolford, Md., and Mrs. Elnora Mann, Baltimore; one sister, Mrs. Rose Parnell, Fairmont, W. Va.; two half-sisters, Mrs. Jessie Tuel, Elk Garden, and Mrs. Edith Woods, Kitzmiller; one half-brother, Estel Ruble, Elk Garden, 26 grandchildren and 38 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the David A. Burdock Funeral Home. Services were conducted Monday in Elk Garden Assembly of God Church by Rev. Donald E. Marple. Interment was in IOOF Cemetery.

MRS. GEORGE VANSICKLE

Mrs. Delia M. VanSickle, 89, of RD 1, Friendsville, died Friday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born in Friendsville, she was a daughter of the late Harry and Harriett (Uphold) Kelly. She was preceded in death by her husband, George VanSickle. She was a member of Blooming Rose United Methodist Church.

Surviving are three sons, Lawrence and Paul VanSickle, Friendsville, and Harry VanSickle, Baltimore; four daughters, Mrs. Ona Meyers, Mrs. Amanda Casteel, Mrs. Anna Frazee, all of Friendsville, and Mrs. Icie Sines, Oakland; one sister, Mrs. Nora Savage, McHenry, 17 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Newman Funeral Home. Services were conducted Tuesday in Blooming Rose Church by Rev. Philip Geoghan. Interment was in Blooming Rose Cemetery.

LARRY E. LOCKHART

Larry Eugene Lockhart, 43, of Fountain Inn, S. C., died Wednesday, January 4, in that town.

He was born in Aurora, a son of Curtis Eugene and Gladys Price Lockhart of Amboy.

He was an Air Force veteran and an employee of Daniel Construction Company.

Surviving in addition to his parents are his wife, Hazel (Whitt) Lockhart; two stepdaughters, Susan Coker and Martha Heatherly of Pelzer, and Alvin Lockhart of Gray Court, S. C.; and one sister, Donna Goff, Amboy.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, January 7, at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church. Burial was in Cannon Memorial Park.

VIRGIL MOOREHEAD

Virgil S. (Tink) Moorehead, 71, of Bloomington, died Wednesday, January 11, in Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser.

He was born in Bloomington, a son of the late William and Frances (Simpson) Moorehead. His wife, Gladys (Cummings) Moorehead, died in 1965.

Mr. Moorehead was a former employee of the Chessie System and of the Masteller Coal Company.

He is survived by five sons, Ronald Moorehead, Keyser; Claude and Virgil S. Moorehead, Jr., both of Ridgeley; Raymond Moorehead, Bloomington; and Elvis Moorehead, Fort Bliss, Texas; four daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Kesner, Mrs. George Simpson and Mrs. Walter Meyers, all of Keyser; Mrs. Richard Pritts, Bloomington; one brother, Grinner Moorehead, Ohio; three sisters, Mrs. Walter Mitter, Bloomington; Mrs. Viola Wilson, McCoole, and Mrs. Marliena Streets, also of Bloomington; 24 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Boal Funeral Home, Westernport. Services were conducted there at 1 p.m. Friday by the Rev. C. E. Mayhew, with interment in Bloomington Cemetery.

MRS. GEORGE A. SNODDERLY

Mrs. Mildred F. Snodderly, 60, of Hagerstown, died Monday in Washington County Hospital in Hagerstown.

Born in Hagerstown, she was the daughter of the late John and Grace (Jackson) Ridenour. She had worked 25 years at Fairchild-Hiller Corporation and was preceded in death by her husband, George A. Snodderly.

Surviving are one son, Charles W. Snodderly, Hagerstown; one daughter, Mrs. Doris L. Baker, Oakland; three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Grayson, Cedar Lawn, Md.; Mrs. Ethel Barr, Hagerstown and Mrs. Evelyn Bushey, Cavetown; one brother, Charles W. Ridenour, Hagerstown; a stepmother, Mrs. Mary Ridenour, Hagerstown, and four grandchildren.

Services were held yesterday at the Minnick Funeral Home, Hagerstown, by Rev. Roger Burnett. Interment was in Rest Haven Cemetery.

WILLIAM W. MAYNE

William W. Mayne, 81, of Rowlesburg, W. Va., died Sunday, January 8, at Davis Memorial Hospital in Elkins.

He was born May 14, 1896 in Rowlesburg, a son of the late David and Mary Lee Mayne.

He retired as a conductor in 1959 after 32 years service with the B&O and Chessie System.

Survivors include his wife, Clara Patterson Mayne; six sons, James H. Mayne, Melvin Mayne, Arthur Dale; Walter Mayne, Reedsville; John Mayne and Joe Mayne of Crelin; and Raymond A. Mayne of Delaware; four daughters, Annie M. Mayne, at home; Mrs. Charles (Mary) Fisher, Star Junction, Pa.; Mrs. Lloyd (Marguerite) Parrish, Ogden, Utah; and Mrs. Dorothy Bray, Salt Lake City, Utah; three brothers, Weslie Mayne, Rowlesburg, and Leroy Mayne, Cumberland; Ernie Mayne, Kingwood; one sister, Mrs. Myrl Fortney of Tunnelton; 27 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, one son and one daughter.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, January 11, at the Burke Funeral Home in Rowlesburg with David Jackson of the Kingdom Assembly of Jehovah's Witness Congregation officiating. Burial was in Aurora Cemetery.

HOWARD B. ROTH

Howard Bliss Roth, 89, formerly of Mountain Lake Park, died Friday night in the Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home, Oakland.

Born in Garrett County, he was a son of the late Albert and Mariah (Clark) Roth.

Surviving are one sister, Mrs. Roy C. Lee, Mountain Lake Park.

Services were conducted Monday at the John O. Durst Funeral Home by Rev. Bernard W. Carl. Interment was in St. John's Lutheran Church Cemetery, Red House.

MRS. ALVA A. BURGESS

Mrs. Pearl Jeanette Burgess, 60, of Milam, W. Va., died Sunday at home.

Born September 9, 1917, at Mouth of Seneca, she was the daughter of Mrs. Cora (Alt) Nelson, Mouth of Seneca, and the late Walter E. Nelson.

Surviving, besides her mother, are her husband, Alva A. Burgess; two daughters, Mrs. Juanita Scott, Brandywine, and Mrs. Wilda Libby, Anchorage, Alaska; six sons, Ivan Burgess, Sterling, Va.; Carl Burgess and Gene Burgess, both of Arlington, Va.; Eston Burgess, St. Louis, Mo.; and Leon Burgess and Alva A. Burgess Jr., both at home; four sisters, Mrs. Dora Miller and Mrs. Hester Miller, both of Mouth of Seneca; Mrs. Minnie Ours, Friendsville, and Mrs. Ann Turner, Cabins, and

10 grandchildren.

Services were conducted yesterday at the Schaeffer Funeral Home, Petersburg, by Rev. Laurean Smith. Interment was in North Fork Memorial Cemetery.

MRS. RALPH R. RINGER

Mrs. Ellen M. Ringer, 76, of Terra Alta, W. Va., died last Wednesday in University Hospital, Morgantown.

Born at Crelin, Mrs. Ringer was a daughter of the late Richard McCabe and Minnie (Glover) McCabe and was the widow of Ralph R. Ringer.

Mrs. Ringer was a member of White Oak Church and a retired cook at Hopemont State Hospital.

Surviving are four sons, Darrell Ringer, Ferdinandina Beach, Fla.; Elmer R. Ringer and Dencil C. Ringer, both of Terra Alta; Billy Ringer, Oakland; four sisters, Mrs. Bertha Crawford, Mrs. Gladys Sypolt, Mrs. Loretta Metheny, all of Terra Alta; Mrs. Pearl Ringer, Richland, Wash.; three brothers, Carl McCabe, Core; Mervin McCabe, Kingwood; Dale McCabe, Palm Beach, Calif.; 13 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted at

the Fike-Watson Funeral Home in Terra Alta Friday afternoon by the Rev. Bob England and the Rev. W. C. Dunson. Interment was in Miller Cemetery.

MRS. LEWIS E. ROEMER

Mrs. Margaret C. Roemer, 92, of Cresaptown, died yesterday in Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home, Oakland.

Born in Baltimore, Mrs. Roemer was a daughter of the late Henry C. Fischer and Emma (Hanna) Fischer. Her husband, Lewis E. Roemer, preceded her in death.

Mrs. Roemer formerly operated the Modern Beauty Salon in Cresaptown.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Virginia Dick, Grantsville; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the George Funeral Home, Cumberland, today from 7 to 9 p.m.

The morning stars are Mercury, Venus, Mars and Saturn.

The evening star is Jupiter. Those born on this date are under the sign of Capricorn. Confederate General Robert E. Lee was born January 19, 1807.

On this day in history:

In 1861, Georgia seceded from the Union.

In 1938, the Spanish Nationalist Air Force bombed Barcelona and Valencia, killing 700 civilians and wounding hundreds more.

In 1965, a "cheating" scandal rocked the Air Force Academy in Colorado. A total of 105 cadets later resigned.

In 1975, Communist China published a new state constitution, which eliminated the post of head of state and ratified the basic precepts and policies of Mao Tse-tung.

A thought for the day: General Robert E. Lee said, "Duty is the sublimest word in our language. Do your duty in all things. You cannot do more. You should never wish to do less."

A rig carrying lethal Cobalt 60 was recovered 12 hours after it was stolen at St. Paul, Minn.

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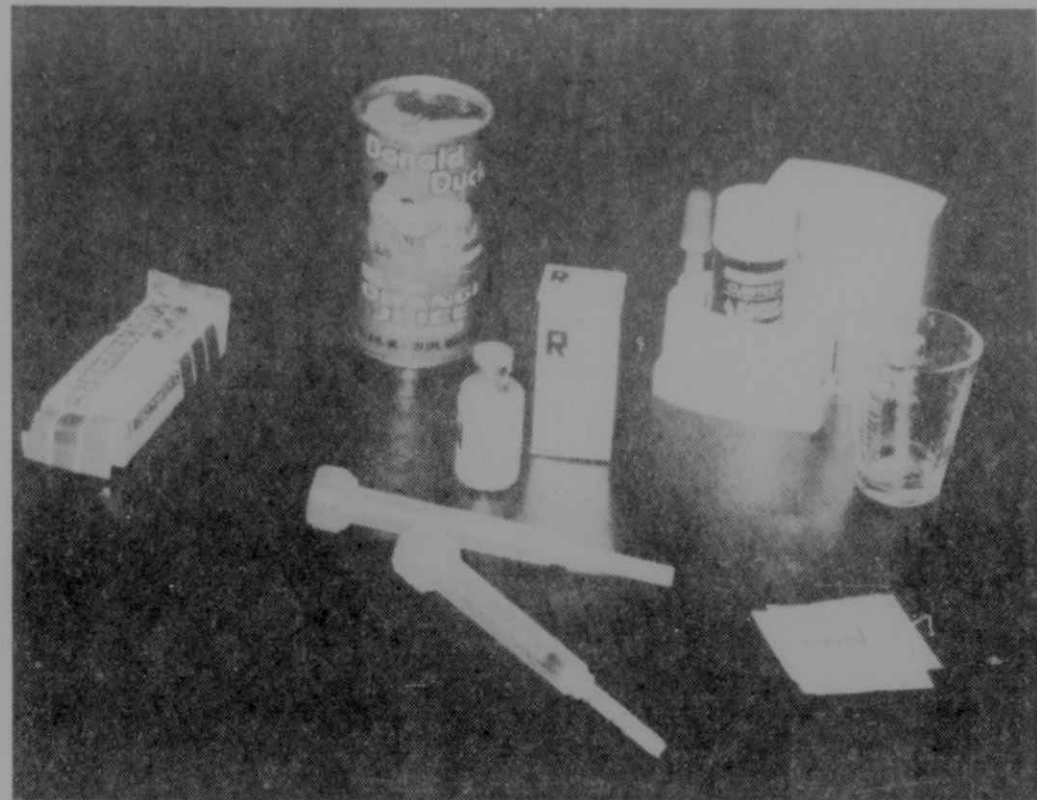
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By Carol Canan

Diabetes Mellitus, or "sugar" as it is sometimes called, is today ranked the number three killer of adults in the United States, and the number five killer of youngsters.

The disease strikes anywhere, as the approximately 5,000,000 Americans who are diabetics can testify. It is estimated that another two million have the disease but are not aware of it.

The prevalence of the disease and its long-term effects such as kidney failure, blindness and gangrene, has sparked a nationwide public awareness campaign through the media.

As part of the local public awareness drive, a local man, who has been a diabetic nearly half his lifetime, is attempting to form a Maryland affiliate branch of the American Diabetes Association. The first meeting is scheduled Monday, January 23, at 7 p.m. in the board room of Garrett County Memorial Hospital. The meeting is open to all who have the disease or who are interested in learning more about the disease and its controls.

Conducting the meeting will be Terry Knotts, who has been a diabetic since he was 14; Dr. Thomas Johnson, Ella Tall, dietician for the county health department; and Carol Kirby, physical therapist for the hospital.

Plans for the group include scheduling of monthly meetings. If size warrants, the group may be broken into four segments: for children, adolescents, adults, and

elderly.

From firsthand experience, Mr. Knotts will tell of the cumulative effects of diabetes which can lead to gangrene and resulting amputation of a limb, and how proper care may control the disease.

He relates that he learned the hard way that careless dietary habits and lack of exercise can lead to amputation of a limb after circulation is badly impaired. At WVU, when he was 25, he was told that his right leg would be amputated just below the knee due to severe circulatory problems but was able to delay surgery two days while physical therapy was followed. In just those two days, enough improvement was made that surgery was cancelled, and Mr. Knotts is a firm believer in all four points for controlling the disease, no matter how well he may feel at the present time.

Diabetes is an ancient disease, described as early as 3,500 years ago by an Egyptian. The name "diabetes" is derived from the Greek word meaning "siphon," referring to frequent urination, one of the early symptoms. The term "mellitus" comes from a Latin word for "honey," referring to sugar in the urine.

The disease may occur when the pancreas fails to reproduce enough insulin to turn food into glucose for the cells in the body. There are two types of diabetes, that which strikes those over 21, and another type which strikes those under that age, called juvenile diabetes. Of those who contract the disease while in adolescence, almost 100 percent require daily insulin injections.

Symptoms of the disease, in their approximate order of occurrence, include frequent urination; abnormal thirst; rapid loss of weight; extreme hunger; general weakness; drowsiness and fatigue; itching skin; blurry vision, and skin disorders such as carbuncles, boils or skin infections.

The disease then makes the body more susceptible to infection and speeds up certain degenerative processes such as in the eyes, kidneys, circulatory and nervous systems.

It was not until 1921 that the greatest control for diabetes was developed, when insulin was extracted by two Canadian researchers. On February 11, 1922 Joe Gilchrist was the first diabetic ever to receive insulin as treatment for diabetes.

Insulin or other drugs are only part of a four-step plan needed to control diabetes. Others are exercise (preferably the same amount each day), routine (meals at regular times), and diet, with well-balanced meals and minimum of sugar and salt intake.

Each is critically important to maintaining a balance in the body: too much insulin leads to insulin reaction or shock, too little to coma.

In an insulin reaction, brought about by too much insulin, not enough food or overexertion, the victim may experience mild hunger, sweating, dizziness, palpitations, pale, moist skin; shallow breathing, blurred vision, mental confusion and loss of consciousness.

In coma, when there is too little insulin and too much sugar present, the victim may have flushed, dry skin; weak-

ness, fatigue and drowsiness; fruity odor of breath, deep, labored breathing; vomiting and finally, unconsciousness.

The disease apparently strikes at random. Those most likely to become victims are between 45 and 70 years of age. Victims often have a family history of diabetes, and are overweight. Women are more susceptible than men, married women more so than unmarried women. However, the reverse is true of men, with unmarried men more susceptible than married men, probably because of dietary habits.

The disease is readily diagnosed by a simple glucose tolerance test requested by a physician.

Mt. Top D.A.V.

Cancels Meeting

Due to the weather, the regular meeting of Mt. Top Chapter No. 29 of the Disabled American Veterans has been cancelled for this Monday, January 23.

The next meeting will be the fourth Monday in February, on the 27th, according to Arlie Breedlove, commander.

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GRANTSVILLE NEWS

Is Rotary Speaker
Guest speaker at the Grantsville Rotary Club last Wednesday evening was Rotarian Carl Resneck, Accident. Mr. Resneck showed slides of a visit to Mainland China with Dr. Henry Kissinger.

Casselman Homemakers Meet
The January meeting of the Casselman Valley Homemakers Club was held at the home of Mrs. Nancy Jones. Mrs. Rawnie Gillum read the scripture, Mrs. Ruth Newman, the thought, and Hazel Klotz gave the demonstration on the metric system.

The group plans to visit the Goodwill Mennonite Nursing Home in February. The club is also planning a special event to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the group.

Present were Mrs. Brenda Hunt, Mrs. Stella Edwards, Mrs. Judy Pula, Mrs. Linda Walker, Mrs. Mary Hershberger, and guest Mrs. Pat Proudfoot.

The next meeting will be February 2 at the home of Mrs. Judy Pula at 8 p.m.

Plans Bowling Trip
The Woodmen Ranger Unit No. 128 met at the Woodmen Hall with eight members and four leaders present to plan recreation for the group. It

was decided to go bowling January 22 at 8 p.m. at The Bowler in LaVale.

Philip Pope, president, presided over the meeting.

Installation services were performed by Walter Younkin for past president, Philip Pope; president, Scott Wable; vice president, Dale Guthrie; secretary, Ronald Kamp; treasurer, Junior Guthrie; escort, William Green; watchman, David Lashbaugh; sentry, Matthew Pope; musician, Douglas Bittinger; colorbearer, Barry Atwood.

Meetings were suggested for the second Wednesday of each month. The Rangers and Rangerettes will participate in the Heart Fund drive on Sunday, February 19, from 1 to 4 o'clock. Refreshments were served.

Christ Lutheran News
At the Christmas Eve services Jeff Sebold, Terry Cowser, and Tanya Maust received their first Holy Communion at Christ Lutheran Church, Grantsville.

The church held installation of council members January 1, for newly-elected members Ray Lohr, Edward Walker and Kathleen Yommer.

Other members are Olen Breneman, Bob Diehl, Homer

Glottelty, Clyde McCurdy, Walter Michael and Cecil Sebold.

The Sunday Church School officers installed were Eugene Folk, superintendent; Shelby Diehl, assistant superintendent; Linda Hevel, secretary; June McKenzie, assistant secretary; and Martha Sebold, treasurer.

Christ Lutheran Church Women met at the home of Shelby Diehl January 11 with nine members and Pastor David E. Fetter attending. Projects and goals were planned for the new year, including making Christmas cards for the church Christmas tree; visiting members of the church, serving the area Christian Church Women's

Fellowship picnic in September, having a fellowship picnic in August, housecleaning the church February 6 and 7, and selling spaghetti spoons as a fund-raising project.

New officers for 1978 are Donna Folk, president; Hazel Klotz, vice president; Judy Sebold, secretary and Martha Sebold, treasurer.

Birth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Roger (Doug) Sines are the parents of a daughter named Lori Ann. Mrs. Sines is the former Lois Ann Wisor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wisor. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sines are paternal grandparents. The Sines' have one son, Ronald.

NOTICE

Anyone interested in joining a local affiliate of the MARYLAND DIABETES ASSOCIATION, please come to a meeting on JANUARY 23rd at 7:00 p.m., at GARRETT COUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL'S BOARD ROOM. This first meeting will be for organizing interested diabetics and their families to learn more about diabetes and its complications. For further information call Terry Knotts at

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:
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Where is the large, straight and heavy timber? Is the value of pulpwood so great as to be, at 1/2 cent a pound, delivered, the reason for this clear-cutting?

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The state of Maryland desires good forestry practices and in some instances "freezes" land assessments for this purpose.

Do woodland owners in this county desire low prices and high taxes? It would seem so!

The owner who cuts for the "dollar now" and subsequently complains of his high taxes is operating unreasonably but it is his choice. Who cares?

I do, because Garrett County deserves better. It is hoped that some may read and try the better way with higher income and lower taxes resulting.

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Pine Nut
Phil Garman
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David Saks, Director
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Editor:
I am writing about the bird count in Garrett County. Who in blue blazes belongs to or, let's phrase it this way, takes these surveys? Certainly not the Audubon Society.

We have in our vicinity alone 300 chickadees, eight cardinals, and grosbeaks by the thousands. I'm not kidding.

There are also a few birds I'm not familiar with. They are bluish in color with red-tipped wings and a red ruffie around their necks.

We feed our birds and so do my father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. White. I hope someone can tell me in your editorial what the bird described is.

Thank you.
Mrs. Oliver Weimer
Deer Park, Md.

Editor's Note:
We've referred your de-

scription to Mrs. Fran Pope, coordinator for the National Audubon bird count for this area. Perhaps with some additional descriptive details, she may be able to tell you the name of the specie. She can also give you more information concerning the annual bird counts.

Dear Mr. Editor:
In reply to your front page editorial "People Do Care," I want to thank each and everyone who responded to the call of the emergency of my late wife.

But sir! The call came 6 hours too late. She needed the blood at 1:00 a.m. The call went to Cumberland and as Oakland had none on hand, and it arrived two hours later by taxi.

The sad part is, they knew six months ahead she would be coming to the hospital. At 5:30 a.m. she slipped into a coma for lack of blood. The call for blood went out at approximately 7:00 a.m.

It is a sad thing to know in this day of modern medicine and medical practice, that a doctor would not know normal bleeding from severe hemorrhaging from a tear.

Had a surgeon been called hours earlier, she would still be alive today. We know childbirth could be natural, but this is why we take them to a hospital, in case complications set in. I believe they take childbirth too much for granted.

Sincerely,
Glavis Sisler,
Friendsville

Youth Charged With Larceny

Oakland police investigated a petty larceny which occurred on Second Street Friday, January 13.

According to the report filed by Officer Cross, a money bag was grabbed from the possession of Jerry Stewart, bookkeeper for The Republican office. Mr. Stewart gave chase, and the suspect then dashed into Proudfoot's Pharmacy, where he dropped the bag.

Owners of the pharmacy identified a local young man as the person who had fled through the store.

Perry Shaffer, Jr., was brought to the police station Saturday by his father, and was then charged with petty larceny. He is free on \$1,000 bond pending trial.

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Miss Doris Opel, Broad Ford School Berkeley Health teacher, used a number of resources to teach the unit.

Students were introduced to Recording Annie, the mannequin used by the Southern Rescue Squad, when Mrs. Louise Upton and Mrs. Hazel Stewart of the squad brought one of the units to the school. Students had their blood pressures taken and were given a chance to learn to take blood pressures.

Recording Annie served as a model to help students learn organs of the body, and the skeletal, muscular, respiratory, and circulatory systems.

Helping with the nutritional part of the program were Mrs. Loretta Opel and Mrs. Nadean Whitacre, from the extension office. The women gave lessons on the basic four food groups and fifth graders were given foods to taste.

Pat Cooper, Tony Brown and Kenny Hutton, students from the Backbone Mountain Boys Center, told fifth graders of their experiences with drugs and alcohol and suggested students study, become involved in school life, and live a "straight" life.

Also in conjunction with the project, a health career day was held for fifth graders. Volunteers from the community who participated were Dan Seib, counselor; Clint Englander, pharmacist; Andrew Mance, M. D.; Truman Paugh, deputy; and Charles Ross, attorney. Rev. Manning Smith answered questions concerning God, the Bible and health, drugs, and alcohol.

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Herman J. Haywood, Westernport - 359-3061 Pam Spurrier, Oakland - 334-9702

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1977 Miss Oakettes parade leaders pictured with their trophies are, left to right, Teresa Thomas, Brenda Plessinger, Kim Cryser and Brenda Ruff. Trophies were presented by corps director, Mrs. Doris Eddy.

The Oakette Majorette Corps held its sixth annual "Miss Oakette" Pageant and Awards night on Friday, January 13. Winning titles as 1978 "Miss Oakette" were Bonnie Cryser, senior, with Teresa Thomas taking second place; junior "Miss Oakette" was Shannon Livengood with Tracy Imhoff runner-up; and the juvenile trophy was given to Christy Martin while Kristine Patton was awarded second place. Judges for this competitive part of the program were Karen Eddy, Judy France and Brenda Snyder.

Achievement awards were presented to members of the corps by its director, Mrs. Doris Eddy. The Outstanding Oakette trophy was earned by senior member Bonnie Cryser. Leader's trophies went to Teresa Thomas, senior leader; Brenda Ruff and Brenda Plessinger, junior co-captains

and to Kim Cryser, juvenile leader. Jennifer Barrick received her trophy for being the only majorette with perfect attendance in both parades and classes. Thirteen twirlers had perfect parade attendance. They were Bonnie, Kim and Diane Cryser, Elisa Madigan, Kim Simpson, Lisa Dever, Tracy Imhoff, Jennifer Barrick, Chrissy Chlores, Shannon Livengood, Kristine Patton, Linda Paugh and Sherry Dever.

Two members of the Oakettes received five-year membership plaques: Sonja Peterman and Teresa Thomas. One of the most meaningful awards presented yearly are the Most Improved trophies. 1978 winners were senior, Teresa Smith; junior, Julie Kreyenbuhl, and juvenile, Christy Martin while second place award winners were Sonja Peterman, Tracy Imhoff

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Many new girls in the training classes attended the pageant along with parents and friends of the competitors. These new members will begin marching with the Oakettes when the 1978 parade season begins in the spring. Any girl over six years of age is welcome to join the corps by contacting Doris Eddy.

Two Births Listed

Two babies were in the nurseries at Garrett County Memorial Hospital this past week, a boy and a girl.

On Friday, January 13, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Brison L. Thomas, McHenry. The mother is the former Mary Elizabeth Rexrode.

A daughter was born January 16 to Mr. and Mrs. George Allen Gay, Shallmar. Mrs. Gay is the former Sandra Kay Harvey.

There were 41 admissions and 49 discharges during the week, leaving 51 patients at the hospital this morning.

Education Board Discusses Calendar

As a result of two snow days in the calendar thus far this year, the Board of Education at their January 12 meeting designated Friday, January 27, as a student day and Thursday, March 23, as a student day in the school calendar. Students will report to school on those days.

In other action, members Herbert G. Harman, Clarence Stem, Troy Gnegy, and Brooks Hamilton supported a report developed by a joint committee of the Garrett County Board of Education and the Garrett Community College to implement an alternate program for high school students.

The Board also discussed the action of the Maryland Music Educators Association not to permit students to participate in the All-Maryland Chorus or Orchestra unless their teacher is a member of the Maryland Music Educators Association. They agreed to support the Public School Superintendents' Association in opposing this action.

In a report developed by Mrs. Charleen Thomas, Supervisor of Instruction, and presented by Albert Ringer, Assistant Superintendent in Curriculum and Instruction, it was reported that in the elementary schools of Garrett County on visitation day 77% of the students had one or more parents attend the school for a conference. This was nearly 8% higher than the percentage for the school year 1976. Some discussion was held as to ways to improve the conference process and to get full participation from the parents in the Garrett County community.

OAKLAND PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Meese recently returned to their home on Third street, after a three-week vacation in Florida. While there they visited Mr. Meese's foster son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lowdermilk.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin 'Skip' Bernard have returned from a trip to Miami, Fla., where they attended a Souvenir and Gift show, buying for their shop, The Trading Post. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Perry Giotfelty and also visiting the Giotfelty's were Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry S. Rush, RD 1, Oakland, became the parents of a daughter Tuesday, January 17, at Memorial Hospital in Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bolding were in Ridgewood, N.J., recently to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. George Bolding.

Judge and Mrs. Fred A. Thayer and Judge and Mrs. Lewis R. Jones were in Baltimore over the weekend where the judges attended a meeting of the Maryland Judicial Conference from Thursday through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson of Berkeley Springs, West Virginia, are visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Price, Thousand Acres, and his mother, Mrs. Emma Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Pelton entertained a group with three tables of '500' at their home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis returned recently from San Antonio, Texas, where they spent the holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David J. Griffith and their two children.

Mrs. James A. Riley was in Annapolis over the weekend where the meeting she was to attend was cancelled due to the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Shaffer of Winchester, Virginia, and their children spent the weekend of January 7th with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shaffer, Red House.

Mrs. Carolyn Elliott, Hutton, was admitted Monday to Garrett County Memorial Hospital for tests and observation.

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Clair Englander**Receives RN Degree**

Clair Englander, daughter of Clinton W. and the late Jean J. Englander of Oakland, received her Associate Degree in Nursing from City College in San Francisco, California.

Clair was active in the City Masters Swim Team and she learned various alternate healing skill techniques during her nursing studies.

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After a Spring visit with family and friends in the Oakland area, Miss Englander plans to continue her training by entering midwifery apprenticeship. Clair is a 1971 graduate of Southern high school.

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Mr. Playford Townshend returned home from Poughkeepsie, N.Y., where he has been attending school.

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By reference to our professional adv., it will be seen that T. J. Peddicord and A. B. Gonder, Esqs., have formed a copartnership for the practice of law.

Church Services

Lutheran Church — preaching at 11 o'clock a.m. by Rev. O. C. Miller, Sunday School at 9½ a.m.

Corporation Election

An election was held on Saturday last for Burgess for Oakland, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John M. Read, Esq., which resulted in the unanimous choice of D. E. Offutt, Esq.

Roll of Honor

Names of pupils in Oakland School whose deportment has been perfect during the past month: males, Charles S. Davis, Willie Davis, Harry Loar, Eddie Sincell, Zealous Tower, Holly White, Arthur Townshend, George Little, Edward Kildow.

Females, Katie Townshend, Laura Stalnaker, Mattie Kepner, Amy Brooks, Bessie Brooks, Susie Hamill, Stella Jarboe, Ella Ison.

Real Estate Transfers

The following is a list of transfers filed for record in the office of W. H. Tower, clerk of the Circuit Court in Garrett County for the week ending January 18, 1878.

John Murphy and wife to Herman Beckman, Military Lot No. 1171, \$500.

Samuel P. Smith, Trustee, to John R. Browning, Military Lots Nos. 1117 and 3130, the same being part of a tract called Leonidas, \$164.

Meeting of School Board
The School Commissioners for Garrett County met in their office on Tuesday last. A full Board was present. On the motion of Dr. Burns the schools were ordered to be closed at the end of present term, namely, 53 days from Nov. 12 including legal holidays. By Mr. Delawder: That schools opened subsequently to November 12 be entitled to 53 days.

County Commissioners Meeting
County Commissioners met at 10 a.m. on Thursday. The

following Road Supervisors' account were approved:

George L. Bosley presented bill for repairing bridge across Little Yough for \$8.50.

Board ordered clerk to notify Ezekiel Totten, Esq., that the building formerly rented of him for County offices was no longer needed.

William White, Henry Russell and William H. Hall appeared in regard to a road located through lands of Wilson Procter, urging the necessity of opening said road. Laid over until Friday. At the next meeting Mr. Procter appeared before the Board and objected to the opening of said road as located through his property.

Plans and specifications for building the bridges across Savage River and Deep Creek (long before Deep Creek Lake) adopted by the Board.

Thomas Martin presented a bill for hauling coal, etc., \$4.75. Approved and ordered issued.

Sealed proposals for building stable, coal house and water closet for sheriff's house received as follows: J. M. Jarboe, \$175; Charles Bolden, \$110; J. M. Crim, \$96; W. D. Burton, \$166.20; G. A. Spedden, \$108. Contract awarded J. M. Crim at \$96.

The following are a few of the many road supervisors appointed:

E. Kitzmiller, road from Wilson's Store to Kitzmiller's Mill, \$30; Daniel Wilson, road from Kitzmiller's Mill to Lost Land Run, \$50; William Sharpless, all roads worked by him last year, \$50.

Silas Walters, road from Sand Flat to Deep Creek Narrows Bridge, \$15; Noah Humberson, Morgantown Road from east end of river bridge to W. Va. line; also road from James Rush's watering trough to Kimmell Frey's farm, also Ryland Hill road to Friendsville, \$95.

Jacob D. Otto, road from Pike (Route 40) north to Pa. line south from Blocher school house to road crossing from J. Gnagey's to Comptons; also Little Glade Hill road south to Lausman's; also road leading from new Bridge at S. Baker's farm past Jonas Beachy's to John Bender's down to the pike at Stanton's; also road from Samuel Engle's Schoolhouse to William Hoovers, \$120.

Alexander Fresh, all roads south of Accident, including road from Johnson's to Windy Ridge; also road from Jacob Shatzler's to Bear Creek via Jonas Mosser's; also road from Melchior Miller's to West farm, \$100; William H. Hoyer, road from Sang Run to south end of Deep Creek bridge.

Married
At the residence of the bride's parents, at Pine Swamps, this

county, on Tuesday, January 15, 1878 by Rev. John M. Davis Mr. Charles H. Whetsell and Miss Isabel Teets, all of Garrett County.

On the 10th at the residence of John Roth, Esq., of Garrett County by Rev. W. Y. Cline, Mr. Lloyd C. Shaffer of Preston County, W. Va., and Miss Laura E. Roth, of Garrett County (Miss Floss Shaffer's parents).

Ice Houses for Farms

No reason a farmer should be without ice in the summer time. No reason an ice house should be built below ground. It was thought to be the best place at one time but its preservation above ground was not only cheaper but the ice was more surely preserved. Ice may be tolerably well kept when simply stacked up in a large body and covered with straw sufficient to keep air and rain out. Also great quantities of sawdust will do the same or better.

Cut the ice in uniform blocks: 18 to 20 in. squares is good for handling. Fill the house. An eight-foot cube of ice will be sufficient for an ordinary-sized family or moderate-sized dairy and a cube of 14 to 16 feet will furnish ice for large dairies.

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Paul S. Frank, Jr.
PLANET POSITIONS

Saturday, Mars will be at opposition at 7:00 p.m. Sunday, Venus will be in superior conjunction at Midnight, just five hours after Mars' opposition. What does this mean? If one could be transported high into space above the north pole of the sun, and looked down, the sight would be of Mars, earth, sun, and Venus all in a line, in that order. So opposition means the planet is exactly opposite the sun in direction from earth. Superior conjunction means that an inner planet, Venus or Mercury, is exactly in line with the sun, as predicted, but on the other side of the sun so it cannot be seen from earth.

MOON

Tuesday, the moon will be at Full Moon phase at 2:55 a.m. This is an opposition of the moon. Moonset ranges from 3:55 a.m. this morning to 7:58 a.m. next Wednesday morning. A waxing moon will be visible this week until Tuesday.

406,100 kilometers (252,400 miles) separate earth and moon tomorrow at 9:00 p.m. This apogee is the greatest separation between earth and its satellite this month.

VISIBLE PLANETS
Mars, Jupiter and Saturn are the visible planets this week. Mars is among the stars of Cancer. It is visible all night. Jupiter is high in the sky at sunset near the boundary of Gemini and Taurus. Saturn is near Regulus in Leo. It rises about three hours after sunset.

DAYLIGHT INCREASES
Nine minutes more daylight will be available on Wednesday than today. Sunrise was at 7:34 a.m. this morning. At 5:22 p.m. the sun will set. Wednesday sunrise will be at 7:31 a.m. followed by sunset, nine hours 57 minutes later at 5:28 p.m.

Commissioners Hear By-Laws, Health Outline

Dr. William Pope, county health officer, and representatives from the county Alcoholism Program made statements to the Garrett County Board of Commissioners at their meeting Monday.

Dr. Pope, accompanied by Shelby Paugh from the health department, presented an outline, "Mandate and Mission of the Health Department," pointing out that their department has received inquiries concerning the role of the health department.

Dr. Pope emphasized that health services provided by the health department are designed to complement the services provided by private enterprise and are not in competition with private health services.

He reviewed the state health department directives concerning the goals, agencies and services to be provided the county departments in the 10-page statement.

During the health board meeting, Scott Ward, Mrs. Becky Seib and John Toston presented proposed by-laws for the Alcoholism project. The Commissioners voted to approve the by-laws, and will announce soon the names of those appointed to the local Alcoholism Advisory Board. John Toston is currently president of the board.

The presentation of by-laws for approval follows a July ruling which mandated that every county in the state must have an Alcoholism Advisory Board and must abide by certain rules.

Sheriff John Evans, Jr. met with the Commissioners to discuss the necessity for additional office supply money for the fiscal year, due to higher than anticipated use of supplies.

The Commissioners authorized an additional \$800 for office supply expenditure in the department.

Clayton Smith, assistant administrator for the county roads department, spoke with the commissioners during the regular monthly roads department meeting, discussing status of snow removal and driving conditions on county roads.

He later informed the Board that crews had worked through Tuesday night in efforts to clear county highways.

Herb McCrobie, administrator for the department, was absent due to illness Monday.

Two Belgian draft horses, together weighing 3,169 pounds, recently tugged 3,250 pounds of dead weight 27½ feet, at Harrisburg, Pa.

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Saturday Night Fever

Saturday Night Fever, starring John Travolta, is a study in futility. Travolta portrays a lower-middle class Brooklyn youth, trapped in an atmosphere of family arguments, boring jobs and low wages. His character, as Tony Manero, possesses a special form of escapism — Tony is king of the local 2001 Disco scene.

The movie is rated R, and rightly so . . . there is bad language and sexual innuendos, but they weren't thrown in as box-office draw. They are necessary to the story and add to the flavor of the characters.

Travolta plays opposite Karen Courney. Courney, a veteran of the soap opera, carries over the same bland performance into her character, Stephanie.

Heavy Snowfall Blankets Area

The heaviest snowfalls of the season have blanketed the Mountain Top the past week. About 21 inches have fallen. County Roads Department has been plagued with drifting. State Roads have been kept open, but have been snow-covered. Schools have been closed much of the time.

The big storm began Friday evening and has kept up more or less through yesterday. The heaviest fall was Tuesday, seven inches. A State Highway spokesman said that crews have been out almost continuously. The snow emergency plan was put in effect Friday evening and has remained so since. All roads have been open but snow covered. A spokesman for the County Roads said they have been having difficulty with drifting in all areas. Schools were closed Monday, open but closed early Tuesday and closed all day yesterday. One

Stephanie, as Tony's competitive dance partner, is a well known type. Name-dropper, ad nauseum. She seems unimpressed by Tony's macho appeal and cruelly ignores him while she pursues her champagne life-style on a beer budget.

Saturday Night Fever possesses one of those easily imitated scenarios and only Travolta's performance inimitable. Travolta brings to the screen a charm and frailty uncommon to other big name male stars. He has enough human foibles and amusing one-liners to make himself endearing.

Travolta has not lost any of his "Kottresque" charm and the movie is worth seeing, if only for the dancing and Travolta's portrayal of Tony Manero.

difficulty has been ice under the snow.

Last Thursday was cloudy with snow beginning late in the evening. Friday was cloudy until the big snow began late that evening. Saturday was overcast with light snow falling all day giving an accumulation of six inches, for that time. Sunday was variably cloudy with high winds and snow showers dropping another four inches. Monday was mostly cloudy with more light flurries. As mentioned above the heaviest fall came Tuesday, seven inches. In the afternoon and evening the snow was mixed with sleet and freezing rain. Yesterday the sun broke through the clouds at times but the day saw more light snow with light breezes. Total precipitation for the week was 1.83 inches and snow 21 inches.

Temperatures averaged 8.4 below normal for the past week. Highs averaged 28.7 degrees or 10.3 below normal. The highest reading was last Thursday's 31 degrees followed closely by yesterday's 30

degrees. Sunday's high was a chilly 19 degrees. Lows averaged 13 degrees or 6.4 below normal. The lowest was 6 degrees Monday. Sunday's low was 7 degrees.

Snowfall for the season now totals 52.1 inches.

Looking back to last year this time there were five days with lows below zero. The high for January 17, 1976 was a minus three degrees with a chill factor of a minus 67 degrees. This year there has been less high, sustained winds.

Good Friends And Family Ties Is Aid To Longevity

BERKELEY, CALIF. (UPI) — People live longer and are healthier when they have good friends and family ties and belong to social and religious groups.

These findings from a University of California study by Lisa Berkman are based on a survey of 7,000 residents of Alameda County, where the campus is located. Ms. Berkman, 27, is a disease specialist at the university's School of Public Health.

"I followed the mortality for nine years," she said.

Her study showed persons with a low level of social contacts faced two to four times the risk of dying than people with many attachments.

The university said the study "provides the first strong scientific evidence to link social and community ties to mortality rates and perhaps to an overall resistance to disease."

Ms. Berkman said her study stemmed from a survey of the 7,000 persons by the Human Population Laboratory of the California Department of Public Health.

Her research measured

social ties by noting whether participants were married, had contacts with close friends and relatives, were church members or belonged to formal and informal groups.

The study found each factor associated with increased mortality risk for every age group between 30 and 69, and for both men and women.

"In each case, persons with strong social ties and relationships had lower mortality rates than those without such contacts," the university said.

"The more intimate ties of marriage and contact with friends and relatives proved stronger predictors than ties of church and group membership."

Ms. Berkman, who is joining the state health department, said persons low on the social contact scale had a higher risk of dying not only from leading ailments but also from accidents and suicides.

Socially isolated people tended to have the worst health habits, eating and drinking too much, smoking and avoiding exercise, she said.

"It's a difficult situation (for isolated persons) to be in," said Ms. Berkman. "I guess my feeling is that people don't always do it by choice."

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Last week's foot of new snow made headlines in newspapers all over the east, from northern Florida to northernmost Maine. This scene, near Blackwater Falls, was typical of many spots

throughout the area as the fluffy flakes clung to trees and blocked roadways. Garrett County schools were closed Monday, Tuesday afternoon, and Wednesday this week.

Intoxication And Leaving Scene Draw Heavy Fine

Driving while intoxicated and leaving the scene of an accident resulted in heavy fines imposed on one man as noted on the docket of District court for the week ending January 17.

Flody Emanuel Baumann, Thomas, W. Va., pleaded guilty of two charges. For operating or attempting to operate a motor vehicle while intoxicated, Judge Lewis R. Jones fined him \$200 and costs. For failing to stop at the scene of a property damage accident (unattended), he was fined \$100 costs.

Other less serious cases were heard.

Douglas L. Sikora, Pittsburgh, pleaded guilty of exceeding the posted speed limit and was fined \$15 and costs.

Kenneth A. Richmond, Pennington Street, Oakland, pleaded guilty of the same charge and was placed on probation before judgment and paid costs.

Kenneth L. Kelsey, Davis, W. Va., had been charged with displaying expired registration. The case was dismissed as his West Virginia license was delayed.

Exceeding the posted speed limit: Terrance D. Bickhardt, Middletown, N.J., \$30; Joseph R. Bowers, Wardsville, W. Va., \$30; Joseph C. Lewis, R. 1, Oakland, \$40; Douglas E. James, Chestnut Street, Oakland, two charges, \$30 and \$40; Robert L. Mullinix, Sykesville, \$40; Lawrence R. Gumro, Uniontown, Pa., \$50, and Keith

R. Reed, Pysell Road, McHenry.

Operating on expired registration plates, \$30, and exceeding the posted speed limit, \$40; John M. Macejczyk, Bethel Park, Pa.

Failing to stop for a traffic signal, \$20, and speeding greater than reasonable and prudent, \$30, Milton H. Proudfoot, Westernport.

Failing to reduce speed to avoid a collision: Paul E. Liller, Jr., RD 3, Oakland, \$30, and Marianne Bernsdorff, Swanton, \$20.

Failing to obey a stop sign: Marshall F. Bittinger, Jr., RD 1, McHenry, \$30, and Gary L. Mansfield, RD 2, Swanton, \$20.

Negligent driving, \$30, William H. Herring, Star Route 2, Oakland.

Failing to keep to the right side of the road, \$30, Daniel A. Ahern, Crellin Road, Oakland.

Speeding greater than reasonable and prudent, \$20, Charles D. Reese, Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Failing to grant the right-of-way from a private road, \$30, Arthur E. Scofield, McHenry. Amounts shown include fine and costs unless otherwise noted.

Two Area Students On ACC Honor List

Allegany Community College, Cumberland, has announced that 297 students attained the Honors List for the fall semester.

Included in that list are Sharon A. Glass and Cynthia S. Kamp, both of Grantsville.

To be honored, a student must have a semester point average of 3.30.

To be honored, a student must have minimum grade point average of 3.30 on a 4.0 scale.

Eleanor M. Callis Accepts Position With Heart Association

Mrs. Eleanor M. Callis, Mountain Lake Park, has accepted the position of "Heart Days for Business" Chairman for Oakland and surrounding areas, according to Mrs. Shirley A. Hinebaugh, 1978 General Chairman, Southern Garrett County American Heart Association-Western Maryland Chapter.

Mrs. Callis will be responsible for working with her volunteers to contact the area businesses for their annual Heart Fund donation.

In accepting the position, Mrs. Callis said, "Heart disease is the nation's #1 killer, it is estimated 1,003,300 will die of cardiovascular disease in 1978. This represents 53% of deaths from all causes in the country."

She went on to point out that the percentage of deaths in Garrett County due to heart disease is even higher than the national average. In 1978 heart and blood vessel diseases will cost over \$28.5 billion and 6.2 million man days of production will be lost.

A doctor's assistant, Mrs. Callis is a graduate of Southern High School and Frostburg State College. An active member of the community, she has held many offices with the Junior Woman's Civic Club. She is also chairman for the March of Dimes. She and her husband, Donald Callis, have two children, Lois and Jacquelyn Callis.

Mrs. Callis will also be working with the Heart Sunday Campaign in Oakland. She urges all members of the business community to help in the fight against heart disease with their donations.

Assault, Battery Cases Dismissed

Two assault and battery cases were dismissed among other cases heard in District Court before Judge Lewis R. Jones on Monday.

David Loy Wilt, RD 1, Grantsville, had been charged with assault and battery on Raymond H. Wilt last October. In November the case was set on condition Wilt cause no public trouble. Monday the case was dismissed as the victim summoned failed to appear.

Carl Welch, RD 5, Oakland, had been charged with assault and battery on his wife, Betty Welch, in Oakland in December. Monday the case was dismissed as the wife did not wish to testify.

Michael Blain Twigg, Cumberland, pleaded guilty of larceny of a Christmas tree of Elmer H. Upole, Jr., near Grantsville in December. Twigg was fined \$10 and costs. A 10-day jail sentence was suspended and he was placed on probation for 6 months and is to make restitution of \$10 to Upole.

Eileen F. Butts, RD 3, Gorman, had been charged with false pretense with intention to stop payment of a check at Grantsville in October. The case was dismissed. Larry J. Hoffman, Huntingdon, Pa., had been charged with resisting arrest and battery on police officer David Crossland in Oakland in December. Both charges were dismissed in a plea bargaining involving three traffic violations.

The cost of Maryland government in the past decade climbed twice as much as the cost of food.

Police Investigate Two Car Accidents

Maryland State Police investigated two motor vehicle accidents on Route 219 Tuesday morning and Wednesday morning, according to Cpl. S. M. Russell of the Oakland detachment.

On January 17, a one-car accident occurred on Route 219 at the intersection of Hoyes Road. No charges were made against the operator, Marilyn Jo Harman, who told police that she was operating her 1977 Buick Regal northbound when the car slid on the ice. The vehicle then went off the right side of the roadway and struck a culvert.

At 9:15 a.m. Wednesday, Timothy Smith, Oakland, was proceeding north on Route 219 at Foster Road, traveling at a slow rate of speed due to a grader just ahead engaged in clearing snow. A vehicle operated northbound by David Mark Evans, Deer Park, failed to slow sufficiently and struck the Smith vehicle in the rear.

Evans was charged with operating at a speed too great for road conditions.

Burning Sunday Paper Claimed A Health Hazard

CHICAGO (UPI)—Don't burn the Sunday newspaper magazine section with its bright color pages in your fireplace. And by all means do not use the color pages to start the charcoal in your cooking grill. Those color pages are loaded with lead.

This is an admonition in a recent Journal of the American Medical Association.

In the fireplace most of the lead would go up the chimney, polluting the neighborhood atmosphere. If many homes on the block were burning the Sunday color pages, the lead content of the air would rise considerably.

Starting a grill with black-and-white newspapers won't bother you, but burning color newspapers is taboo. The lead could go directly into the hamburgers.

Colored inks with the highest lead content are, in descending order, yellow, red, green and blue. There is little lead on black printer's ink.

Fort Detrick, Etam Stations Provide Hotline With Moscow

FREDERICK MD. (UPI) — A new hotline connecting Washington with Moscow via satellite is fully operational, a spokesman for Fort Detrick said Tuesday.

Spokesman Norman Covert said the Detrick Earth Station provides a direct link between the president of the United States and the head of the Soviet Union in case emergency messages need to be sent. The messages are sent via teletype.

It is one of two such stations in the U. S. — the other being in Etam, W. Va., he said.

If the president wants to send an urgent message to Moscow, he alerts the Pentagon, which in turn sends the message through Fort Detrick or Etam.

Hotline teletype messages are transmitted to the Soviets in English and Soviet messages are sent in Russian, though both sides use special coding to "help provide proper security," Covert said.

He said the superpowers agreed to inaugurate the system at Fort Detrick Monday after each government was assured it met required technical standards.

Prior to the satellite installation, the hotline was linked through a cable system established in August 1963.

But Covert said the old system was vulnerable to interruption. It once was severed by a farmer's plow in Finland and another time by telephone workers in the U. S. He said there is a backup transmitter in the event of such accidents.

"The two hotline satellite systems employ the Soviet Molniya and the U. S. Commercial Intelsat Satellites," he said. "The Detrick Earth Station is (connected with) the Molniya system of four satellites, which are in highly elliptical, inclined orbits."

The entire system is under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Army Communications Command. It was designed and is operated by a private computer company, the Harris Corp.

Covert said circuits are tested hourly with translators

manning the printers at both ends of the system.

Fewer Than 19% Use Safety Belts

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Fewer than 19 percent of the nation's drivers use safety belts, the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration reported in a nationwide survey.

The study was made from August 1976 through March 1977.

Among other things, it revealed that drivers' safety belt usage is higher in subcompacts and compacts than in larger models such as intermediates and standards.

Usage also is higher among drivers of foreign models than domestic.

More than 27 percent of western city drivers use belts, compared with 12 percent usage in eastern cities.

Women drivers racked up 20.6 percent usage, compared with only 17.3 percent among men.

The survey also showed more young drivers (18.3 percent) were seen using safety belts than drivers over 50 (15.4 percent).

The heaviest use noted was 22.1 percent for drivers in evening rush-hour traffic.

Gene Liller Files As Register Of Wills Candidate



L. Gene Liller filed for the office of Register of Wills on the Democratic ticket on Friday, January 13.

Gene is a graduate of Oakland High School, and is a U. S. Navy veteran. He has operated a barber shop in Oakland for the past 32 years.

A resident of 101 W. Center Street, Oakland, he and his wife, the former Betty Lou Sanders, are the parents of one daughter and two sons.

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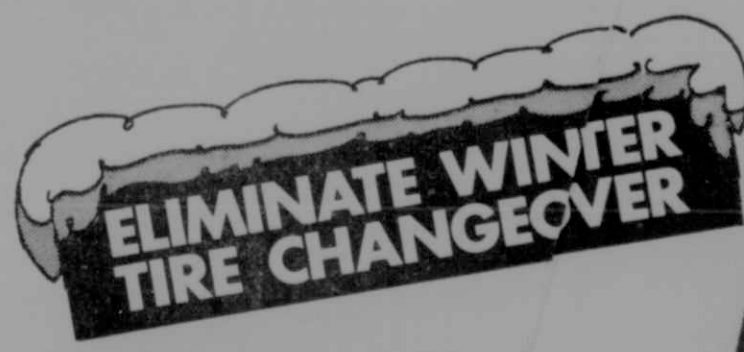
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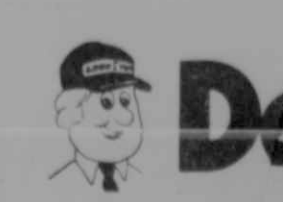
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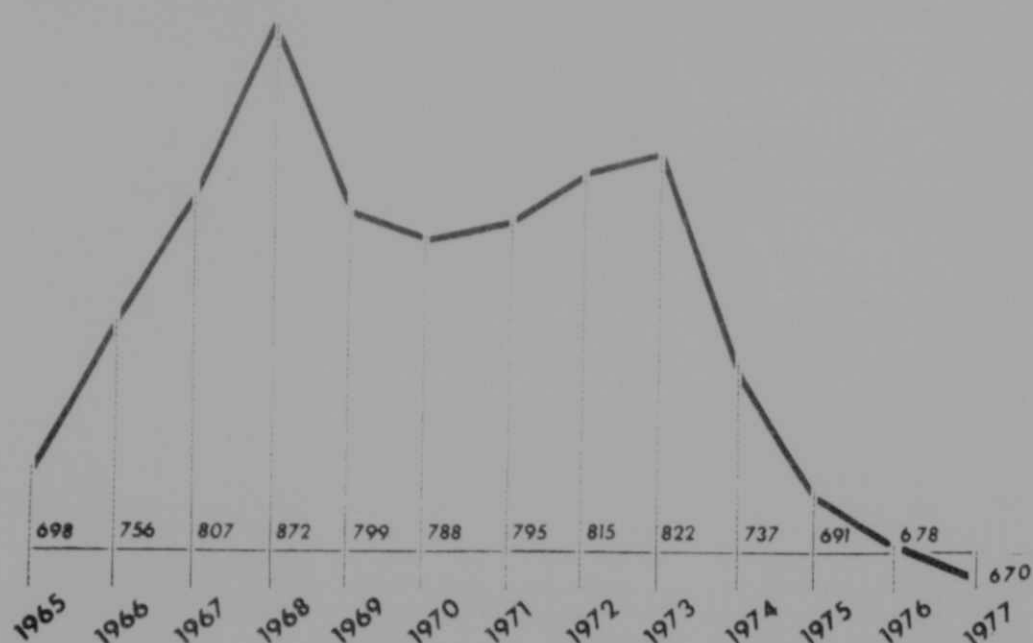
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MARYLAND HIGHWAY FATALITIES



TRAFFIC DEATHS DROP TO 13-YEAR LOW — Maryland traffic deaths dropped to 670 during 1977, which is the lowest number of fatalities recorded in the last 13 years. Besides Maryland, Massachusetts is the only other state that has had a declining death count during the past four years, Maryland Troopers cite their speed enforcement program along with selective patrolling of high accident locations as contributing to the lowered death count.

Traffic Fatalities Continue Decline, 1977 Total Lowest In 13 Years

State Police statisticians report that 670 persons were killed on Maryland highways during 1977.

This is the fourth year in a row for a declining highway death count. The only other state reporting a four year decline in deaths is Massachusetts.

Maryland experienced a sharp reduction in fatalities in 1974 due primarily to the energy crisis, reduced driving and the lowering of the national maximum speed limit from 70 mph to 55 mph.

Maryland highway deaths

climbed during the first half of 1975 which triggered stepped-up speed enforcement by the State Police who used many unusual vehicles to nab speeders. By the end of the year, the death rate had been dramatically slowed.

An analysis of fatalities during 1976 showed that two out of three persons killed had been drinking and that three out of five deaths involved excessive speed.

A special State Police study was conducted with the assistance of the Maryland and U. S. Department of Transportation. This unique review of accident reports identified 96 short stretches of roadways where the majority of speed and alcohol related crashes had occurred in Maryland from 1973 to 1976.

In February, 1977 the State Police launched "Operation Yellow Jacket." This continuing special enforcement program is funded by the Maryland Department of Transportation and features special patrols at these high accident locations using teams of Troopers, some of whom are on overtime status.

According to State Police Superintendent Thomas S. Smith, "The lowering of the speed limit to 55 mph has had the most dramatic effect on traffic safety in history of this state." Smith cites Maryland's two-point program of speed enforcement and selective patrolling of high accident locations as critical factors in the continuing decline in fatalities.

Although national surveys show that motorists agree with the 55 mph speed limit, other surveys have indicated that

drivers are most apt to comply with the posted limit in states where there is strict police enforcement.

In 1974, Maryland Troopers issued 108,000 speeding tickets. This number jumped to 183,000 during the next year, which was a 69 per cent increase. In 1976, Troopers cited 203,000 speeders. This number increased by 10 per cent during 1977 when 231,000 tickets were issued.

"More Marylanders seem to be voluntarily complying with the speed limit," said Col. Smith. "We are arresting an increasing number of out of state drivers." In 1974, about 31 per cent of motorists ticketed by State Police were out-of-state residents. This percentage has continued to increase. Last year almost 40 per cent of the drivers ticketed were non-Maryland residents.

"The three best safety tips I can give motorists," said Smith, "is to obey the speed limit, don't drink if you have had too much alcohol to drink, and always use your seat belt."

Between session committee meetings of the Maryland General Assembly showed an excess of 35 percent absenteeism according to a survey.

COVE

The Cove Homemakers Club will meet on Tuesday, January 24, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Paul Bender. The demonstration "Metric System" and tips on conserving energy will be presented by Mrs. Walter Margroff assisted by Mrs. Walter Hanft. The regular meeting date is Monday, January 23 but has been changed because of the Embroidery Workshop, sponsored by the Extension Service on Monday, January 23 from 7 to 9 p.m. at Northern High School, where the 12 basic stitches, used in crewel and regular embroidery work will be taught. Those attending can bring fabric, needles, embroidery floss or crewel yarn, embroidery hoop and scissors.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith, Winfield, W. Va., announce the birth of their second child and first son, Jeffrey Lee, on Sunday, January 1 at the Meyersdale Community Hospital. Many gifts were received due to the fact that the infant was the first baby born at the Meyersdale Hospital in 1978. Mrs. Wagner is the former Miss Connie Butler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Butler. Mrs. Laura Kamp and Mrs. Edith Butler are maternal great-grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Margroff and family and Mrs. Walter Margroff were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Strider, Jr., Boonesboro, Md. Little Julia Marie Strider, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Strider was baptized on that morning at the Lutheran Church, Mr. and Mrs. James Margroff were sponsors for their niece, Julia Marie.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Harman were Mr. and Mrs. Murlin Becker, Warsaw, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, Dallas, Texas; Carl Harman, Lawrenceville, Ill.; and Miss Joyce Harman, Martinsburg, W. Va. Joyce and Jerry Harman met Carl at the airport in Morgantown on Friday evening. They were all here to attend the wedding of Paul Harman and Betty Glover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Glover at Zion Lutheran Church, Accident, on Saturday evening, where Rev.

Fred Illick officiated. Many other friends and relatives were in attendance there, and also attended the reception following the ceremony at the Wisp, McHenry. About fifty friends and relatives gathered at the William Harman home afterward to meet with both sides of the family and visit with Mrs. William Harman's sisters, Mrs. Murlin and Mrs. Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. Harman served the rehearsal dinner at their home on Friday evening for Rev. and Mrs. Illick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Glover, Cherry Harman and Tom Glotfelty, who were organist and assistant and the wedding party.

Among the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Glover to attend the wedding of Paul Harman and Betty Glover were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Glover and son, Mike, Mt. Airy; and their guests, two girls from Guatemala, Phena and Telma; Mrs. Patty Glover and children Kimberly, Todd, Jeff and Tina, Friendsville; and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Evans, Winterville, Ohio.

Saturday overnight guests of Miss Emma Krause were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harman and son, Clarksburg, W. Va., who also attended the wedding of Paul Harman and Betty Glover. Before returning to their home in Clarksburg, they motored to Winchester, Va., to visit with Mrs. Harman's father, Mr. Teets, who is a patient in the hospital there.

Among those visiting with Earl Hanft at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, the past week were Rev. Fred Illick, Accident, Rev. Roe, Cumberland; Carroll Hanft, Addison, Pa.; Elmer Hanft, Mrs. Walter Hanft and daughter Juanita and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ryland, Elmer Hanft, Mrs. Woodrow Friend, Mrs. Walter Hanft and daughters, Elizabeth and Melrose were all Thursday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pike, Confluence.

Elizabeth and Melrose were Sunday dinner guests of Misses Alma, Esther, and Claudine Opel in observance of Elizabeth's 14th birthday anniversary, which occurs on January 19. Mrs. Walter Hanft and Juanita were callers. Elmer Hanft was a supper guest of the Walter Hanft family.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harman on Tuesday evening honoring Jerry and Cherry Harman, twins, who were observing their 20th birthday that day. Guests were

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Harman and sons, Accident; Tom Glotfelty, Bittering; Mrs. Edgar Harman and son Keith and Miss Emma Krause. Randall and Mark Harman were Sunday evening visitors of the Edgar Harman family.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Beitzel and family, Grantsville. Mr. and Mrs. Bender left Monday evening to go to Virginia to attend classes this week at Eastern Mennonite College, Harrisonburg, and planned to be guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Yoder in Timberville.

Skip Schwing, who has been spending the vacation from the University of South Carolina with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Schwing spent Friday and Saturday in Morgantown with some ex-classmates and attended the West Virginia University-Rider basketball game there.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. John's Lutheran Church, LCA, met on Wednesday evening, where hostesses were Mrs. George Hetz and Mrs. Vernon Reichenbecher.

Attendance awards were given out at St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, last Sunday. Having perfect attendance were Robert, David, Barbara Jean, Gary and Linda Oester; Esther and Claudine Opel. Missing one Sunday were Mrs. Robert Oester, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harman, Mrs. John Friend, Hubert Thomas, Mrs. Paul Thomas, Susan Thomas, Walter, Juanita and Elizabeth Hanft. Missing two Sundays were Mrs. Walter Hanft and Melrose Hanft.

Jeff, Gina and Eric Bender were among those bowling at the Bowler in LaVale on Sunday afternoon with members and guests of the Oak Grove Mennonite Youth Fellowship.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Everett McClintock were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Denker, Miss Donna McClintock, a student at West Virginia University, Morgantown, spent the weekend here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward

Golden and daughters were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Trimble, McHenry.

Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Oren Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Yoder and family, Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Friend and Mrs. Woodrow Friend were Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs. Sam Friend and Betty, Friendsville.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Richter were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and Mrs. Edith Butler, Bittering.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Younk and family were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Faulkner, Deer Park. Mrs. Younk and children were Friday overnight guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shank, Altamont.

A Sunday evening visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ringer was Herbert Ringer, Grantsville.

Mrs. Dean Hockman and daughter are visiting relatives in Eckhart for a vacation.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Denker were

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denker and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary McClintock and sons were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Burrow, Listonburg.

Saturday visitors of Edward Hachman and Mrs. Clara McRobie were David Hachman and friends of McKeesport. Ralph Kolblich also visited at the Hachman home and also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman, where Mrs. Mildred Beeman was a visitor one day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Margroff and family were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tressler, Springs, Pa.

Ski Larceny Reported

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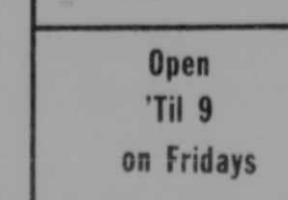
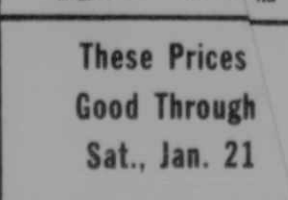
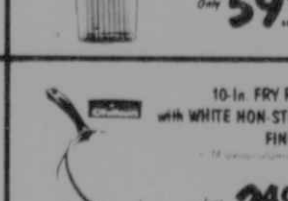
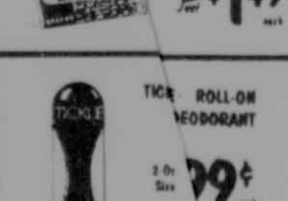
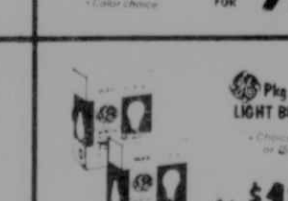
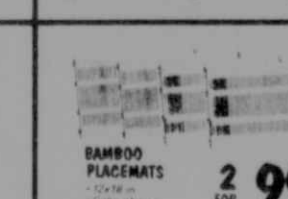
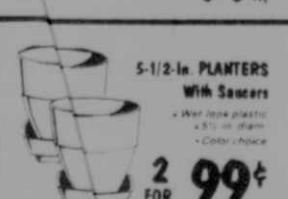
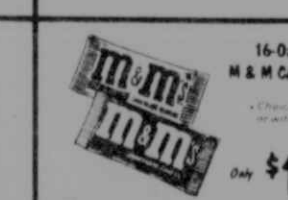
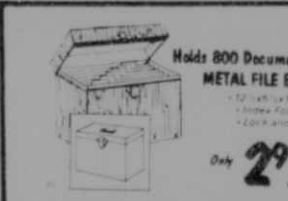
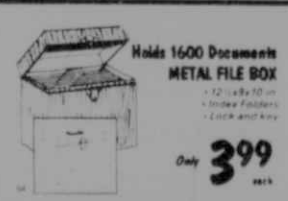
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PET POINTERS

by Jim Willis



First in a series of articles on pet care and problems by Jim Willis — staff writer, The Republican.

The proper care of man's best friend, the dog, during this wintry weather may pose a problem. Although the dog may have been blessed with his own fur coat, he still needs substantial protection from the elements.

The best of all possible solutions is to keep the dog inside. However, this is not always practical if you happen to own a very large breed of dog, or a hunting dog. If the animal must remain outside, he should be provided with adequate shelter. The shelter needs to be expensive — only well built. Fiberglass or plywood are economical and easy to work with. The dog house should be large enough to allow the animal to turn around, stretch out and stand upright and the opening should be large enough for easy passage.

The placement of the doghouse is another consideration. A level area with adequate drainage is advisable. Place the shelter away from drifting snow and cut the door opening on the side which receives the least wind. It is important to regard not only the outside temperature when you are constructing your animal shelter, but also the wind-chill factor. Although the thermometer may only register 30 degrees, a wind gusting at 50 mph could make it very uncomfortable for your pet.

Provide your dog with adequate bedding. A layer of straw and an old blanket will do nicely. An increase in his food will also be necessary as an animal's metabolism burns up the carbohydrates at a faster rate during the winter.

Fresh water is also important. To keep the dog's water from freezing, place it inside his doghouse and pack styrofoam packing material around the bowl as insulation.

Animals are a bit more

sensible about avoiding frostbite than their owners, however, German Shepherds and other breeds with "stand-up" ears should be checked periodically for signs of frostbite. If frostbite is suspected, it is wise to check with your veterinarian for treatment.

With a little help from his friends, man's best friend will survive the frigid temperatures admirably.

Maryland General Assembly To Cost Nearly \$11 Million

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — The year-round workings of the Maryland General Assembly will cost taxpayers nearly \$11 million this year — partially to pay the 188 legislators, but mostly to maintain support services, staff and facilities.

"It is difficult to single out the cost of the formal 90-day session, which began Wednesday, from the annual appropriation," said William Ratchford II, director of the Department of Fiscal Services.

"How much of a legislator's \$12,500 salary do you put into 90 days?" he asked. "That kind of thing is the reason we have never broken it down."

The General Assembly's annual budget this year was \$7.5 million. Two agencies that have been created to help the lawmakers — the Department of Legislative Reference and the Department of Fiscal Services — cost an additional \$3.5 million for their legislative work.

While there is no figure on the cost of the 90-day session alone, a study has estimated it costs about \$1 million of the \$7.5 million budget to move the more than 4,000 pieces of legislation introduced annually through the General Assembly — or about \$239 per bill.

However, the cost does not include the expense involved in debating the bill. It covers only such tangible costs as printing, clerical staff and supplies.

Transfers Show Several From District One

A large number of District One deed transfers were noted in the office of the Department of Assessments and Taxation, January 17. Improvements are shown as 'imp.'

District 1, Swanton
Eight parcels from Sky Valley, Inc. to Robert W. Huebner and wife, 46 acre; Frederick C. Snyder and wife, 46 acre; William G. Raymonn and wife, 49 acre; George R. Sanduik and wife, 46 acre; Norbert J. Rottloff, Sr., and wife, 1.2 acres; Mark S. Colburn and wife, 1.2 acres; Paul J. Mouly and wife, 1.3 acres, and Manfred Kroll, 48 acre.

Augustine M. Bowling and wife to Bertram J. Boughman and wife, 46 acre and imp.
Daniel Kock and wife to Richard L. Levin and wife, 46

acre and imp.

William Jordan and wife to William D. Lukde, wife and others, 34 acre and imp.

Harvey Bruce and wife to Edward J. Grau, Jr., and wife, 34 acre.

Blanche Halsey and others to Denzil D. Smith and wife, 2.24 acres.

Enterprise Vacation Homes Inc. to Aubrey R. Johnson and wife, one lot.

Board of County Commissioners to James E. Murphy, 58 acre.

Harold Muma to Walter W. Jackson and wife, 63 acre.

Charles Boyer and wife to Elizabeth Boyer, 35 acre and imp.

Jack Carson and wife to Benjamin F. Truax, 46 acre.

James W. Baker and wife to Robert H. Baker, 10.73 acres.

Harry Rounds and wife to Robert R. Paugh and wife two acres and imp.

Alexander A. Harvey, Jr., and wife to Eleanor A. Harvey, 82 acre.

Allen Getz and wife to Herbert C. Addison and wife, 5.5 acres.

Amos Smith and wife to Emerie G. Dusic and wife, 36 acre and imp.

Bessie Shank to Daniel G. O'Brien and wife, 8.18 acres and imp.

Glenn Green and wife to Everett P. Green and wife, 32 acre and imp.

Everett Green and wife to Glenn L. Green and wife, 94 acre and imp.

Earl Bernard and wife to Dorthymae Kyle, 27 acre and imp.

Kenneth Maphis and wife to William K. Heise and wife, 25.63 acres and imp.

Lakeside Development Corp. to Robert J. Welch and others, 1.56 acres and imp.

District 2, Friendsville
Glenn Sines and others to David L. Riley, 99 acre and imp.

Seven parcels from James E. Frantz and others to Harry M. Sausman and wife, 2.55

acres; James E. Frantz and wife, 2.43 acres; Mabel M. Yutzy, 2.47 acres; Josephine M. Fisher, 2.5 acres; Joyce E. Skidmore, 2.46 acres; Mary F. Myers, 2.55 acres, and Raymond Thomas and wife, 2.5 acres.

Betty and Eugene Coddington to Kenneth W. Fike, 17 acre and imp.

Walter F. Driscoll, III, to William W. Driscoll, 27 acre and imp.

State Scholarship

Deadline Jan. 31

Senator Edward J. Mason announced recently that the Maryland State Scholarship Board will be holding a phone session on January 28.

Senator Mason stated, as the January 31 mailing deadline for the 1978-79 State Scholarship Applications draw near, the phone lines at the State Scholarship Board will be open on Saturday, January 28, for those persons unable to reach

the Board during the week.

As in previous years, persons needing help in completing or obtaining the application materials can call 383-4095 on Saturday, January 28, between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. or try the financial aid officer of any

nearby college during regular working hours. The State Scholarship applications for the 1978-79 school year can be obtained at all high school guidance offices and college financial aid offices.

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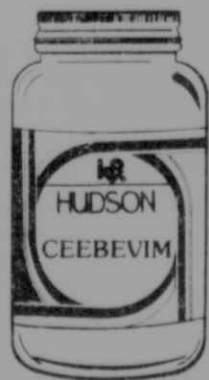
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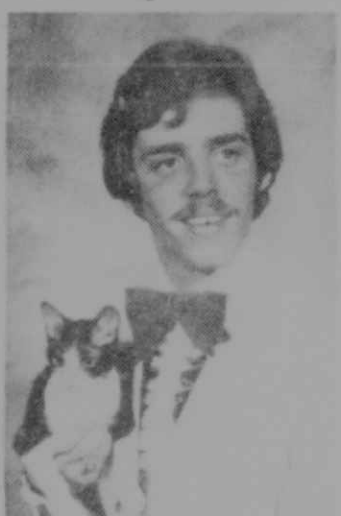
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Majestic white and red oaks tower over a meandering rail fence in the Short Run area, making a beautiful study in stark black and cold white.

Jim Willis New Staff Member of The Republican



The Republican announces a new addition to the news staff with employment of Jim Willis this week as a sports and features writer, columnist and photographer.

A native of Pittsburgh, Pa., Jim is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl V. Willis. While in high school he also attended Carnegie Mellon's Tam O' Shanter Art School and also the Shady-side Art Academy.

He attended Geneva College in Beaver Falls, Pa. as a pre-med major for two years and

has also studied art for several years, taking some instruction from Mavis Bridgewater. He received an A.A. degree from Geneva.

He did weekly features and a cartoon for the Geneva college paper, "The Cabinet" and also contributed a weekly pet column to the Beaver Valley News Tribune.

In 1975 he moved to Kingwood, W. Va. to stay with family friends, the David G. Milne family, and then moved to Morgantown to continue his biology studies at West Virginia University.

He has been admitted to the Studio Group, a group of West Virginia professional artists, and has exhibited at several area art shows.

Calligraphy, the art of decorative lettering practiced by the ancient monks, is a form of hobby for Jim, who has taught several calligraphy seminars and has several scrolls exhibited in private collections.

He also does free-lance art work in both fine and commercial art, which includes public relations and advertising under the name of Starving Artists Graphics.

Additional interests include breeding purebred cats such as the rare Cornish Rex from England, pictured above, and

he exhibits and occasionally judges at cat shows. He has contributed several genetic and breed articles to pet publications and is the author of a book, "The Angora Anthology."

His other interests include music, dance, drama, tennis and skiing.

Single, he has taken an apartment on Fourth Street in Oakland. He has one brother, Danny, who is majoring in architectural engineering at Carnegie Mellon.

Mrs. Abrahamson Speaker For BPW

Mrs. Ann Abrahamson was the guest speaker at the January meeting of the Garrett County Business and Professional Women's club held last Thursday at Will o' the Wisp.

Mrs. Abrahamson is coordinator for the Child Abuse project in the county, affiliated with the health department. She is a member of the Child Abuse team consisting of persons from all agencies in the county concerned with the project.

Mrs. Abrahamson told the group of the growing awareness of child neglect and abuse nationwide, and the increase in cases in this county from 15, two years ago to 90 reported cases last year.

Mrs. Pat White was chairman of the program committee and made arrangements for the speaker.

Next month's meeting will be February 16 at 6:30 p.m. at Will o' the Wisp. Mrs. Jean Deem, chairman, will present the International Week program. Dr. A. E. Mance will be a guest speaker.

Hunting Bill Gets Favorable Report

The Maryland Senate Economic Affairs Committee last week reported favorably on Senate Bill 288, introduced by State Senate Minority Leader Edward J. Mason (R., Allegany and Garrett Counties), which was originally introduced to abolish the "big game" stamp for deer and turkey hunting and replace it with two separate stamps: a special deer stamp and a special turkey stamp.

The cost of the present "big game" stamp is \$5.50. The bill proposed that the separate deer and turkey stamps would each cost \$3.10.

After a hearing before the Economic Affairs Committee, a compromise was reached amending the original bill. The effect of the change is to maintain the "big game" stamp at present cost and to create a separate special turkey stamp at a cost of \$3.00. Under this plan, a hunter taking deer only or deer and turkey must purchase the "big game" stamp, while a hunter taking turkey only must purchase the turkey stamp.

All persons over the age of 65 will still be able to purchase these special hunting stamps for \$1.10.

The delegates introduced H.B. 296, an act to repeal the \$2 Public Lands Stamp required by hunters on state land, because they believe that this is an unnecessary tax burden on the hunter in general and specifically discriminatory against Western Marylanders whose counties contain a higher percentage of state land. The delegates also proposed H.B. 297 which would divide the Big Game Stamp into two separate

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House Committee Considers Bills On Hunting Legislation

Among the numerous bills of concern to local hunters now being considered by the Maryland General Assembly in Annapolis are two measures introduced by the Allegany Co. delegation. Hearings on H.B. 296 and H.B. 297, introduced by Delegates DeCorsey Bolden, William Byrnes, Thomas

Spartans Trample Rams, 70-62

The Bishop Walsh Spartan's defense hung on tenaciously as they endured a Southern Ram's 12-9 lead at the end of the opening session, closing the gap to a 34-28 intermission advantage and then leading 51-40 entering the final session.

The Spartans' defense outmaneuvered the Rams and forced 23 turnovers to overcome a 34-30 rebound deficit, ending with a 70-62 win.

Bishop Walsh's Kevin Carcella led the scoring with nine baskets and 8 of 11 from 15 feet for a total of 26 points.

Six of Jimmy McIntyre's nine floor shots, coupled with six of eight from the line, added to the Spartan effort.

Mark Rogers registered 15 points and led the Spartans' rebound tally with 11.

Steve Liller of the Rams, sunk five of 12 shots from the court and 10 of 11 line-shots for 25 points, and teammate Reg Messenger connected with eight of 10 baskets from the

floor, totalling 16 points. Todd Liller contributed 11 for Southern.

The Rams step down to a 1-3 league record and a 5-5 for the campaign. Southern's game with Union, scheduled for Tuesday night, had to be postponed due to the inclement weather.

The win marked the Spartan's second in a row and ups their record to an overall 8-3, with a Potomac Valley Conference standing of 3-2.

Southern G F P F T
S. Liller.....5 10 11 5 20
Bittlinger.....2 2 2 8
T. Liller.....1 3 5 11
Kohl.....3 0 0 1 9
DiSimone.....1 2 4 7
Messenger.....8 0 1 16
Stover.....0 0 0 3 0
Totals.....24 14 19 26 62

Bishop Walsh G F P F T
Mullaney.....0 3 5 2 3
Perrin.....0 0 1 0
Carcella.....9 8 11 8 26
Farrell.....2 3 5 8
McIntyre.....6 8 3 18
Rogers.....3 3 2 15
Carney.....0 0 1 2 0
Totals.....24 22 32 14 70
Southern 12 28 40-62
Bishop Walsh 9 34 51-70

Lakers Outscore Fayette, 96-86

John Guadagnino's 24 points and Neil Rice's 22 points led the Garrett Community Lakers' attack on the Fayette Campus of Penn State University, Monday night, which ended in a Lakers' 96-86 conclusion.

The Lakers backed Fayette into a 46-37 advantage at halftime. McGarvey, Phillips and Liller continued the two-digit precedent despite Wally Ziminski's ankle injury.

The Garrett Cagers knocked Fayette from the court by a tight 40-39 margin, matching a conversion of 16 out of 23 foul-line attempts against Fayette's eight-for-ten effort.

Fayette's Sam Lucette and Bruce Triplett led the offensive

with 24 points and another contribution of 16 points from Terry Jones, but to no avail as the Lakers netted their 10th win of the season.

Garrett CC G F P F T
John Guadagnino.....12 0 0 24
Kevin Liller.....4 4 3 16
Ken Niner.....1 2 4 4
Neil Rice.....4 4 0 22
Pete Brashman.....1 0 1 2
Bill McGarvey.....7 3 5 37
Rick Phillips.....4 2 3 0 11
Totals.....40 14 23 14 96
Fayette Campus G F P F T
Furcell.....1 0 1 2
Terry Jones.....4 0 4 16
Rushock.....4 0 1 8
Sam Lucette.....12 0 3 24
Bruce Triplett.....10 4 5 24
LaPorte.....1 2 1 4
Shaffer.....1 0 0 2
Avi.....1 2 3 4
Mohar.....1 0 0 2
Pichman.....0 0 1 0
Totals.....39 8 10 22 84
Halftime score: Garrett 46, Fayette 37

Rams Lose PVC Game To Vikings

The Southern Rams took a 60-52 tumble from Petersburg High, Saturday night at Petersburg in a Potomac Valley Conference game.

The loss dropped the Rams to 5-5, despite a valiant effort by Steve Liller who chalked up 25 points.

The Redman brothers of Petersburg, Tony and Ritchard, scored 16 and 15 points, respectively, and John VanMeter added 12. Joe DiSimone and Reg Messenger added nine and eight points, respectively, to the Rams' total.

The Rams persevered even though the Vikings were slowly widening the score margin. Then in a series of quick maneuvers, the Rams closed

the gap to an eight-point deficit in the final three minutes.

The Southern Rams are scheduled to team up against arch rival Northern High School tomorrow evening at home.

Southern G F P F T
S. Liller.....10 5 8 4 25
Bittlinger.....2 0 1 2 4
T. Liller.....1 4 5 6
Kohl.....0 0 2 0
DiSimone.....4 1 3 9
Messenger.....3 2 3 8
Stover.....3 0 2 0
Totals.....20 12 20 32 52
Petersburg G F P F T
Everette.....3 2 4 8
VanMeter.....6 0 3 12
R. Redman.....5 5 6 15
T. Redman.....5 2 4 15
Nesbitt.....1 1 1 7
Fridell.....1 0 1 2
S. Redman.....0 0 0 0
Totals.....21 14 25 30 60
Southern 12 24 37-52
Petersburg 20 30 48-60

deer and turkey stamps.

Testifying against both bills was Bernard Halla, director of the Maryland Wildlife Administration. Director Halla reported that the repeal of the Public Lands Stamp would cause the Wildlife Administration to lose approximately \$100,000 in annual revenue. Director Halla also argued that the division of the \$5.50 Big Game Stamp into two separate deer and turkey stamps, each costing \$3, would create another loss of \$190,000 to the Wildlife Administration budget.

In spite of opposition by the Wildlife Administration, the delegation plans to continue in their lobbying efforts to pass this legislation in the House, according to Del. Bolden.

Rams Wrestle To Fourth Win

Southern High School's Matmen wrestled their fourth win from Central Preston County of West Virginia with an impressive score of 57-9, last Thursday evening in Garrett County.

Coach Mike Huddleston's undefeated team registered nine pins and one decision and the Rams suffered losses of one pin and one decision.

Jim Clark, Stan McRobie, John Hayhurst, Dave Brown, John Toston, Jim Barnes, Perry Clark, Jim Hinebaugh and Jeff Palucci scored pins leading the Rams to victory.

The Rams won six consecutive pins from the 119-pound class through the 155-pound class. Bob Wolfe marked Southern's only decision and Bill Herring, along with Greg

Stiles, braved the Rams' two setbacks.

The Rams grapple against Petersburg at home next Monday night.

Southern 57, Central Preston 9
98 Brian Montgomery, Central, decision Bill Herring, 11:18
105 Jeff Palucci, Southern, pinned Terry Knotts, 1:15
112 Bob Wolfe, Southern, decision Steve Thorne, 5:7
119 John Hayhurst, Southern, pinned Mark Braham, 2nd period
124 Dave Brown, Southern, pinned Ken Houlihan, 1st period
132 Stan McRobie, Southern, pinned Allen Plum, 1st period
138 John Toston, Southern, pinned Greg Teetes, 1st period
145 Jim Barnes, Southern, pinned Mike Teetes, 2nd period
155 Perry Clark, Southern, pinned Rick Strout, 3rd period
167 Ray Hash, Central, pinned Greg Skiles, 2nd period
185 Jim Clark, Southern, pinned Van Thistlethwaite, 2nd period
Unl Jim Hinebaugh, Southern, pinned Jeff Warnick, 3rd period
Referee Bill Payne.

Lakers Overthrow Frederick, 89-75

The Garrett Community Lakers stepped over Frederick Community College as they dribbled their way to an 89-75 win in an American Division JUCO contest, last night at Frederick. Five Lakers scored two-digit figures during the game.

After taking a 37-30 intermission lead, GCC slowly, but steadily, increased their lead in the final two periods.

Kevin Liller sparked the Lakers with 20 points on eight baskets and four of six free throws. Liller's teammates, Ken Niner, John Guadagnino,

Neil Rice, and Bill McGarvey contributed 18, 14, 12, and 11 points, respectively.

Frederick's Al Luby confronted the Lakers with 25 points, but the Lakers enjoyed a 34-27 edge from the floor with both teams converting 21 free throws.

The Lakers will be back into action at home this Saturday with Dundalk at 8 p.m., and Sunday against Hagerstown at 2 p.m.

Garrett G F P F T
Guadagnino.....6 2 4 16
Liller.....8 4 3 18
Rice.....6 0 1 12
Niner.....8 2 3 18
McGarvey.....3 5 7 11
Phillips.....3 3 1 11
McPherson.....0 4 5 4
Thornhill.....0 0 0 1 0
Brown.....0 1 2 0 1
Totals.....34 21 30 20 89
Frederick G F P F T
Potter.....2 3 4 7
O'Brien.....2 4 6 2
Theisell.....3 1 2 7
Flaherty.....4 0 0 8
Harrison.....2 4 6 2
Hessler.....1 0 0 1 2
Luby.....2 4 6 2
Klosterman.....0 3 4 2 3
Triplett.....1 1 2 3 3
Hessler.....1 0 0 1 2
Napoli.....1 2 2 4
Totals.....27 21 28 24 75
Garrett 37 89
Frederick 20 75

Gymnastics Team, Exchange Student On JWCC Agenda

The Oakland area gymnastics team gave a demonstration at Southern Middle School at the January 5 informal meeting of the Junior Woman's Civic Club. The evening was also designated as guest night by the club.

Gymnastic instructors for the Oakland school teams are Rick Hill, Morgantown, and Rose Ann Edwards, Kingwood.

Part two of the program featured a foreign exchange student from France, Laurence (Lo Lo) Carrette, who showed films and spoke of her country.

Presiding at the business meeting was Mrs. Pat Stemple, club president. Chief topics of business were the coming Cupid's Caper dance at the National Guard Armory February 18, and the club's participation in the Mothers' March of Dimes canvass January 22. Members of the club will be working in the Oakland area that afternoon soliciting donations for March. In case of inclement weather, an alternate date has been set for January 29.

Program chairman for the exchange student was Vickie Evans. Program chairman in charge of sports is Mary Lou Stemple. Arrangements chairman were Beth Newcomb and Annie Steyer.

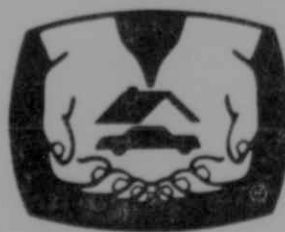
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Norm Oakvik is the father of cross country skiing in the Midwest. During his 35 years in "X-C" he has held several Nordic championships, including Special and Combined Cross-Country in both Senior and Veterans classes and the North American Senior Special Cross-Country Championship.

Norm is a U.S.A. Central Division Cross Country Coach and a founding member of the North Star Ski Touring Club, the nation's largest. He was the first coach of such outstanding skiers as Steve Riesch, Jim Beitz and Doug Peterson, member of the current U.S. Olympic Cross Country Ski Team. Norm lives in Minneapolis and serves as Director of Research and Development for the Normark Corporation.

VI. If You Can Walk, You Can Ski
Cross-Country
I'm not kidding: cross-country skiing is an extension of walking. You ski just as you walk, your arms and legs performing similar alternating roles in each activity. In both, your left arm and right leg come forward together, then the opposite pair. It's as natural as breathing.

In X-C skiing, we call this movement the basic diagonal glide, from the simultaneous use of the arm with the opposite leg and vice versa. Now, to get going, drive your right knee forward with your opposite, left arm. Emphasize the drive of your right knee and apply all of your weight to that extended ski, thus initiating the glide. At this point, you will find yourself riding comfortably on your right ski with your left arm forward, the diagonal arm and leg trailing to the rear.

Now, the weight-free trailing left ski comes forward, thanks to good knee-drive, accompanied by the opposite, right arm. As you drive your left leg forward, you should be pushing backward in the snow with your left ski pole. It is vital that you maintain powerful forward knee-drive. As the gliding ski slows down the "kick and glide" process is repeated on the other ski. Don't relax your knee-drive after one leg overtakes the other. Keep driving! Follow through! Kick-glide. Kick-glide. Kick-glide. At first, exaggerate your actions to help break away from the walking step and get into the gliding mode. Bend your knees, get your hips forward, swing your arms and seek a powerful kick followed by a relaxed glide. The next kick should come just as your momentum is tapering off. Timing is crucial. Time your poling motion to coincide with the knee-drive: as the right knee drives ahead, the right arm pushes back on the pole on that side. Reverse the process. Kick-push-glide. Kick-push-glide. Right knee drives forward, right arm thrusts pole back. Left knee drives for-

ward, left arm pushes back against that pole.

In gripping your ski pole, let the hand come up through the strap for maximum push and leverage against the tightened leather. The arm reaches forward to plant the pole upright, about even with the binding of the opposite, forward ski. Push back with your elbows in and your arms close to the side of your body, thus maximizing the thrust of your poles. With experience, you'll find a natural weight shift to the forward ski if you keep your hips slightly forward. Really flex your knees on the drive. Reach out and follow through with your poles.

So far, we've talked only of diagonal, or single-poling. Double-poling is the use of both poles at the same time, useful to gain greater speed. To get into double-poling from the diagonal mode, bring both of your arms forward at the same time, bending the body forward to permit the hands and shoulders to come together. Then push off on both poles simultaneously from this bent-forward position, completing the thrust with your arms extended back in a straight line. Your hands should wind up behind your buttocks with your trunk parallel to your skis. This is a lot to digest in one session, but it will all come together on the X-C ski trail. I promise you!

JV Rams Score 37-29 Victory

The JV Rams travelled to meet the Petersburg Vikings on Saturday and came away with a hard fought 37-29 victory. The Rams continuously led by a small margin, but it wasn't until the final quarter that the lead became a substantial eight points.

The Rams defense held the Vikings to two first quarter baskets versus their own score of three to close the first quarter with a 6-4 advantage.

Jeff Ryscavage and Delbert Liller scored two and one baskets, respectively, to open up a 12-4 push, halfway through the second period.

A snatch by Andrew Fike found the Rams scoring 18-13 with another defensive struggle occurring during the third period. Both teams sank three balls and the Ram's Dave Hershman blocked three shots. Scott Winters grabbed three rebounds to energize the third quarter defense.

During the fourth session, Doug Devlin led the Rams with two key steals and two foul shots as Southern pulled away to victory number seven.

The JV Rams meet, county rival, Northern, in a 6:30 preliminary home game on Friday.

SOUTHERN JV	G	A	F	T
D. Hershman	2-10	1-2	11	11
J. Ryscavage	2-8	2-4	18	18
D. Devlin	2-8	2-2	6	6
D. Liller	1-6	0-0	6	6
S. Winters	0-0	0-0	0	0
A. Fike	1-7	0-2	2	2
Totals	16-57	3-10	37	37

SHS Ski Club Sets Cross Country Clinic And Tour

Southern High Ski Club invites all interested persons to attend a cross country ski clinic-ski tour this Saturday, January 21, at 2 p.m. at the Oakland Country Club.

Basic cross country ski techniques will be demonstrated and use of waxes discussed.

A ski tour within the ability of beginning skiers is planned following the ski techniques demonstration.

JV Rams Topple BW Spartans

The Southern Ram JV's defeated Bishop Walsh JV last Friday in Cumberland. The Rams toiled from behind during most of the game, but managed to run away with 55 points to BW's 41.

The game started slowly for Southern, but Scott Winters came through with a basket near the end of the first quarter. The first period ended to Bishop Walsh's advantage, 14-8.

The junior cagers cut the half-time margin to six, 26-20, with an assist from Doug Devlin's two steals and Dave Hershman's three quick hoops.

The third quarter saw the Southern Rams rally behind Andrew Fike and Jeff Ryscavage, taking a lead to 38-37.

Southern totally dominated the fourth quarter as all 10 players exemplified Coach Tom Bosley's hard work over the holidays.

The Rams, with victory in sight, out-scored the Spartans, 17-4 in the final period.

The Rams appreciated Dave Hershman's 19 points and Jeff Ryscavage's 8 rebounds as the team pushed their ledger to 6-1.

SOUTHERN JV	G	A	F	T
D. Hershman	8-13	3-10	19	19
J. Ryscavage	4-9	4-4	12	12
D. Devlin	2-10	0-1	8	8
D. Liller	3-5	4-4	10	10
S. Winters	1-3	2-4	4	4
A. Fike	1-1	0-0	2	2
B. Switzer	0-0	0-0	0	0
R. Edwards	0-0	0-0	0	0
R. Bennett	0-0	0-0	0	0
J. White	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	21-41	13-23	55	55

Cross Country Ski Races Slated At New Germany

For the second year, the Maryland Department of Natural Resources will sponsor cross country ski racing at Meadow Mountain in New Germany State Park in Garrett County. "Family fun" ski racing will take place on Saturday, February 4, starting at 11 a.m. with a race for children under the age of 10, according to David L. Hathway, Chief of Park Operations for the Maryland Park Service.

The children's race will cover a 3.1 kilometer course and adults will race the same 7.5 kilometer course as was raced last year. Adult races will begin at 1 p.m.

Certificates will be given to everyone completing the races. Awards will be given for fastest overall time, oldest finisher and youngest finisher, and to first male and female finishers in the 10 and under, 11 through 17, 18 through 34 and 35 and over categories.

There is no entrance fee for the races, and while advance registration is not required, Park officials say that considerable time and confusion will be saved on race day if racers do register in advance.

Entry blanks are available at most ski shops and outdoor equipment stores in the area, or may be obtained by mail from XCSKI, Department of Natural Resources, Tawes State Office Building, Annapolis, Maryland 21401 (Attn: Maryland Park Service).

New Germany State Park is six miles south of Route 40 between Frostburg and Grantsville. The area will be posted with directional signs on race day. The trip by automobile is approximately 3 hours from the Baltimore and Washington area via I 70 and U. S. 40.

Softball League Meeting Planned

A meeting of the Grantsville Slow-Pitch Softball League is scheduled for 1 p.m., Sunday, January 22 at Resh's Sportsman Bar, Grantsville.

All persons who played with the league last year are required to send a representative to the meeting. In addition, new teams interested in the upcoming League season should be present.

The Softball League has plans for expansion as two additional teams will be added to the roster with all future games to be played at the Grantsville Community Park field. The field is equipped with fencing and lights, making night games possible at 7:15 p.m. and 8:30 p.m.

League officers at present are: Roger Resh, President; Harry Minick, Vice-President; Buzz Swauger, Secretary, and Joe McRobie, Treasurer.

Par-Matt Lanes Games Activities



In the Mt. Top Men's League, Tail Ends were in first place, followed by Beachy Lumber Co. and Lewis Building. High team series was won by Island Creek Coal Co. with 2995. Woodman Choppers were second with 2925 and Shire's was third with a 2917. Big Tee took the high team game with a 1045, followed by Woodman Choppers with 1041 and Shire's was third, rolling 1010. Allen Reese rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 599, Don Parsons was second with 589 and Jr. Giot-felty was third with 577. High individual game was won by Milton Evans with 231 followed by Ken Sisler with 226 and in third place was Dewey Keller, who rolled a 214.

In the Skirts League, Unpredictables were in first place, followed by Leftovers and Alley Cats. High team series was won by Leftovers with 2154. Spitfires were second with 2113 and Slowpokes were third with 2096. The Leftovers took the high team game with 756, followed by Spitfires with 734 and Tar Babies and Unpredictables were tied for third, rolling 731's. Sue Kissner rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 558, Pearl Parsons was second with 536 and Shirley Stem was third with 517. High individual game was won by Pat Helmick and

Shirley Stem with 208, followed by Pearl Parsons with 196 and in third place was Sue Kissner, who rolled a 194.

In the Thursday Early Mixed League, Island Creek Early Birds were in first place, followed by Road Runners and Oakland Coin Laundry. High team series was won by Late Ones with 3142. Pin Busters were second with 3046 and Unpredictables were third with 2916. The Late Ones took the high team games with 1086 and 1056 and Pin Busters were third, rolling a 1048. Gary Schrock rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 627, Jim Sanders was second with 589 and Willard Donham was third with 581. High individual game was also won by Gary Schrock with 236 followed by Tony Sullivan with 232 and in third place was William Smith, who rolled a 222.

In the ladies' action Shirley Patterson rolled the high individual series with 545, followed by Diane King with 491 and Cheryl Coddington and Sandy Dixon were third rolling 476's. High individual game was won by Diane King who rolled 205, followed by Shirley Patterson in second place with 197 and in third place was Cheryl Coddington, who rolled a 192.

In the Monday Late Mixed League, Ollie's Body Shop was in first place, followed by Coe Dee and Rainbows. High team series was won by Ollie's Body Shop with 2153, Comets were second with 2152 and DJ's were third with 2142. The Lakers took the high team game with 771, followed by Comets with 758 and Rainbows were third, rolling a 757. Barry Steinberg rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 575, Chick Ford was second with 542 and Paul Viragh was third with 534. High individual game was won by Barry Steinberg with 214, followed by Paul Viragh with 211 and in third place was Chick Ford, who rolled a 194. In the ladies' league Eleanor Beckman rolled the high individual series with 555, followed by Marion Stahl with 475 and Sally Martin was third rolling a 414. High individual games were won by Eleanor Beckman with 193, 186 and 176.

In the Cream Puff League, Build Ups were in first place, followed by Rip Offs and Head Hunters. High team series was won by Rip Offs with 2078, Build Ups were second with 1940 and Head Hunters were third with 1927. The Head Hunters took the high team game with 715, followed by Rip Offs with 713 and Wipe Outs were third, rolling 663. Bonnie Zimmerman rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 525, Isabelle Terrant was second with 475 and Jean Peterman was third with 467. High individual game was won by Janet Sebald with 181, followed by Isabelle Terrant

and Bonnie Zimmerman, who each rolled a 180.

In the Civic League, Army-Navy was in first place, followed by Little Seven and 135 Meat Market. High team series was won by Slow Rollers with 3113, Rusty Five were second with a 3062 and Little Seven was third with 3008. Rusty Five and Slow Rollers took the high team games with 1106's, followed by Mt. Top Carpet and Silver Knob #1 with 1088's and Little Seven was third, rolling 1073. Bill Stewart rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 662, Bink Sisler was second with 627 and Mark Crawford was third with 620. High individual game was won by Mark Crawford with 269, followed by Bill Stewart with 258 and in third place was Paul Arnold, who rolled a 236.

Trail Markings, Maps Available At State Parks

Trail marking is now completed at Herrington Manor State Park and New Germany State Park for hikers and skiers. Color-coded signs will guide skiers over terrains of varying difficulties with the aid of a colorful map now available.

The markings and trail maps have been provided to the Department of Natural Resources through a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Early, Baltimore.

At Herrington Manor two trails are marked for hiking and cross country skiing. Together the trails total 4.2 miles or 6.7 kilometers. Both trails

are over relatively mild terrain and can be used easily by novice hikers and cross country skiers. Both trails start at the day use parking lot at Herrington Manor.

New Germany state park has 5.1 miles or 8.2 kilometers of marked cross country ski and hiking trails. These trails vary from high difficulty to mild terrain. The higher difficulty trail, marked in blue on the trail itself and on the multi-colored map, includes steep slopes and one downhill run of nearly 1/4 of a mile. Easier trails are marked in green, and follow a wooded stream valley.

The maps are now available at the park or from Park Service in Annapolis. For Herrington Manor maps, near Oakland, contact the Park Superintendent, Herrington Manor, Oakland, 334-9180.

New Germany State Park is near Grantsville, with maps obtainable from the Park Superintendent, New Germany State Park, Route 2, Grantsville, or by calling 895-5453 or 895-5940.

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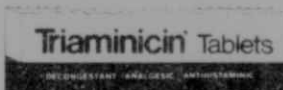
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NEWLY HIRED INSTRUCTIONAL AIDES for the Board of Education to work with children with special educational needs are, left to right, Mary Ann Hare, to work in the Loch Lynn school district; Dorothy Carder, to work in Bloomington; Renelda Frazee, teacher, who will be working with children at Accident, Yoder and Route 40 schools; Susan Royal, Red House; Lois Crowe, Route 40; and Ann Kolbfeisch, Accident. Through January 31, the five aides will assist in the "Child Find" house to house survey in their school districts. Upon completion of the survey, the aides will be instructing children who have special needs as discovered in the door to door canvass. Second priority will be helping with instruction of additional students within their respective schools. Mrs. Frazee is a recent graduate in Early Childhood education at Frostburg State College. Additional instructors were needed to comply with federal law which mandates that every child, regardless of handicap, be provided with appropriate education. Overseers of the program are Mrs. Sarah G. Wilson and Mrs. Barbara Flinn, of the special education department.



HANDICAPPED ADULTS

Does someone in your household have a physical handicap?

The American Medical Association points out that it is understandable and quite normal that you should wish to "do for" the disabled member of your family, but it may be more helpful to allow him to do for himself.

To make sure you are really being helpful, it is wise to consult with the patient's physician and have him outline the patient's real capabilities and limitations. It is possible that the patient is not interested in minimizing his physical problems. Real psychological problems are best handled with the advice of a physician, but there are several factors that may be encountered in living in a household with a handicapped person —

- * The dependent nature of some people, which their disability tends to accentuate.
- * The lack of intellectual ability or educational back-

ground.

- * Just plain laziness.

* The need to let others do the work, after having spent a lifetime of "doing for others." The parents feel the children should take care of them.

* The aesthetic type who may object to equipment of certain techniques (such as use of mouthstick, wearing of splints) because they are not cosmetics or graceful in use.

* The false expectation of complete recovery, so that devices aren't seen as necessary.

Once you know what can be realistically expected of the handicapped individual, and you know that he is desirous of receiving help, then your help can prove invaluable. Even here, though, a few points of procedure may prove useful —

- * Offer help, but don't force it upon someone.
- * Find out what activity is most important to the individual and start with that — eating, putting on make-up, reading, playing cards.

- * Seek the patient's idea. Otherwise you may be only gratifying your own desires.
- * If possible, seek the guidance or consultation of a physician.
- * Keep an open and receptive mind to the ideas of others.
- * Keep devices simple.

GRANTSVILLE COMMUNITY AUCTION, INC.

Date of sale, Jan. 14, 1978.
Hogs: Top Barrows & Gilts, 46.00 to 47.50; Heavy butchers, 43.50 to 46.75; Light butchers, 33.00 to 44.00; Butcher sows, 34.50 to 37.50; Feeder sows, 18.00 to 41.00.
Veal: Good, 60.00 to 75.00; Standard, 35.00 to 40.00; Utility, 20.00 to 32.00.
Slaughter Cattle: Good, 40.00 to 43.50; Standard, 35.00 to 39.00; Utility, 30.00 to 32.00.
Heifers: Good, 33.00 to 37.00; Standard, 26.00 to 31.00; Utility, 21.00 to 24.00.
Cows: Commercial, 28.00 to 32.00; Utility, 23.00 to 26.00; Canner & Cutter, 21.00 to 22.50.
Bulls: Commercial & good, 34.00 to 37.50; Cutter & Utility, 31.00 to 32.50.
Stock-Feeder Cattle: Good, 34.00 to 37.00; Medium, 30.00 to 32.00.
Eggs: Large, 45 to 58; Medium, 35 to 44 cents per doz.

New York City police recently nabbed 11 persons in a mammoth gambling raid.

Mining Regulation Course Scheduled

A non-credit course in mining regulation requirements will be offered by Garrett Community College.

National Surface Mining Law recently signed by the President and will analyze its effect on the Maryland Surface Mining industry. The economic and the environmental impact of this industry will also be examined.

This course will begin on January 26, and run from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. at the McHenry Campus for a period of fifteen weeks. A registration fee of \$15.00 will be charged.

The course is designed for the surface operator, reclamation planners, and interested persons.

Persons wishing to enroll should pre-register with the Oakland Center of Garrett Community College.

EMT Course Is Slated At GCC

An Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT) course will be offered by Garrett Community College. This course, consisting of 84 hours, will begin on Thursday January 26, and run from 7:00 - 10:00 p.m. for a period of twenty eight weeks. The registration fee is \$10.00, including the text. The course will be held at the Accident Firehall.

Pre-registration is encouraged as enrollment is limited. Registration may be done through the Oakland Center of the college. Registration will also take place at the Firehall on the first night of class. Registration will be on a first come-first serve basis with the priority being Garrett County residents.

GED Test To Be Administered

Interested persons are reminded that the General Education Development Test, GED, will be administered at the McHenry campus of the Garrett Community College. Part One, will be given Saturday, March 11 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. and Part Two on Saturday, March 18 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Applications may be obtained from the Community Service division, Oakland Center, 104 East Center Street. All applications for March testing must be returned to the Oakland Center by February 10, 1978. Persons desiring additional information should call the Oakland Center.

Welding, Woodworking Courses Scheduled

A non-credit Welding I course will be offered by Garrett Community College. This is a basic welding course for those who have had no previous experience in welding. The course will begin on Tuesday, January 24, from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m. for a period of fifteen weeks. The fee for the course will be \$40.00 plus text. Welding II will begin on Thursday, January 26, 6:00 - 10:00 and will be held at the McHenry campus. Enrollees must have taken a Welding I course previously or must have permission from the instructor to enroll in Welding II. The fee for Welding II will also be \$40.00 plus text.

A basic non-credit Woodworking I course will be held at the McHenry Campus beginning on Tuesday, January 24, from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m. The registration fee will be \$40.00.

All persons interested in enrolling in these non-credit courses should pre-register at the Oakland Center, as there will be a maximum of fifteen enrollees accepted. Registration will be on a first come-first serve basis.

Craft, Personal Interest Courses Slated At GCC

The Adult Continuing Education Division of Garrett Community College has planned a variety of non-credit course offerings for the spring semester.

Pre-registration for the courses is encouraged and may be completed at the Oakland Center of the College Monday through Friday.

Craft offerings will include: Weaving, which will begin on Tuesday, January 24, from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon for a period of six weeks. The course will be held at the Oakland Center and the registration fee will be \$20.00 plus materials. A course in 35mm Photo-

graphy will begin on Tuesday, January 24, from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m., and will continue for fourteen weeks. This course will be held at the Oakland Center and the registration fee will be \$25.00.

Two new courses are being introduced this semester: A course in Drapery Construction will begin on Wednesday, January 25, from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. at the Oakland Center. This in-depth course will continue for fifteen weeks. The registration fee will be \$20.00 plus materials.

A course in Genealogy will begin on Wednesday, January 25, from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. at the Oakland Center and will continue for six weeks. The registration fee for the course will be \$8.00.

Interested persons may pre-register at the Oakland Center for all non-credit course offerings.

During the month of January, Brad Wakefield, a sophomore at Hesston College, Hesston, Kan., and son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wakefield, Friendsville, is enrolled in a work-study program in schools on Navajo reservations in Arizona.

In this Hesston College internship course, Brad is studying the history and culture of the Navajo Indian. He and other Hesston students spend six hours a day in classrooms observing techniques of teaching bilingual children. Students are also participating in dormitory counseling and teaching in special subject areas.

Hesston College is a two-year liberal arts college located in Hesston, Kansas. The junior college is owned and operated by the Mennonite Church and offers both transfer and two-year career curriculum options.

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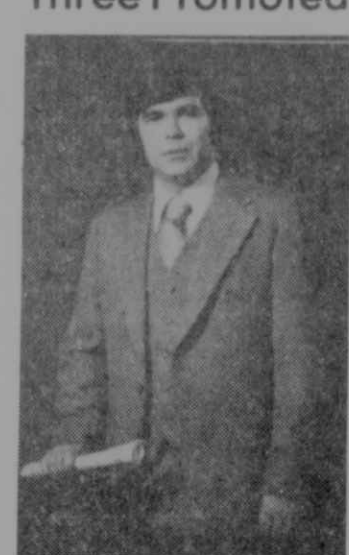
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Three Promoted At Bausch & Lomb



John Sheltra



Ron Heginbotham

Pat Fischetti, plant manager of Bausch & Lomb, Inc., Mt. Lake Park, announced this week the promotion of John Sheltra to the position of Manufacturing Manager at Bausch & Lomb's newly created Ophthalmic Lens Laboratory in Charlotte, N. C. Mr. Sheltra has been Manufacturing Manager at the Mt. Lake Park facility since 1975.

Ron Heginbotham has been promoted to the position of Manufacturing Manager at the Mt. Lake division.

Mr. Heginbotham has been employed with Bausch & Lomb since May, 1961. He transferred to the Mt. Lake plant in January 1971 to assist in start-up operations. He held the positions of Kryptok Department manager and Toric Department manager prior to this appointment.

In his new position he will be responsible for the plant's three manufacturing departments and two inspection departments.

Mr. Heginbotham is currently residing in Mt. Lake Park with his wife, Joyce, and their three children, Gary, Larry and Laura.

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AURORA-EGILON NEWS

James Green, foster son of Mr. and Mrs. William Daugherty of Brookside, was seriously injured January 7 when the tractor and manure spreader he was operating slid in the snow, overturned and pinned him beneath the tractor after dragging for some way. He was taken by the Union Ambulance to Garrett Memorial Hospital where he was treated and taken to West Virginia University Medical Center. He underwent surgery there and lapsed into coma in which state he remains at this time. The Daughertys live on the former Jesse Gnegy farm.

The Blackwater Clinic at Davis was gutted by fire early Friday, January 13. All of the offices had equipment which was destroyed and at the present time arrangements are being made for the use of other offices in the area until the clinic can be rebuilt.

The Aurora Junior High and Grasshopper Basketball season is underway. The Junior High team had its first game January 6 when it played Albright at Aurora and was the victor. The Grasshopper division, grades 4, 5, and 6 has two teams and they played their first games January 8 at Aurora. In the first game, Aurora was victor over Mountaineer 11-8. In the second game the score was Aurora 17, Mountaineer 12. Coaching the Grasshoppers is Wickey Myers with Jerry Hauser as his assistant.

Fred Douglas of Aurora was a patient last week in Garrett Memorial Hospital. He was visited this past weekend by his son and grandson, Charles Douglas, of Ashland, Kentucky, and Charles Lee Douglas, of Lexington, Ky., also his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edward Roth of Renick with whom he returned on Sunday. The Charles Douglas also visited with the former's parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hauser.

Ellen Forsyth of Davis, died Friday at the Bessie Deakins home in Aurora where she had been a resident for several

years. Services and burial were in Davis on Sunday, January 15.

SSG Thomas Tinney, who has been assigned to the Pentagon in Washington, D.C., is visiting with his wife, Janet, and family in Aurora at the home of her mother, Mrs. Bessie Deakins.

Mrs. Ona Harsh is reported to be seriously ill at Hopemont Hospital where she has been a patient for some time.

Alfred Wotring of Aurora received word that his nephew, Bliss Wotring of Kingwood, is seriously ill in the Preston Memorial Hospital.

Mark Teets returned his sister, Mrs. Don Shepherd and son, John David, to their home in Advance, N.C., on Thursday following a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Teets. Her husband had returned previously to his work there.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Fike of Eglon were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harsh, also Eglon.

Dorothy Fike Knott arrived December 19 to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Luella Fike, of Aurora. Other guests of Mrs. Fike for Christmas evening dinner were her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Fike and family and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fike and Kevin of Terra Alta, her uncle, John Flemming, and her sister-in-law, Bessie Shoemaker. On January 2 another daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. James Higberger and sons, Jimmy and Jason, of Orlando, Fla., arrived for a few days visit. On January 4, the Higbergers and Mrs. Fike took Mrs. Knott to Pittsburgh where she returned by plane to her home in Las Vegas, Nevada. The following day the Higbergers left for their home in Florida where Mr. Higberger is stationed at McCoy Air Force Base.

Beulah Lipscomb of Mt. Top visited during the holidays with her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. William Hall, and their sons, David and Eddie, in Morgantown. The Halls were unable to be here for the holidays because the children had chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harsh have returned to their home in Eglon after a holiday visit with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harsh and sons, Warren, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Innes, Fayetteville, N.C. Sunday dinner guests of the Harshes were Mr. and Mrs. George Cole of Cumberland and the Rev. and Mrs. Don Westmoreland and Jay. Mrs. Nettie Bonner, Hendricks, was an afternoon visitor.

Fanny Shaffer of Brookside is again a patient in Preston Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Myrtle Teter of Eglon returned last Sunday to her home after a visit of several weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Phra Paugh and Chip, in Vienna, Va.

Mrs. Mildred Wilt of Eglon accompanied Mrs. Wilda Wilt of Aurora to LaVale last Saturday where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Whetstone, son-in-law and daughter of the latter.

Receives 4.0

Roxanne McRobie Zimmerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McRobie of Deer Park has completed the fall semester at Bowie State College with an outstanding 4.0 grade-point average.

Roxanne is the recipient of a two-year scholarship from the state of Maryland, and previously attended Garrett

Community College before transferring to Bowie State where she majors in elementary education.

"Sunset Bill" To

Dispose Of Useless

Offices Recommended

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — A Senate committee Tuesday recommended passage of a

"sunset bill" to phase out state agencies that have outlived their usefulness.

The Senate Budget and Taxation Committee gave a favorable recommendation to the regulatory agency evaluation bill proposed by Senate President Steny Hoyer, D-Prince George's, and several other legislators.

Hoyer said the bill would shift the burden of justifying


an agency's existence from the General Assembly to the agency itself.

The measure proposes review of 60 agencies by 1983 at a rate of 17 reviews per year. An agency would be reviewed by a legislative committee and, if the General Assembly did not act to continue the body, it would be terminated.

Hoyer said deleting any of the 60 agencies from the bill would in effect be an instant judgment that the agency has merit.

Common Cause has endorsed the bill.

"It overturns the assumption that has been implicit that an agency should have an eternal life," said Common Cause spokesman Lee Perlman.



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SOUTHERN GARRETT COUNTY RESCUE SQUAD OFFICERS for 1977 were elected at a regular meeting Tuesday evening. Re-elected president was Frank Eberly, seated at left. Seated at right is Roy Hinkle, who was re-elected captain. Standing, left to right, are Juanita Browning, re-elected financial secretary; Tom Browning, re-elected treasurer; Linda

O'Brien, secretary; George Brady, re-elected board member; Mary Ellen Lichty, re-elected vice president; Helen Kahl, re-elected board member; Roger DeWitt, re-elected first lieutenant; and Hazel Stewart, second lieutenant. Missing from the photo is Roger Bray, second lieutenant.

Southern Rescue Releases Stats On 1977 Calls

Statistics released this week by the Southern Garrett County Rescue Squad's president, Frank Eberly, showed a total of 868 responses to emergency calls during 1977, an average of 2.4 calls a day. The number is 124 more than the total 1976 total, 218 over the 1975 total and 389 over 1974, bringing the running total to 2919 since the squad was formed 4½ years ago.

A breakdown of statistics showed that the category of general illness led the list with 230. Vehicular accidents totaled 104 and heart attacks and strokes were third with 89. Falls accounted for 78 calls, home accidents, 37, seizures and convulsions, 36, and industrial accidents totaled 32. Thirty-two persons were deceased upon arrival of the squad.

Overdoses of drugs/alcohol accounted for 23 calls, injuries from sports, 20, childbirth cases totaled 15 and assaults, 14.

There four persons treated for burns, three for gunshot and knife wounds and three for diabetes. The squad responded to one suicide case.

Seventy six critically ill patients were transferred to other hospitals from Garrett County Memorial. Twenty-nine calls were cancelled before arrival of the crew and there were no false alarms.

The squad traveled a total of 22,850 miles, a distance just short of once around the world at the equator. This was a jump of 6,287 miles over the 1976 total and showed an average of 26.3 miles per call. Total miles for the 4½-year existence of the squad is 69,505.

The month of November was the busiest of the year with 87 calls. There were 83 calls in January and again in September. May showed the least number of calls with 54, followed by December with 60.

Saturday was the busiest day of the week with 140 calls, followed by Friday with 131 and Tuesday with 127. Thursday was the slowest day of the week with a total of 108 calls.

The times of the day for the most calls were from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m., each of these hours showing 56 calls. The least activity of the day was between 6 and 7 a.m. and

3 and 4 a.m. when there was a total of 10 and 11 calls, respectively.

Southern Rescue presently has 66 members, all certified by the state as Emergency Medical Technicians-Ambulance. There are also six members certified as Cardiac Rescue Technicians who are trained in the application and reading of electrocardiograms and the administration of drugs under orders of a physician.

Frank Eberly responded to the greatest number of calls in 1977 with a total of 169. Donald Sincell was second with 150, followed by Robert Sincell with 142, Hazel Stewart, 120, Hester Foley, 115, Tom Browning, 98, Hannah Sincell, 90, Brad Stewart, 85, Clint Englander, 83 and George Brady, 79.

Robert Sincell has responded to the greatest number of calls since the squad's origination in 1973, with a total of 477 calls. Donald Sincell has responded to 399 calls, followed by Hester Foley with 396, Helen Kahl, 378, Roy Hinkle, Sr., 357, Dave Turney, 342, Brad Stewart, 334, Ed Livengood, 329, Frank Eberly, 298, and Dave Evans, 295.

Mr. Eberly re-emphasized that Southern Rescue responds to emergency calls only and does not engage in the transport of patients for examination appointments and minor illnesses. The squad makes no charge for its services and is funded solely by donations.

The squad presently owns three ambulances and a rescue truck and is planning to purchase a new ambulance in the near future. The new vehicle will be a mobile intensive care unit designed especially for Southern Rescue.

The squad hall is located on Oak Street.

Three Youths Found To Be Delinquent

Three juveniles were found to be delinquent at hearings before Judge Fred A. Thayer yesterday.

A male 17 years old and a male 16 years old were placed under supervised probation for an undetermined period. Each was fined \$250 and each is to pay for one half of the damage done.

Another male 16 years old was found to be delinquent and also placed under supervised probation for an undetermined period. He was recommended for a Vocational Rehabilitation Program.

Over 300 Jobs Available With Youth Program

More than 300 openings exist in the 1978 Youth Conservation Corps Program being administered by the Department of Natural Resources.

The Corps is an environmental work and learning program.

Applications and information about YCC are available from school counselors or by writing YCC, Department of Natural Resources, Tawes State Office Building, Annapolis, Md. 21401.

It is open to youngsters, male or female, who are at least 15 years old by June 1, 1978, and not yet 19 by September 1.

Proof of age is required and by the time the program starts a social security number must have been obtained as well as a Maryland work permit.

To enroll, applicants also must be permanent U. S. residents, have the consent of parent or legal guardian, be physically qualified and have no record of serious criminal behavior.

Successful applicants will work at one of twenty-eight locations throughout the state on conservation-oriented projects aimed at improving environmental quality of land and water in the state.

The Department of Natural Resources cooperates in the YCC effort with the U. S. Departments of Interior and Agriculture and the State of Maryland.

Pay for successful applicants is \$79.50 per week for 40 hours of mixed working and environmental education projects less a small deduction for food and lodging in the residential camps. Maryland camps are coeducational. Both residential and non-residential camps will be in operation.

The duration of most camps is approximately 8 weeks with employment not exceeding 90 days. Corps-persons from previous seasons may reapply if they were enrolled for not more than three weeks. Applicants are selected at random by computer to fill the limited number of positions without regard to race, color, creed, or national origin. About 15,000 applications are expected.

The deadline for applications is March 1, 1978.

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Bittinger-Glades Church News

The Youth Ministry from Emmanuel went roller skating in Oakland on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Lynn Newman, Grantsville, served as guest organist at Emmanuel Lutheran Church on Sunday. Miss Cheryl Harman served as organist at Zion.

Return from Florida Trip

Pastor and Mrs. James Mitchell returned from Florida last Friday after having spent a week's visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lininger, Largo, Fla. While there they visited Mrs. Emmons Meyers, Seminole, Fla., had a tour of Disney World and attended St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Clearwater, Florida.

Lutheran Women Meet

The Lutheran Church Women of Emmanuel held its monthly meeting at the home of Leona Yaste on Friday evening. There were sixteen members present, and Mrs. Margaret Hershberger and Lottie Brenneman were leaders of the topic "Women and Alcoholism." Refreshments were served by the hosts.

Hospital News

Mrs. Jean Buckel Cape is a surgical patient at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Mrs. Jervis Resh is a patient in Meyersdale hospital.

Sam Teets is a surgical patient at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Buckel and family were visiting Mrs. W. E. Buckel on Friday at the home of Fern Beachy.

Mrs. Martha Glatfely was visiting with Mrs. Ellis Harvey on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brenneman were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Buckel.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Beckner were Mr. and Mrs. John Beckner, Jr., Charee, Cathy, Ted, Van Heson, Mr. and Mrs. James Glatfely and Lisa, Tom Glatfely, Cheryl Harman, Linda and Shelli Bittinger.

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare has launched a campaign against cigarette smoking.

Mrs. Juanita Bosley Named Postmaster At Gorman Office

Mrs. Juanita A. Bosley, has been appointed postmaster of Gorman, it was announced this week by the Eastern Regional Headquarters of the U. S. Postal Service.

Mrs. Bosley was one of 21 postmasters appointed simultaneously in the states of New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Virginia.

The Eastern Region appointments, effective January 14, 1978, add to the increasing number of postmasters named by the U. S. Postal Service under the non-political merit system established by the Postal Reorganization Act of 1970.

Mrs. Bosley has been an employee of the Gorman post office for four years and was appointed Officer-in-Charge of the office in October, 1977, due to the retirement of Postmaster Richard O. Lyons.

Mrs. Bosley attended Strayers Business College and also completed several management and postal operations correspondence courses through the U. S. Postal Service Training Operation School at the University of Oklahoma.

She is a member of the Gorman Presbyterian Church, secretary of the Walter Chapter Order of Eastern Star and a member of the advisory board International Order of Rainbow Girls, Oakland.

Mrs. Bosley is married to Kenneth V. Bosley. They have five children, Dave Bosley of Oakland; Tom, Jim, Danny, and Gale, at home.

Husky Halls

By Pam Butler And Judy Detrick

A Snowball Dance will be held Saturday, January 21 from 8:00 to 12:00 p.m. The music will be provided by Spectrum. Dress for the dance is semi-formal. A King and Queen will be chosen from the 12th grade. Princesses from grades 9, 10, 11, and 12 will be also chosen. The Student Government would like to invite all students in 9th thru 12th grades from Southern to attend. Admission will be \$2.00 single or \$3.00 couple.

Nordigue Arrives

The NORDIGUE, a literary magazine showcasing the writings of all grades in the English Department, and put together by the Nordigue club, arrived. They have been sold. Another volume will come out in the spring.

Student Teacher

Mr. Frank Wirsing is student teaching under Mr. Keplinger. He is a student at Frostburg State College and his major is Chemistry. Mr. Wirsing will be at NHS from January 12 until March 3. His hobbies include photography, cross-country skiing, reading, music, fishing and hunting. He hopes to teach somewhere in Western Maryland after graduation.

Northern Wins Meet

Northern won the Triangular Wrestling Meet against Central Preston and Rockwood on January 7. Scores were: Northern-58, Central Preston-6; Northern-44; Rockwood-18.

Animal Hospital To Open Near Kingwood

Dr. Frank J. Cary and his wife, the former Debby Marrara, are opening Mountainland Animal Hospital on January 16. The hospital will be located on Route 7, west of Kingwood, in the old Wolfe garage building. The hospital will be open seven days a week. The facility will provide complete veterinary medical services to Preston and surrounding counties. Preventive health care will be emphasized for small and large animals.

Dr. Cary is a life long resident of West Virginia. He graduated from Lewisburg High School in Greenbrier county, Potomac State College, West Virginia University, and Ohio State University, with a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree. He was formerly employed as a veterinarian in Lewisburg. He is a member of the West Virginia Veterinary Medical Association, the American Veterinary Medical Association, and the American Association of Bovine Practitioners.

Man Owns 29 Pounds Of Credit

NEW YORK (UPI) — Walter Cavanagh might be the envy of many a businessman. He has more than \$1 million in credit available to him.

Cavanagh, a Santa Clara, Calif., pharmacist, figures in the Guinness Book of Records because he is the proud owner of 29 pounds of plastic in the form of 862 credit cards.

His collection of plastic power began as a joke, the result of a bet with a friend on who could garner the largest number of credit cards in one year. Cavanagh won and went on to build his collection to its present size.

Cavanagh has restaurant, bank, hotel, department store, car rental, airline, casino, grocery store and railroad cards, plus the cards issued by 43 different oil companies. He even has a credit card with which he could buy a house if he chose.

He has a long way to go if he wants to have all the credit cards there are available. It has been estimated there are about 10,000 cards being issued by American businesses alone.

And what does he do with all that credit?

Not an awful lot. He generally carries only two cards for his day-to-day needs. The others stay in a bank vault or in Ripley's Believe-It-Or-Not Museum in San Francisco.

Cavanagh is proud of his credit.

"I wouldn't want to do anything to spoil my perfect credit record," he said. "I always pay promptly."

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Brenda Butscher Files For Office



Brenda J. Butscher of Oakland has announced her intention to file in the Republican Primary for the office of Register of Wills. Mrs. Butscher is presently chairman of the Republican Central Committee for Garrett County, a member of the Maryland Republican State Central Committee Board, and serves as chaplain for the Maryland Federation of Republican Women.

Mrs. Butscher has long been active in Republican politics on the county and state level. She was selected Alternate Delegate to the Republican Convention in 1972, and she was elected a Delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1976. She is past president of the Southern Republican Women's Club and is still an active member.

In addition to her work in politics, Mrs. Butscher is a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church where she teaches Sunday School. She is a member of the Oakland Homemakers, the Dennett Road PTA, and the Garrett County Historical Society. She is active with Brownie Scout

Troop 118. Mrs. Butscher is the wife of Tom Butscher, vice chairman of the Maryland Republican Party, and they are the parents of two children, James Arthur and Lisa Jo.

Stabilizing Trend Seems Evident In Gasoline Consumption

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein reported recently gasoline consumption in Maryland continues its stabilizing trend. The 165.4 million gallons of gasoline consumed during November 1977 represents a decline from the 167.2 million gallon consumption figure for October 1977. The October consumption figure was nearly identical with that for September 1977.

"Motorists are apparently cutting back on their purchases of gasoline to some degree. December is traditionally a month when consumption increases markedly. If this same kind of stabilization is reflected in the December 1977 gasoline consumption figures which will be available in the next several weeks, a definite conservation trend would appear to have been established," Mr. Goldstein said.

Gasoline consumption for November 1977 rose only .57% above the 164.5 million gallon consumption figure for November 1976.

Net motor vehicle fuel tax revenue for the first six months of Fiscal Year 1978 totaled \$98,658,881, up 3.88 percent over the \$94,975,251 collected for the same period of the previous year.

Of the current net receipts, \$96,769,674 has been distributed to the transportation trust fund, a 4.01 percent increase over the amount distributed to the fund at this same time last year. Part of this revenue is redistributed to Maryland subdivisions.

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Straight Talk About Aging

By Dr. Matthew Tayback,
State Director on Aging
GRAY BIGOTRY

Maybe even Archie Bunker, videoland's model bigot, would not be so hard on Blacks, Puerto Ricans and other ethnic minorities if he knew he was going to turn into one on his 65th birthday.

Most of us are uncomfortable with Archie's racial prejudices. Yet we sometimes show a similar intolerance by exhibiting attitudes that point up a relatively new social stereotype — agism.

In our earlier years, we wish fervently to achieve long life, while at the same time we often make fun of those who do. What we are really doing is laughing at ourselves, scoffing at what we will become when we enter senior citizenship.

Aging is shrouded in myths that have very little to do with the actual circumstances of growing old. Most of the disabilities we attribute to age are the results of prejudice and misunderstanding.

"It's not true that older people become less intelligent, less employable or asexual. But if society believes these things, it tends to produce in older people a self-fulfilling prophecy. Racism and sexism are out of date. It's about time we realized agism is out of date too," says Dr. Alex Comfort, author, biologist and a leading authority on gerontology, the study of aging.

Many experts feel the myth that we can expect to live only the traditional "threescore years and ten" is largely responsible for the fact that in America only 0.4 per cent of the population lives to reach 100. Contrast this to the experience of the Abkhazians, a group of Russians living in the Black Sea area who grow up fully expecting to live long and healthy lives. The Abkhazians are of the opinion that youth extends to age 80. Of their total population, 2.58 per cent live to become centenarians.

The trend in America is also towards longer life, though we have yet to match the life expectancy of the Abkhazians. In this country, statistics show the chance of reaching 65 today is twice what it was at the turn of the last century.

To reach the later years, according to Dr. George Sharpe, who once taught at the University of Maryland, "We must be cognizant of the way we live while we are still in our 20's."

But it is never really too late to strengthen our chances for a longer life. Dr. Sharpe lists these suggestions:

— Increase both mental and physical stimulation. "Evidence shows that individuals with certain heart problems may be improved by graduated, modest and sustained exercise. It doesn't seem to be ever too late to encourage increases in activity to forestall the ravages of aging."

— Good nutrition and variation in food should be considered in all stages of life.

— Do not be put off by the agist assumption that old age and sexual activity are incompatible. Age is no barrier to sex, the doctor says, adding that he has known many men

who have become fathers in their 90's.

What really counts is not your calendar age but the way you feel about it, your attitude towards aging. Hopefully, we can free ourselves from the myths that lead some of us into senility and inactivity in later life.

TCC Hears River Study Proposal

The Tri-County Council for Western Maryland voted last Wednesday to investigate the possibility of establishing a study group of local representatives from the Maryland and West Virginia sides of the Potomac River to recommend improved ways to provide access, manage competing types of recreation and improve health and safety conditions on the river.

The action was taken at the TCC January meeting at Fairchild Industries, Inc. in Hagerstown.

Anne Blackburn, representing the Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin, made a presentation to TCC at the meeting, seeking the council's response to three basic questions.

The questions are: would TCC be willing to work with a West Virginia counterpart in developing ideas for improved recreational and shoreline management between Cumberland and Harper's Ferry?

Also, is this a serious enough concern that TCC would encourage council staff and other local and/or regional or state agencies to assist if necessary? She was also seeking suggestions as to an ideal number of representatives from each side of the river and the types of interests which they think should be represented.

Edward I. Heath, executive director of TCC, said the matter was referred to the human and natural resources committee with a request for a recommendation at the council's February meeting in Cumberland.

Benjamin Berry, chief of the TCC's grants division, reported to the council the state budget for fiscal year 1980 will include funds to continue to handle the mine subsidence problem at Frostburg State College.

At the TCC meeting in November, the council voted to request that the staff work with the county delegation to the General Assembly to prepare the proper legislation so that through the state budgetary process the proper amount of money would be allocated to handle the FSC mine subsidence problem.

TCC contends that the state should not look continually to the Appalachian Regional Commission for funds for the subsidence problem at the Frostburg campus. This is the second year the state has provided funds for this problem.

Raymond Carignan, TCC economic development specialist, presented to the council a directory for enterprise development. The document answers questions on who to see, where to go, and what to do if a person is interested in establishing an enterprise in Western Maryland.

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OPEN LINE

By
Congressman Goodloe Byron
Maryland—Sixth District

This column serves as another vehicle to keep in touch with my fellow residents of central and western Maryland. Send your questions or comments to me C/O U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C. 20515. While I'll be unable to print all replies, I will answer each of you who contacts me.

The following questions were typical of the kind asked of me in recent weeks.

Is information available on current Federal Programs to assist the elderly?

A lot of people over sixty five have difficulty in making ends meet. To help them, I have sponsored legislation to increase benefits and allow our senior residents to better keep up with inflation. Also, I try to keep senior citizens informed on legislation which is of concern to them.

Concerning federal programs which now exist, a free fact sheet from the Administration On Aging is now available. It tells you all about the various federal agencies that provide services, what you need to do to qualify for these services and who to contact to get more information. The free fact sheet is called **Federal Programs To Assist the Elderly** and is available by sending a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Department 671-E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

I'd also like to remind you once again that if you are having any problems in dealing with the federal government or need information on federal programs and agencies, be sure to write or call me in Washington or any of our District Offices in Cumberland, Hagerstown, Frederick or Howard County. I'll do everything I can to help resolve the problem or get the information you need.

What progress is being made toward helping Senior Citizens keep up with inflation?

Recently, a House Subcommittee approved proposed legislation which would raise outside earnings limitations for Social Security recipients from \$3,000 to \$4,500 per year. This is a step in the right direction.

I am also supporting legislation which I introduced this year to raise the outside earnings to \$5,000. Besides studying the proposed Social Security legislation, I am keeping close watch to see what form the legislation takes when it reaches the full House for a vote.

As you know, I've introduced legislation not only to raise the outside earnings limitations, but also to provide that the first \$5,000 of retirement income be exempt. Another bill I introduced would ensure that when Social Security benefits are increased, those recipients also receiving Veterans Benefits will not have their Social

Security benefits reduced as a result. The Senior residents in our area have contributed much and deserve the opportunity to live in dignity, and more than 70% of the residents in central and western Maryland firmly believe that benefits should be increased to help these senior neighbors of ours keep up with inflation.

Kitzmiller Homemakers To Meet At Library

There will be a Homemakers club meeting on Tuesday, January 31, at the Kitzmiller Community Library, weather permitting. The meeting will be held from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. All are welcome.

Persons desiring to find out more about the homemakers club should call the library. Open hours for the library are: Monday and Wednesday, 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. and Tuesday and Thursday, 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Information Available For Persons Starting New Businesses

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein announced the publication of a new brochure designed to guide the person starting a new business through the maze of state and local tax, license and permit requirements.

"Some of the most frequently asked questions we get are those concerning the openings of new businesses. We find most people want to comply with the various laws and regulations concerning taxes, licenses and permits. Now, for the first time, we have published a guide for those individuals showing many of the requirements they must meet," Comptroller Goldstein said.

The brochure advises employers of obligations concerning income tax, workmen's compensation and unemployment insurance. Vendors are advised of retail sales tax and various business license requirements.

Special requirements for corporations and those businesses dealing with alcoholic beverages, cigarettes, petroleum products and entertainment are also noted. Addresses and telephone numbers of appropriate agencies are included in the brochure. Locations of all branch offices of the State Comptroller's Office and Circuit Court Clerk's Offices are also listed.

The brochures are available in all branch offices of the Maryland State Comptroller's Office, the respective Court Clerk's Offices, and the Offices of Municipal and County Directors of Licenses and Permits.

Copies are also available from the Public Information Office, State Treasury Building, Annapolis, Maryland 21401, telephone, 269-3885.

Assessment Answers

James Burley

Although I am crippled with arthritis and emphysema, I was told I did not qualify for the circuit breaker tax credit. Is there any other way that I can get some relief on my property tax?

You have not said when you last applied for the benefit, but based on your condition of health, there is hope, and you would be wise to try again. Only this year several important changes were made to the circuit breaker law. One of them, in particular, might apply, especially to your situation.

The homestead realty tax credit for the elderly and the totally disabled — better known as the circuit breaker tax credit — is now available to qualified disabled persons receiving benefits as a result of a finding of permanent and total disability by a Maryland county health officer or the Commissioner of Health of Baltimore City. Formerly, only those persons who were receiving benefits due to a finding of total and permanent disability under Social Security, the Railroad Retirement Act, or some other federal retirement system were eligible for the tax credit.

To get started, you should contact the Allegany County Health Office at P. O. Box 690, Willowbrook Road, Cumberland 21502. The telephone number is 777-5600. Tell them that you are requesting a determination from them of eligibility for a tax credit for a disabled person who is not covered under a federal program. The health office will assist you in completing the necessary application.

If you are found to be potentially eligible, you will be asked to make arrangements with your private physician for the completion of a Tax Credit Disability Health Evaluation and Medical Report. The information in this report will be evaluated by the local health officer who will determine your eligibility for disability for the tax credit. The health officer may, at his discretion, ask for additional medical information.

You will receive a letter following the health officer's review, citing the decision concerning your eligibility for a disability tax credit. A copy of this determination status letter will also be sent to the Allegany County Office of the Maryland State Department of Assessments and Taxation.

The health officer's decision, if unfavorable to you, can be appealed through the normal appeals channel.

Can you tell me why market value is used in assessing when my home is not "on the market," is not for sale, and is used exclusively as a residence?

The property tax is an ad valorem tax, a term that means according to the value. It is imposed at a rate percentage of the value which

recognizes that the value of property is an indication of the ability to pay. Most lawmakers traditionally try to apportion the tax burden according to the ability to pay, rather than in relationship to specific services received.

Of all the methods devised to estimate value, the market value approach is believed to be the fairest and most accurate. Market value is based on the law of supply and demand. It is the price for which property can be traded on the open market. The value of residential property, as with a corporate stock listed on the stock market, is determined by what it will sell for irrespective of whether it is currently for sale. The theory is that if two properties are similar, their value as determined by the market will be similar. Thus, homes that have sold in your community are used to arrive at an estimate of the value of your home.

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Many homes, including some of the most valuable residences, are seldom sold and remain within a family for several generations. Assessing them only at the time of their resale would allow the owners to escape a large portion of their fair share of the cost of government, and the burden would be shifted to others.

The greater number of current sales are made to younger people who are either

just starting out or already occupied in raising a family. This would be the group — the one already heavily burdened with the cost of raising their families — that would be hardest hit if the home were to be assessed or reassessed only at the time of sale, and far fewer would be able to buy a home.

While it may not be directly related to the assessment process, another system, not geared to market value, would have a serious impact upon the real estate market because people would be less inclined to buy and sell if faced with the prospect of sizeable tax in-

crease. Our lawmakers, despite many attempts and much thought, have been unable so far to come up with a substitute system that would be as fair. As with a democracy, though imperfect, it beats all other systems yet devised.

Questions or letters of general interest on assessments and the property tax should be addressed to 'Assessment Answers' — James Burley in care of this newspaper.

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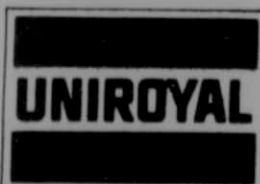
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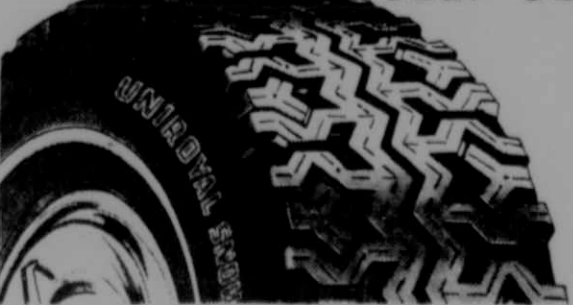
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Israeli-Egypt Talks Stalemated

JERUSALEM (UPI) — Prime Minister Menahem Begin said today Israel wants to resume peace talks that were broken off by Egypt but finds Egyptian demands for return of Jerusalem to be preposterous.

Begin also said the establishment of a Palestinian state would be an unacceptable threat to Israel and the Jewish state would not leave its Sinai settlements unprotected by a defense force.

"Let no one frighten us with this inconceivable concept of pressure to be exerted upon us," Begin said, speaking in reaction to the sudden decision by Egyptian President Anwar Sadat to bring his delegation home from the foreign ministers' conference.

"We presented a positive plan, a human plan, a decent plan, a real peace plan — far-reaching, sweeping," Begin told a group of French fund raisers at a lunch in the parliament building.

"No pressure can be exerted on us to turn fairness into unfairness," he said.

Begin also said the two days of negotiations in the Israeli capital had resulted in agreement on five of seven points for a statement of principles for a peace settlement. In Cairo, Sadat met with the head of his recalled delegation to the Jerusalem talks amid indications he was looking to the United States to salvage his two-month drive for a Middle East peace.

Sadat, at his rest house on the bank of the Nile, received Foreign Minister and chief negotiator Mohammed Kamel today some nine hours after he returned to Egypt on the president's orders.

Presidential sources in Cairo said Kamel's talks were not only an explanation to the president of the stalemated negotiations with Israel, but a strategy session between Sadat — who runs foreign policy as virtually a solo endeavor — and his top diplomatic aide.

The decision to call back Kamel and the other negotiators came late Wednesday without notice, and left Middle East peace efforts a shambles.

Protesting Farmers Picket Capitol Hill

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Protesting farmers, saying they may be driven off the land unless they get government help, fanned out across the capital in picket squads and lobbying teams to visit every member of the returning Congress.

This farmers' trek into Washington was marred by an incident of violence in which eight farmers were arrested for driving their tractors on an interstate highway in northern Virginia. Three also were charged in incidents involving ramming police cars. Police said they had to shoot the tires out of one tractor to stop the farmers.

Spokesmen for the American Agriculture movement, which is leading a nationwide farm strike to win congressional approval of higher price floors for crops, scheduled a midday rally today at the Capitol building to win attention for their demands.

Informational pickets were being stationed at the Capitol, the White House and the Agriculture Department and strike movement leaders said they would seek a personal meeting with President Carter.

But Congress was the main focus of the lobbying blitz, which began informally Tuesday and was to continue into next week. The strike movement, which is calling on farmers not to plant crops unless its demands are met, wants a law banning sales of farm commodities at less than 100 percent of the federal farm parity standard.

Market prices now average only about two-thirds of the parity level.

Strike spokesmen, after a meeting Wednesday night, said they decided not to give formal organizational endorsement to a detailed farm program which several leaders have been drafting. Instead, they said, the detailed plan for controls on farm production to keep prices up would be used only as a "discussion piece" with lawmakers.

Some strike advocates objected to the wording of "a few" specific details in the plan, one leader said. But he insisted this was no sign of disunity and said the group remained determined to win its price goals.

"It's been our position all along that's the job of Congress to write farm bills," said Don Patterson of The Plains, Va.

The visiting farmers, estimated by leaders at more than 4,000 from at least 36 states, staged a rally at the Capitol and a tractor-led parade past the White House. There were distinct anti-Carter overtones.

At the White House, several hundred marching farmers mocked the Georgia ex-farmer with chants of "human rights, human rights." At the Capitol, one farmer held up a sign saying he'd prefer ex-president Nixon with soybeans at \$9 a bushel to Carter with \$5 soybeans.

About 100 tractors were brought to a parking area near the Capitol Wednesday. More were due today from Virginia, where a Washington-bound caravan was delayed Wednesday.

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Johns Hopkins Medical School Ranked Second

BALTIMORE (UPI) — The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine has been ranked second in reputation among 94 medical schools in a national survey of physicians and scientists, the university announced Monday. Harvard was first.

The survey, funded by a National Science Foundation grant, questioned 2,049 medical school faculty members who cited the quality of research as the most important criterion in ranking the schools.

Columbia University sociologists Jonathan R. Cole and James A. Lipton, who conducted the survey, said that while reputation cannot be equated with quality, medical schools with good reputations tend to attract outstanding students and able faculty members.

They said the reputation also affects the school's ability to obtain funding for its research activities.

The survey found that Hopkins ranked below Harvard Medical School but ahead of such prestigious schools as Stanford, Yale, Columbia and Duke.

"Since it was not possible to ask each person to rate all of the 94 schools, each questionnaire contained the names of 40 medical schools, including 13 randomly selected schools which appeared on all the forms in order to test for comparability of rankings," according to a Hopkins spokesman.

"The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine was among the 13 schools which appeared on all the questionnaires," he said.

The researchers said that schools in the Northeast and West were ranked higher than schools in other regions.

They said some factors were not considered important to the faculty members surveyed, such as the sex composition of the student body, the source of funding and the age of the school.

The researchers also said "previous association with a school did not significantly distort the overall ranking of schools."

Train, Truck In Chocolate Mess

ARBUTUS, MD. (UPI) — Police say railroad tracks in Baltimore County "looked like a chocolate sundae" after a Metroliner crashed into a stalled tractor trailer, carrying a cargo of chocolate syrup.

Police said Wednesday the driver of the truck left the stalled vehicle on the tracks and went to look for help when the Metroliner, en route to Baltimore, smashed into its rear, sending its cargo splattering onto the tracks and snow.

"It looked like a chocolate sundae," one officer said.

Police reported no injuries but said the truck owned by the Norfolk-Baltimore-Carolina Truck Co. was destroyed.

Longer sessions, increased staff, government complexity have increased the cost of the Maryland General Assembly, according to an article on Maryland government.



"ILLEGAL" ICICLES litter the scenery in the alleyways in Oakland, despite warning signs which insist on "No Parking." Unwary pedestrians would do well to avoid walking underneath the treacherous swords of frozen water.

Carter To Continue Steel Import Quota

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Carter will continue import quotas to protect the specialty steel industry from foreign competition, but has discarded a complaint about a purported secret Japanese-European agreement to undermine American steel producers.

Ambassador Robert Strauss, Carter's chief trade representative, announced the decisions Wednesday.

He said it was evident that Japan and the European Common Market had agreed to divert surplus production to the United States and avoid direct competition in their own economies. But Strauss said there was no evidence to prove the agreement had damaged the U.S. steel industry.

The allegation was filed with the U.S. government by the American Iron and Steel Institute, the industry's lobbying arm.

Carter's decision to continue the trade restraints adopted by the Ford administration in June 1976 followed conflicting information from government agencies on the impact of imports on U.S. producers.

Richard Simmons, president of Allegheny Ludlum Steel Corp. and chairman of the Specialty Steel Group, said in Pittsburgh the retention of quotas is "gratifying for those in the specialty steel industry who have fought so long against unfair foreign competition."

Specialty steel consists of stainless steel and other alloys containing chromium, nickel, tungsten, aluminum and manganese. The alloys are used in a wide range of products from electrical equipment to jet and car parts.

The quotas constituted the first U.S. protective action for a non-agricultural commodity in more than a decade.

California Water Rationing Ended

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Water rationing that California's two-year drought brought about was officially ended Wednesday for Marin County residents, but Water District General Manager J. Dietrich Stroch said he wants to keep an emergency pipeline that has been carrying water to Marin, without which, he said, "We'd be dead" in the event of more dry spells.

With the county's six reservoirs 95 percent full from the torrential rains that have doused northern California for 25 of the previous 31 days, the Marin Municipal Water District abolished the rationing at a special meeting.

Carter Appoints William Webster As FBI Director

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Carter was reported ready today to conclude a year of frustrated search for a new FBI director by announcing his choice of William Webster of St. Louis.

Webster is a judge of the 8th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

While the White House has said for days the nomination would probably come this week, doubt about the timing was finally removed late Wednesday by Attorney General Griffin Bell, who was in Waco, Texas, for a speaking engagement at Baylor University.

He told reporters a tentative decision had been reached and the nomination would be announced today in Washington. He was scheduled to make the nomination at the White House on Carter's behalf.

The fact that Bell judged the decision still "tentative" at that late hour came as a surprise because Bell said more than a week ago the choices had been narrowed to Webster and Frank McGarr of Chicago.

But Bell, who has been searching since he took office a year ago for a successor to retiring Director Clarence Kelley, said further information about the two nominees was still being gathered by the Justice Department.

Authoritative sources later said Webster had gotten the nod. Gerald Ford considered Webster for the Supreme Court in 1975. Bell last year chose Federal Judge Frank Johnson of Alabama after nearly eight months of futile searching, but Johnson then underwent major surgery and asked to be replaced because of a slow recovery.

Before that, Bell personally had interviewed hundreds of prospects and finally persuaded Carter to form a search committee, which interviewed hundreds more. But with Johnson out of the picture Bell did not until recently find prospects with the administrative talent and experience in law or law enforcement that he was seeking.

Webster, 52, has been hailed as having broad legal knowledge. He is a graduate of Amherst and St. Louis' Washington University law school.

He served as U.S. attorney for eastern Missouri from 1959 to 1961, then practiced law until Richard Nixon appointed him a U.S. District Court judge in 1971 and promoted him to the appeals court two years later.

Truckers Delay Commuters In Washington

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Thousands of commuters who crossed a major bridge into Washington today were delayed behind a caravan of about a dozen slow moving tractor trailer trucks, police said.

Metropolitan police said the trucks traveled about five to 10 miles per hour and at about 8:30 a.m. some stopped at both the south and north ends of the 14th Street Bridge, on which thousands of commuters travel each day from Virginia.

The tractor trailers began moving when requested by police. No arrests were made.

Farmers strike leaders, who are converging on Washington in support of full parity, said they had nothing to do with the caravan. One caravan driver said he was an independent trucker.

District police said they used express lanes to alleviate the traffic congestion.

Senate Ratification Of Panama Treaty All But Guaranteed

CONTADORA ISLAND, Panama (UPI) — Panama's willingness to amend the Panama Canal treaties to specify the U.S. right to defend the waterway has apparently all but guaranteed Senate ratification of the controversial pact.

Panamanian leader Brig. Gen. Omar Torrijos told visiting members of the U.S. Senate Foreign Relations Committee Wednesday he will not object to changes to clarify U.S. defense and naval passage rights after the year 2000.

At a news conference on this holiday island off Panama's Pacific coast, Sen. Charles Percy, R-Ill., said Torrijos told the committee members at a two-hour meeting "that if the treaties included an amendment, that would be satisfactory because it was discussed before the Oct. 23 Panamanian plebiscite."

Committee Chairman John Sparkman, D-Ala., said Torrijos had "no objection" to including the substance of a joint communique with President Carter specifying U.S. defense rights after the year 2000 when the canal reverts to Panama and giving the warships of the two nations priority in wartime.

The Panamanian leader, asked later about the senators' statements, said, "That is, in fact, correct."

The committee members flew back to Washington Wednesday afternoon for their final three days of treaty hearings beginning today.

Senate leaders believe by altering the treaties it will be possible to weld a coalition of liberal and conservative senators to ratify them by the necessary two-thirds vote and end the long and bitter campaign against them in the United States.

President Carter has mounted a major public relations drive to gain popular support for the accords. But a New York Times - CBS News opinion poll published Wednesday showed only 29 percent of Americans approve them and 51 percent are opposed.

Armadillo Stew Shaky Choice

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — Although armadillo stew is not one of the regular items on the usual restaurant menu, Dr. Gerald Walsh of the Gulf South Research Institute in New Iberia, La., says said about 30 to 40 percent of the people in southwestern Louisiana eat it.

And Wednesday, health officials said they have found over 50 armadillos with leprosy in the state the last two years. There have been no reports of humans contracting leprosy from eating armadillo meat, but the health officials still warned Louisiana connoisseurs to avoid eating it.

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Earth Tremor Jolts East Turkey

PALU, Turkey (UPI) — An earth tremor jolted the town of Palu in eastern Turkey today, damaging several buildings and sending frightened peasants running into the snow-covered streets.

No injuries were reported but two houses, weakened by previous quakes, collapsed. The tremor registered 4.5 on the Richter scale monitored at Istanbul Kandilli Observatory

and cracked the walls of several buildings, authorities said.

It struck at 9:30 a.m. (2:30 a.m. EST), seismologists said.

Because of the heavy snowfall in the region, officials were unable to determine if nearby villages suffered similar damage.

Palu, 500 miles southeast of Ankara, rests on the quake-prone Anatolian fault.

15 Hurt In Lebanon Guerrilla Battles

BEIRUT, Lebanon (UPI) — Palestinian guerrillas and right-wing militiamen fought artillery and machine gun battles in southern Lebanon regions close to the Israeli border, leftist sources reported today.

At least 15 persons were killed or wounded in the overnight exchanges, according to the reports reaching the Lebanese capital.

The sources said the fighting, involving the right-wing Christian stronghold of Marjayoun and the leftist and Palestinian-controlled village of Al Kiyam, started Wednesday and continued intermittently for most of the night and early today. The same sources also reported that right-wing reinforcements had been moved to military positions in Marjayoun and its surrounding hills.

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Trees and vines line a rail fence almost obscured by snow on the Audley Riley farm near White Church.

Miss Arnett Is October Bride



Miss Alice Annette Arnett became the bride of Allan Dale Strawser at the Mount Olivet Lutheran Church at Lantz Ridge, W. Va., October 9, 1977. Rev. Bernard Carl performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with red roses and white sweet peas.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a full-length gown of soft ivory crepe, featuring long sleeves gathered at the wrists, a high neckline with ivory lace accenting the bodice, and a fitted waistline. A ruffle around the bottom of the dress gave it an old-fashioned look.

Mrs. Frances Roth was matron of honor. Miss Judi Kahl, Mrs. Mary Lewis, and Miss Kay White, cousin of the bride, served as bridesmaids. They wore red and white dotted swiss dresses with cap sleeves and self-tie bows in back. They wore white picture hats and carried nosegays of red and white carnations.

Miss Stacey Ball, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. Brian Strawser, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer. The attendants' dresses were fashioned by Mrs. Vivian Ball, aunt of the bride.

Organist Melvin Jackson provided traditional wedding music and Steve Harsh served as best man. Ushers were Alan Wilt, James Stemple, and Danny Arnett, brother of the bride. Rex Arnett, cousin of the bride, served as acolyte.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Arnett chose a navy blue knit dress with a bolero jacket and red accessories. The bridegroom's mother wore a beige dress with black accessories. Each wore a corsage of yellow mums.

Assisting at the reception at the Lantz Ridge Community building were Mrs. Sharon Jackson, Mrs. Renee Mullenax, Mrs. Stacey Fint, Miss Kathy Roth, Miss Debbie Stemple, friends of the bride; Mrs. Debbie Strawser, sister-in-law of the groom; and Miss Darlene Arnett, cousin of the bride. The wedding cake was baked and decorated by Mrs. Edna Wiles.

Anna Rae White, cousin of the bride, attended the guest book and Miss Lori Jackson distributed small packages of rice to those attending the ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arnett, Amboy. She is employed by the

H-P Stores of Oakland. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Strawser, Eggleston, W. Va., and is employed by Douglas Coal Company, Elkins, W. Va.

Out-of-town guests included friends and relatives from Michigan, Ohio, Maryland, Pennsylvania, and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Strawser are residing in their newly-constructed home near Amboy.

Karen Tasker To Wed James Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Reese Tasker, Jr., Deer Park, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Karen Lynn, to James E. Brown, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Brown, Bradley Manor.

An open church wedding will take place Saturday, January 28, at 2 p.m. at the Mt. Top Christian Assembly on Route 135.

A reception will be held at the Oakland Country Club following the wedding.

No invitations are being sent, but all friends and relatives are invited.

Wedding Permits

Hit Lowest Mark

Marriage licenses issued hit the lowest point in a number of years for the week ending January 17, with only six issued.

Of those issued, one was not to be published. Information is from records in the office of Richard L. Davis, clerk of the Circuit Court.

Sidney Herman Moats, 32, Smithfield, Pa., and Lenora Bessie Norman, 34, Fairmont, W. Va.

Mickey Lynn Mitchell, 22, Moatsville, W. Va., and Louella Leigh Daugherty, 26, Philippi, W. Va.

Kevin Shane Baumgardner, 19, and Belinda Sue Bulford, 18, both of Rowlesburg, W. Va.

Paul Richard Shaver, 31, Grafton, W. Va., and Sarah Jane Morris, 45, Worthington, W. Va.

James Michael Wilson, 22, and Lois Charlene Varner, 19, both of Parkersburg, W. Va.

Homemaker Date

Bittinger Homemakers Club will meet January 24, at 7:45 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Loretta Opel. The topic will be "Think Metric."

Marilyn Foy Wed To Bradley Teets December 31 At St. Paul's Church



St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Oakland, was the setting for the wedding of Marilyn Foy and Bradley Teets on Saturday, December 31.

Marilyn is the daughter of Mrs. Betty Foy, Mt. Lake Park, and James Foy, Terra Alta, W. Va. Bradley is a son of Creigh Teets, Oakland, and the late Rebecca Teets.

The double ring ceremony was solemnized by Rev. George Porter, pastor, assisted by Jeffrey Tilden, ministerial student at Drew University, friend of the couple.

Mrs. Margaret Feather presented a program of organ music prior to the ceremony

and accompanied Timothy DeWitt on the trumpet for the processional and recessional. David Callis, soloist, sang "The Wedding Song" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride was escorted to the altar by her uncle, Andrew Lantz, and was given in marriage by her mother and uncle. Her gown and veil were designed and made by her mother. The white satin gown was accented with Chantilly lace and pearl appliques at the waist and hemline, and on the front and sleeves. The semi-sheer Bishop sleeves were gathered to fitted cuffs with lace ruffles at the wrists and the skirt ended in a lace ruffle

and swept to a chapel-length train. The bodice featured a sate-peau yoke edged with a lace ruffle, and a wedding ring collar trimmed with lace and pearls. The three-tiered fingertip veil edged with Chantilly lace was attached to a satin bandeau appliqued with lace and pearls. The bride's bouquet was of white mums and red roses with pine and holly. Her only jewelry was a pair of diamond earrings, a gift of the groom.

The maid of honor was Martha Sherwood. Nina Bishoff and Stephanie Smith were bridesmaids. They were attired in gowns of red velvet trimmed with white lace and velvet headpieces trimmed with white marabou. They carried bouquets similar to the bride's. Lisa Madden, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a gown of red velvet with white lace bodice overlay and lace ruffles, and carried a basket of white mums, pine, and holly with red ribbons.

Michael Ognibene was best man, and Frank Kight and William Phillipp III were ushers. The groom and groomsmen wore contemporary English cutaways of oxford gray with gray and black striped pants.

Christopher Lantz, cousin of the bride, was ring bearer, attired in a red velvet coat and vest and gray and black striped pants.

Mrs. Foy was attired in a gown of green velvet, and Mrs. Mabel Teets, grandmother of the groom, wore a gown of rose velvet. Each had an orchid corsage.

A reception was held in the church fellowship hall with Mrs. Donna Madden and Mrs. Alice Frederick serving the wedding cake. Mrs. Judy Murphy served punch, and Mrs. Minnie Wolf poured the tea. Sandra Thomas registered guests and Catherine Leighton tended the gift table and

distributed bird seed packets. Mrs. Mabel Teets was hostess for the rehearsal dinner at Cornish Manor.

Out-of-town guests were from Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Massachusetts.

For travel to Hawaii, the bride wore a jumpsuit and jacket of dusty rose and a white orchid corsage. The couple will reside in Buckhannon, W. Va. where the groom is employed as an accountant by Seneca Upshur Petroleum, and the bride is a senior at West Virginia Wesleyan College.

Miss Maust To Wed Mr. Meyers

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Maust, Rt. 1, Meyersdale, Pa., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sherrill Ann to Daniel Charles Meyers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Meyers, Rt. 2, Grantsville.

Miss Maust is a graduate of Salisbury High School and is employed at Yoders' Inc., Grantsville.

Mr. Meyers is a graduate of Northern High School and is also employed at Yoders'.

A May wedding is being planned.

California Couple Married In Oakland

Miss Noelle Collobert from France and Charles Howard Sankey were married in the Garrett County Courthouse on January 17.

The couple met at Monterey Language School in California where the bride was an instructor and the groom was a student.

Mr. Sankey is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miser, Aurora, who were present at the marriage ceremony.



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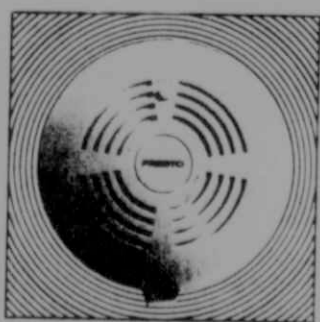
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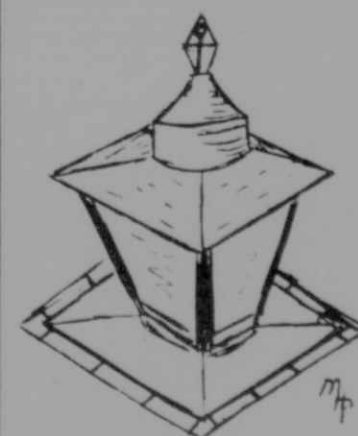
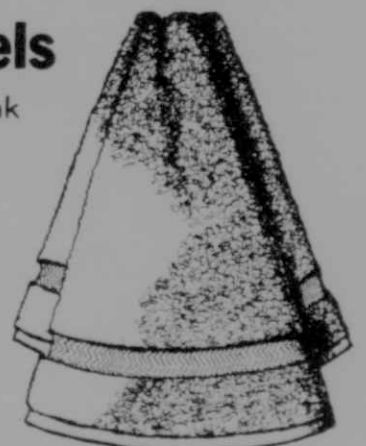
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Church of the Nazarene, 8th and Alder Sts., Oakland, Rev. Ellsworth McCracken, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Junior Meeting, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Oakland, Rev. Martin E. Feld, Pastor. Mass Saturday, 7 p.m.; also 5:15 p.m., summer. Sunday Masses, 8 and 10 a.m.; winter, summer, 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Confessions before Masses: Immaculate Conception, Kitzmiller, winter, Sunday, 12 noon, and summer, Saturday, 6 p.m. Confession before Mass.

St. Mark's Ev. Lutheran Church, Oakland, Rev. Richard A. Seaks, Pastor. Sunday Church School, 8:45 a.m.; The Service, at 10 a.m. (Church Nursery).

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Oakland, Rev. Manning Smith, Rector. Holy Communion Service, 8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sunday School, 10:30.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1022 John Drive, Oakland, Priesthood meeting, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sacrament meeting, 11 a.m.; Primary and APV meetings, Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Pleasant View Baptist Church, Rev. I. M. Martin, phone 334-9630. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Wed., Boys and Girls in Action, 7:30 p.m.; Thurs., Young People's meeting, 7 p.m.

Loch Lynn United Brethren Church, Rev. O. W. Hull, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Evening, 7:30 p.m.; Teenage, each Sunday, 6:30 p.m.; Prayer and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Md., Rev. Eugene Bonnell, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Church Service, 9:00 a.m.

Bloomington-Swanton United Methodist Church, Rev. Frank Johnson, North Glade, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 10 a.m.; Mt. Zion, Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 9 a.m., followed by Sunday School, Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 5:30 p.m.; Swanton, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Chestnut Grove, Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 9:30 a.m., followed by Sunday School, Bloomington, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

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Kitzmiller Presbyterian Church, Rev. H. Earl Baker, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; every Sunday; Worship Service, 11:30 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.

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Rocky Dream Assembly of God, Bray School Road, Rev. Robert Mayfield, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night, Church, 7:30 p.m.; Thursday night, Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ (Meeting in the Mt. Lake Park Town Hall), John R. James, Evangelist. Bible School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

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World War I was making the headlines of The Republican in 1917: "Wilson Urges Unity of Nation," "Whole Atlantic is now U-Boat Zone," and inevitably, the April 5th issue carried "Declaration of War With Germany is Probable for Today." The United States was declared to be in a state of war against the Central Powers.

Here in Garrett County "Sheriff Albert Ashby today publishes a proclamation assuring the foreign-born residents of Garrett County that their personal and property rights will be protected so long as they obey the laws of the land and do not give aid or comfort to the enemy."

The war made rationing necessary and gas was in short supply. As a result of the gas shortage, a new use was found for the Ford automobile. The "Lonaconing Advocate" was dependent on the West Virginia-Maryland Gas Co. for power to run its press. When his gas supply was cut off "Wig Spier," editor of the Advocate, called a local garage and ordered a Ford automobile to be delivered to his office. He then connected his machine to the engine of the Ford with a belt, thus claiming the credit for dis-

covering a new use for the Ford and found his own answer to the energy crisis.

However, some of the news was concerning a different kind of conflict: "Manager Sweeney took his Collegians over to Salisbury last Tuesday evening, for a game scheduled with the team of that place, but after the two teams had played five minutes or thereabouts, the Oakland team was ordered off the floor by their manager on account of the miserably poor referee in charge of the game, who, it seems, thought it his 'religious' duty to call a foul every time one of the visiting players crooked an arm or looked cross-eyed. We are informed that the Salisbury referee and the team of that place are used to basket ball of the 'parlor' variety which is played on a toy billiard table, and anything like an attempt to play the game as it should be played is 'looked' upon as extremely 'horrid' and 'unlady-like.' Our boys, however, had the satisfaction of leading by a score of 5-12 when Manager Sweeney called a halt and feel that they could have beaten their opponents 'hands down' if given the right treatment."

Even in 1917 there were

those out-of-state people who came to enjoy Garrett County. "A Haynes car, bearing Tennessee license was pretty badly wrecked when it failed to make an abrupt turn, smashing into an embankment and then a telephone pole with such a force as to drive the forward wheels of the machine backwards until they rested beneath the drivers seat. The occupants, whose names could not be learned, were uninjured. The wrecked car was brought to Oakland and will be shipped from here to the factory for repairs." Repairs— it would take a miracle to repair an automobile with that kind of damage, especially one of

those made today.

The personals from around the county were quite colorful in 1917. Perhaps, the citizens were doing their best to brighten an otherwise bleak period in time: "Eph. Knox is very busy engaged in buying hogs before the prices advance any more."

"Mrs. Jennie Kimmel was out driving last Sunday and pronounces the road in fine shape."

"Some predict a rise in the price of coal at John Beitzel's mine since the arrival of a son, last Saturday. Father John is all smiles."

"Anybody that has their own potatoes and live near enough

to the woods to get wood to cook them with, is considered independently rich at these times of high prices."

"Mr. Julius C. Renninger has recovered from a siege of the grip with which he was stricken last Wednesday. For several days Mr. Renninger was quite ill."

"Mr. Simon Livengood has been ill with quinsy the past few weeks."

There also appears a personals column for the "Hogwallow News" (Wherever that may be). "Miss Gondola Henstep was smiled at by a bachelor near Bounding Billows one day last week, and she is planning to pass there

again." "Frisby Hancock is remodeling his hog pen so it will in every way conform with the pure food law. Instead of building it flat on the ground he began it two feet up in the air, giving the bottom ample ventilation."

"Jefferson Potlocks has been

invited to attend a birthday celebration over on the far end of Musket Ridge next week. The feature of the event will be a big dinner and for the occasion Jefferson has twisted his whiskers back out of the way." "On his trip to Rye Straw this week the mail carrier put blinders on his

bridles to prevent his mule from looking back, he having Miss Hostetter Hooks in the buggy with him."

Dunk Botts was the correspondent for the Hogwallow News. Mr. Botts would have had a brilliant career in politics with all the "hogwash" he throws around.

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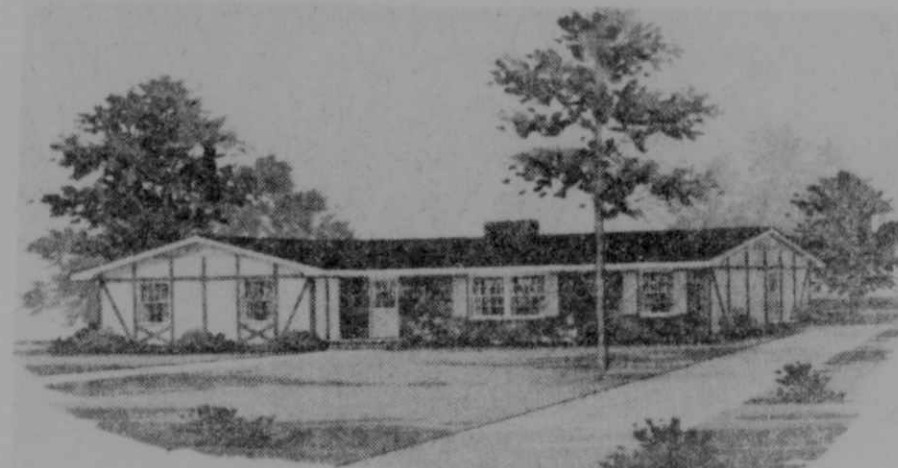
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The Garrett National Bank In Oakland

In the State of Maryland, at the close of business on December 31, 1977, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

Charter number 13776. National Bank Region Number 5.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks	4,255,000
U.S. Treasury securities	4,630,000
Obligations of other U.S. Gov't. agencies and corps.	3,900,000
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	8,954,000
Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	81,000
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,000,000
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	33,147,000
Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	149,000
Loans, Net	32,998,000
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	1,142,000
Other assets	372,000
TOTAL ASSETS	57,333,000
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corps.	12,654,000
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corps.	37,552,000
Deposits of United States Government	387,000
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,240,000
Certified and officers' checks	393,000
TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS	52,226,000
Total demand deposits	13,894,000
Total time and savings deposits	38,332,000
Other liabilities	600,000

TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) 52,826,000

EQUITY CAPITAL	
Common stock:	
a. No. shares authorized 200,000	
b. No. shares outstanding 157,639 (par value)	788,000
Surplus	1,923,000
Undivided profits	1,559,000
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	237,000
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	4,507,000

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL 57,333,000

MEMORANDA	
Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date:	
Cash and due from banks	3,882,000
Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	2,309,000
Total loans	33,086,000
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more	
in domestic offices	3,185,000
Total deposits	52,488,000
TOTAL ASSETS	56,843,000
Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date)	150,000
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	3,185,000

I, H. Rex Teagarden, Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank, do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. Rex Teagarden
January 13, 1978
Nordeck Shaffer
J. Haig Jackson
James H. Feaster, Jr.
Directors

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

LOTS & ACREAGE

MT. LAKE PARK — Q Street, 50' x 150' level wooded lot \$1,500.
LOCH LYNN — Seneca Avenue, 60' x 120' level lot \$2,500.
113 ACRES — Adjoins Savage River State Forest, with excellent timber stand. A true wilderness area only minutes from Savage River Lake and recreation area. \$35,000.

MT. NEBO — 95 acres adjacent to Mt. Nebo Game Refuge. Excellent for hunting or a retreat. Secluded with young timberland at high elevation. Priced at \$33,000 with \$10,000 down and balance payable in equal monthly installments of \$216.50 per month including 8% A.P.R.

ROUTE 495 — 12.45 acres woodland fronting Rt. 495 \$10,600.
14.07 acres woodland overlooking Jennings \$9,200.
5.40 acres, level property \$6,480.
4.79 level wooded acres \$5,000.

NEW GERMANY AREA — 10.34 acres \$750/acre
9.66 acres \$900/acre
80 acres, cleared and wooded \$500/acre

MCHENRY — 2.00 acres, development possibilities \$6,000.
DURST ROAD — 7 - 25 wooded acres fronting on the Durst Road. Bordering State Forest \$1,000/acre

ROCK LODGE ROAD — 21 acres of sloping woodland with view of Deep Creek Lake. Ideal for private retreat or development of one (1) acre parcels. Map and plat available at office or look for our sign 2.2 miles from Rt. 219. \$6,000 down, balance over ten (10) years in monthly installments of \$169.86, 8% A.P.R. \$20,000

THE GLADES ROCK LODGE ROAD — 10+ level acres, 20 woodland, balance meadow. Perfect retreat site \$10,500.
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MT. STORM — 27.3 acres with large one acre pond stocked with fish \$15,000.
MEADOW MOUNTAIN — Route 495, 4.4 acres of woodland. Perfect for a retreat site \$3,960.

GRANTSVILLE — Beautiful one-acre level building lot. Perfect for retreat. Located off Amish Road \$1,500.
BACKBONE MOUNTAIN — 20 acres right on mountain top near Allegheny Heights with spectacular view over Pleasant Valley \$20,000.

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MAYNARDIER RIDGE ROAD — 18.64 gently sloping wooded acres. Perfect retreat site bordering Savage River State Forest \$18,500.

BACKBONE MOUNTAIN — 9.8 acres of gently sloping woodland overlooking Pleasant Valley. Perfect for a retreat site \$6,000.

MAYHEW INN ROAD — Level 1/2-acre wooded building lot, 10% passed perk. Lake access included. Owner financing with 10% down, 60 monthly installments of \$100.37 at 8% APR \$5,500.

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FARMS

ROCK LODGE ROAD — Large beef farm, 200 level acres with 2 Harvestore silos. Contact this office for details.

PLEASANT VALLEY — 100 acres with stream, house & old barn. Approximately 1/2 cropland & pasture with balance in valuable hardwoods and evergreens. A good value at \$73,500.

FAIRVIEW ROAD — 80 acres rolling pastures and woodland. All but surrounded by Savage River State Forest, offering privacy and excellent view over forest lands. Owner will finance with 20% down and balance over 15 years at 8% A.P.R. \$500 per acre

FAIRVIEW ROAD — 157 acres with old house, barn and outbuildings. Partially bordering Savage River State Forest. Owner will finance \$350 per acre

ROCK LODGE ROAD — 90-acre dairy farm with house, barn, milkhouse, trailer, 2 Harvestore silos and garage. Contact this office for details.

RESIDENTIAL

DEER PARK — This historical three-story house is situated on 3.47 acres with fenced yard. House has 11 rooms; 7 bedrooms, 2 baths. Fireplace. Heated with oil forced hot air. Partial basement \$50,000.

MT. LAKE PARK — 412 "1" St. 4 bedroom house. Situated on 3 town wooded lots. Large living room, dining room, kitchen, utility room, 2 baths, 4 bedrooms. Priced right at \$25,500.

RURAL

ROUTE 39 — Approximately 3.5 acres with house that needs work and outbuildings. Has trailer hook up which produces rental income. Land lies level with a good stand of pines, two springs and area which could be made into a pond \$18,000.

MAYNARDIER RIDGE ROAD — Beautifully located Redwood cottage, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, living-dining area, fireplace. 17% wooded acres with stream. Partially bordering Savage River State Forest \$66,000.

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DEEP CREEK LAKE

SHINGLE CAMP TERRACE — Wooded lakefront lot with 100' lake frontage \$22,500.

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MCHENRY — Lakefront townhouses. Priced from \$44,900 - \$47,200. Two bedrooms, fireplace in living room, allowance for purchaser to add own choice for carpeting, furniture, wall coverings. Call for more details.

SKIPPERS POINT — Large secluded one acre lot fronting 117 feet on Lake with ancient two-story frame farm house with natural wood beam & panel interior. OWNER WILL FINANCE \$39,500.

Desirable Lakefront Income Property

GLENDALE — Three completely furnished cottages with 100' lakefront makes this a good investment income producing property. Each cottage has a fireplace in living room, three bedrooms, kitchen and bath. Owner financing, reasonable terms. \$70,100.

BECKMAN'S PENINSULA — Lake access duplex cottage. Each unit is completely furnished. Two bedrooms, dining kitchen and living room. Brick fireplace. Dock \$33,600.

HAZELHURST — 1 story lakefront cottage, 3 bedrooms, bath, living room, kitchen, and enclosed porch. Completely furnished \$28,000.

GREEN GLADE — 1-story cottage with redwood siding, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, living room, bath and garage. Partially furnished. Dock included \$20,300.

MOSSER ROAD — This three bedroom total electric home offers a living room with rustic barnwood and native stone fireplace. The size of the kitchen makes it a pleasure to cook with lots of cabinets/dishwasher. The surrounding woodland calls for relaxing evenings on the patio \$37,500.

SINGLE CAMP TERRACE — Privacy is priceless as you relax on the redwood deck overlooking the 100' lakefront. This newer A-frame cottage offers easy living with a spacious living room/fireplace. The well planned kitchen makes meals a snap. Utility room, bath and bedroom. Upstairs there's a bedroom and balcony. Full basement with fireplace ready to be finished for added space. Dock included \$49,500.

NORTH GLADE — Wooded half acre lakefront lot with 130' lake frontage \$20,000.

PRESTIGE LAKEFRONT PROPERTY

TURKEY NECK — Custom built redwood contemporary with wrap around deck. Situated on large lakefront lot with 180' waterfront. Floor plan includes tastefully furnished living room with fireplace, dining area, kitchen area, 4 bedrooms, 4 baths, utility room. Zoned heating system. Offered completely furnished plus dock and boat. For \$150,000.

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POPULAR CULTURE:

Mirror Of American Life I:



A MASS-MEDIATED SOCIETY — Customers and employees in the television section of a New York department store watch the Special Senate Committee hearings on Watergate, May 17, 1973.

WHAT MANNER OF MIRROR?

By David

Manning White

Editor's Note: This is the first in a series of 15 articles exploring "Popular Culture: Mirror of American Life." In this introductory article, David Manning White, Professor of Mass Communications at Virginia Commonwealth University, discusses the scope and nature of American popular culture, which he sees as a mirror of the way most of us spend our leisure hours. This series was written for COURSES BY NEWSPAPER, a program developed by University Extension, University of California, San Diego, and funded by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. Garrett Community College is one of six colleges chosen to participate in this pilot program.

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Walt Whitman intuitively understood what popular culture was all about many decades before sociologists began to use this all-encompassing term.

As Whitman put it, "I hear America singing, its varied carols I hear." All around us we hear, see, touch, wear, and taste the varied carols of our own indigenous popular culture.

It's Arthur Fiedler, smiling as the sales of his albums with the Boston Pops passed the 50 million mark, while quoting the composer Rossini that "all music is good except the bor-

ing kind."

It's Dagwood and Blondie Bumstead, L'il Abner and Mammy Yokum, and good ol' Charlie Brown and Snoopy.

It's 750,000 of us who waited in line three to four hours to see the art treasures of King Tut's tomb at Washington's National Gallery.

It's the Reader's Digest for the 40 million readers who thrive on its apple-pie wholesomeness; it's also Hustler and Penthouse for the millions of voyeurs who thrive on a peek over the transom of the primal scene.

It's Muhammad Ali proclaiming, "This is Joe Namath's country, but my world."

It's McDonald's where they do it all for you and gross about \$3 billion a year. Viva Big Mac!

It's six out of every 10 Americans watching "Roots" for eight consecutive nights, eclipsing the television audience that previously made the movie "Gone With the Wind" the leader in spectator events.

It's John Wayne's face waiting for a sculptor to find another Mount Rushmore to immortalize him for succeeding generations of Americans.

It's the Texaco Oil Company sponsoring the broadcasts of operas from the Met for 38 consecutive years during which Verdi, Puccini, Wagner, and Mozart were heard by more than a billion listeners.

A Composite Picture Every society, of course, from earliest civilizations on, has been typified by its arts, the way its people dressed, the

foods they prepared, its music, its religions — a composite picture that can be defined as that society's culture.

And what of American society today? It is characterized by a popular culture so pervasive that Americans spend at least one-third of the total hours of their lives as willing participants in it.

Our popular culture, which started in the 19th Century, came to a peak during the 20th Century with the rapid decline of the work week. Whereas our great-grandfathers put in a 72-hour week in 1900, by the 1970s we, their progeny, worked about half that amount.

Some Americans, a relatively small number, have chosen to fill their leisure with the "high culture" in arts and literary fare that has traditionally attracted the wealthiest or best educated elements of society.

But most Americans pursue their leisure in terms of mass entertainment. And it is mass entertainment — entertainment produced for a mass audience — that is a major factor in distinguishing modern popular culture from other, earlier forms of folk culture.

Mass entertainment itself was made possible by the technological innovations of the 19th and 20th centuries. News-

papers achieved a key role soon after the 1830s, when improvements in the printing process and increased literacy made the flamboyant "penny press" so pervasive. Motion pictures followed at the turn of this century, radio shortly thereafter, and finally, that most pervasive of all popular culture institutions, television.

The Mass Media

Today we, as a nation, spend more than 600 billion hours each year just with the mass media of television, radio, newspapers and magazines, motion pictures, and phonograph records and tapes. These media are the instruments through which most of our popular culture is disseminated.

During those 60 hours every week of the year when we are at "leisure," the mass media are competing ferociously for our eyes and ears, to inform, persuade, but mainly to entertain us.

Because of the universality of popular culture, most of us feel that we know the media-made celebrities much better than our next door neighbors. When an Elvis Presley or a Bing Crosby dies, there is sadness felt by 100 million people, each of whom had his or her version of Elvis or Bing reinforced hundreds or thousands of times by movies, records, radio, and television.

Advertisers spend more than \$35 billion a year in these media, bombarding each of us with 1,500 messages a day to tell us what to eat and wear, and how to get rid of the nagging headaches that the "outside" world gives us.

It is a huge complex of industries that provides our popular culture, and if it is a costly business, we apparently are willing to pay the price. It is a very profitable enterprise for the media moguls who can best grasp what the public wants.

Our Lives Reflected

Imagine a mirror so vast and extensive that it reflects what most of us Americans are reading, listening to, or looking at when we are not totally involved in our daily jobs or sleeping. Ten times as many of us could identify Archie Bunker as Chief Justice Burger or Secretary of State Vance, and who couldn't describe Dick Tracy or Tarzan? Each day we Americans are molding the elements of popular culture into our lives.

Popular culture, then, is the continuous process that mirrors the manner in which most Americans spend perhaps the greatest segment of their lives. A mirror, by its very nature, usually gives a realistic picture of what appears before it, but there are some mirrors that distort and some that focus on our grotesqueness.

If the image of ourselves is less than the idealized picture we might wish to see, we should not blame the mirror. Our collective dreams, anxieties, and indeed our sheer existence have fashioned the mirror. Perhaps the mirror only reflects the masks and the myths we want to believe about ourselves. We are the mirror; the mirror is us.

Since we are investing a total of about 25 years of our lives in our "leisure" hours, we cannot afford to be complacent about the quality of our popular culture. Therefore, a continual, constructive feedback between the culture-consumers, as Alvin Toffler has termed us, and the popular culture dispensers, whether they be in New York, Hollywood, or Washington, D. C., is imperative.

Whether the media barons need us more than we need them begs the question. They provide the mass culture that fills our leisure hours; but we make it lucrative for them. Our common goal should be a national popular culture that is enlightening and enlivening as well as entertaining.

Unlike Shakespeare's Mark Antony, our intention in this series is neither to bury nor to praise popular culture, but rather to examine the ways it reflects some very important aspects of contemporary American life.

In the next 14 weeks a group of distinguished scholars and writers will discuss various facets of today's popular culture, examining its roots in the American past, its power as a gigantic industry, its role in interpreting (and sometimes affecting) social change in our national life, and even its probable future.

It is our hope that this series, utilizing the oldest of the mass media, the American press, will help many Americans understand the implications of living in a "mass-mediated" society, and thereby enable them to define more clearly the kind of popular culture

most meaningful to their lives. The views expressed in COURSES BY NEWSPAPER are those of the authors only and do not necessarily reflect those of the University of California, the funding agency, or the participating newspapers and colleges.

NEXT WEEK: Herbert Gans, Professor of Sociology at Columbia University, discusses the role of the popular culture makers in our society.

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4-H Swim Cancelled

The Monte Vista Swim Party at the Village Inn set for Saturday, January 21, has been cancelled until further notice.

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Bloomington Trailer Damaged By Fire

A fire Friday afternoon in a trailer near Bloomington caused heavy smoke and fire damage, according to reports from the fire company.

Two rooms of the trailer, including one bedroom, sustained damage. The trailer is the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Morton, Route 1, Box 216, Swanton.

The fire was reported about 1 p.m. by Ray Mayhew, who lives nearby and is Mr. Morton's stepfather. The Mayhews were not at home at the time of the fire.

Robert Shimer, fire investi-

gator for Allegany and Garrett Counties, said extensive smoke damage was caused to the remainder of the trailer. The fire apparently originated under the trailer and was caused when a heat tape, placed over a main water pipe, shorted out.

Bloomington firemen responded with three pieces of equipment and Westernport with one piece of equipment and the tanker. The trailer is located four miles west of Bloomington.

Loss of the trailer and furniture is not covered by insurance. The Mortons will be residing with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelly, in McCoole.

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PARADISE POINT —
968 — 50 acre athletic camp on 400' useable lakefront. Has main lodge with dining room and kitchen (accommodations for 100) upstairs, sleeping rooms and baths, 2 fireplaces, one up and one down. Gymnasium with basketball court on maple floor. Stable for 8 horses and upstairs studio as well as corrals. 5 dormitory cabins sleep 90. Athletic fields and wooded trails as well as shooting range. Owner financing \$25,000 down, \$1,375 per month for 20 yrs. Interest only first 2 years. Ideal for tennis camp or recreational area. Call for more details.

ROCK LODGE ROAD —
1152 — Wooded half acre site on hard road. Has 100' of lake front and is perked and approved for building site. \$21,000.00

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1227 — A well-built 2-bedroom year 'round ranch. Living room with native stone fireplace, modern kitchen, separated bath, utility room, washer-dryer, large deck overlooking 121' lakefront with large dock. \$87,500.00

NORTH GLADE —
1261 — 195 acres + situated in the North Glade area of Deep Creek Lake adjacent to Sky Valley. Includes some lakefront suitable for power boats or canoes. There is also an excellent pondsite on the property. This property is ideal for R/V campground, recreational complex or subdivision. Call office for more details.

NORTH GLADE ROAD —
1133 — Half acre nicely wooded lot with electric to the property line. Building site already cleared. \$5,000.00

MEADOW MT. RUN RD. —
1155 — 3 bedroom cottage w/detached garage, wormy chestnut throughout and fireplace. Also additional wooded lot w/lake access. Could easily be made a year 'round home. \$32,000.00

PENN POINT —
1101 — Approximately 2 acres of wooded building site overlooking lake. In quiet, secluded setting with 20' extension to water. \$17,000.00

PERGIN FARMS —
1172 — 3-bedroom cottage with beautiful views and 175' of lakefront, living room with fireplace and kitchen overlooking lake. Full bath and utility room. Further amenities include a covered porch and a large deck to enjoy the views. An I.O. boat to enjoy the lake. \$65,000.00

822 — 3/4-acre+ wooded lot with deeded 30' access across road. Good approach to water in sailing area. \$9,000.00

BOY SCOUT ROAD —
1140 — Twelve level wooded home sites near lake on paved road. Can be purchased in total or separate. Call for details.

MARSH HILL ROAD —
763 — Wooded 1/2-acre lot with 100 feet on Deep Creek Lake close to ski area for year 'round use. \$30,000.00

RED RUN —
1228 — 3-bedroom condominium at water's edge with 2 full baths, modern kitchen, living room, native stone fireplace, patio & porch. There is a 2-court tennis court and a heated pool to add to your enjoyment. This unit is nicely decorated. \$62,500.00

ROMAN NOSE SPA —
929 — 2 lots improved with foundation home ready for builders. Lots available from \$2,000.00 to \$4,400.00. \$9,970.00

SHINGLE CAMP —
71128 — Lakefront lot improved with 3 bedroom ranch style redwood cottage. Large living room including brick fireplace. Good view and deep water for boating. \$38,000.00

STATE PARK ROAD —
955 — Half acre wooded lot situated in secluded area of State Park Road. The perfect spot for your vacation retreat. \$5,000.00

OLD 219 —
1226 — Two-bedroom lakefront townhouse apartments (complete with modern built-in kitchen, fireplace, carpeting and furniture of your choice). A lovely deck, close to the lake, adds to your enjoyment. Close to ski area and this condominium will make your enjoyment of our year 'round retreat completely carefree. While they last. \$44,900.00 and up.

SANG RUN —
1239 — Three-quarter acre wooded lot located just minutes from ski area. Improved with 3-bedroom mobile home and septic system. Ideal for hunting, skiing, or vacation retreat. \$8,500.00

LAKE SHORE DRIVE —
1222 — Half acre + lot with 150' on water's edge, wooded and maintained in its natural state. Improved 4 bedroom A-frame with large dormer overlooking lake. Large rustic living room w/fireplace. Features glass wall with view of lake, kitchen with built-ins, 1 1/2 baths, decks front and side, heat supplied by oil-fired forced air furnace. Additional building at rear of property, houses a game room, full bath & bunk room. \$87,500.00

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1215 — Well-built cedar Chalet situated on access lot with dock. Native stone fireplace adds to the rustic atmosphere of this fine vacation home. Completely furnished. \$67,500.00

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1174 — Rustic log cabin nicely situated on wooded lot. Beautiful native stone fireplace enhances desirability of this 4 bedroom retreat. \$32,500.00

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1189 — Situate near the beach, this A-Frame offers large living room w/fireplace, kitchen, one bedroom and loft, full bath, full basement w/garage. Completely furnished. Ideal location. \$43,000.00

874 — 1 acre landscaped lot close to beach and marina area improved with 3-level, 3-bedroom chalet suitable for 4-season recreation and relaxation. Native stone fireplace in both family room and living room. All this plus a wrap-around deck that affords a magnificent view of Deep Creek Lake. \$65,000.00

1004 — Well maintained 1/2 acre lot with lake and club privileges improved with new Lincoln Lodge beautifully decorated. Three bedrooms and full bath in upper level. Large living room with hanging fireplace, dining room/kitchen with self-cleaning range, disposal and frostfree refrigerator. Large deck off living room. Includes furniture except for living room. \$45,000.00

1089 — Very attractive 2-story chalet situated on 1/2 acre landscaped corner lot. This 3-bedroom and loft area, 1 1/2 bath home also includes all kitchen appliances plus a free standing fireplace to accent the living room. Top this off with a full basement that's ideal for a recreation room or boat storage. This price tag makes one's vacation dream home a reality! \$44,950.00

1217 — Brand new 2-bedroom rancher on beautifully wooded lot. Includes furnished kitchen, wall to wall carpeting and brick fireplace. \$31,950.00

931 — One of the large lots improved with 3 bedroom A-Frame. Modern kitchen and bath, large living room with fireplace. Thermopane doors opening onto 25' deck. Full basement with single car garage. \$36,500.00

1183 — 1/2-acre wooded lot improved with unusual stone and cedar chalet, consisting of 3 bedrooms, full bath, kitchen, living room featuring a massive stone fireplace, 2 large decks. Full basement with game room area and 2nd large stone fireplace. 100% carpeted. Total electric & fully insulated. \$64,500.00

COMMERCIAL - LAKE

ROUTE 219 —

434 — 65 acres with 600' lakefront (formerly Thayer's Barn).

1231 — Presently an operating Texaco service station and auto truck repair garage, containing 2600 sq. ft. with 2 auto service bays and a large service area for trucks. This business is located at the intersection of Mayhew Inn Road and U.S. Rt. 219 and enjoys an excellent following. Tools and fixtures may be purchased. Call office for further details.

GLENDAL ROAD —
1240 — A tavern, presently operating profitably, including living quarters. A 28x34 serving area w/horseshoe bar, stools, tables & captain's chairs. Upstairs has a 4-bedroom apt. with living room, kitchen, full bath and family room. Many extras. Situated on 1.59 acres with 347' road frontage. Call office for details.

PARADISE POINT —
1169 — Very nice, well-kept 6-unit motel close to major activities at the lake. Located on a 1.02 acre lot and priced right. \$58,850.00

McHENRY —
1170 — Excellent restaurant location on Rt. 219 close to Deep Creek Lake. Presently in operation and doing a very good business. \$69,500.00

OLD U.S. RT. 219 & SANG RUN RD. —
Commercial corner 4 season traffic. 2.5 acres, 400' frontage on Old 219 and Sang Run Road. Also improved with 2 bedroom farm house. Newly remodeled A-frame ready to use. All within view of ski slopes. Call our office for details.

BOY SCOUT ROAD —
1139 — Nice operating bar business situated on 2.1 acres, 2-bedroom year 'round home included in sale in addition to several other outbuildings. \$75,000.00

SWANTON —
1211 — Well operated gas station/grocery store and 4-bedroom apt. located minutes from the largest development on Deep Creek Lake. This business has grown steadily over the years and continues to do so. Improvements include 2-story masonry bldg. in good condition with over 1500 sq. ft. of floor space. Sales includes refrigerators, freezers and inventory. Carry-out beer license. Shown by appointment. Contact this office for further details.

RESIDENTIAL

OAKLAND — COUNTRY CLUB ACRES —
1207 — Nice medium sized rancher on gently sloping lot in Country Club Acres. Contains 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, modern kitchen, dining room with sliding glass doors opening onto redwood deck, den and one-car garage with automatic door. Fine views from this setting in a quality sub-division. \$45,000.00

1205 — Fabulous home situated in Country Club Acres. A 4-level brick dreamhouse which consists of the following: 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2 half baths, kitchen, family room, formal dining room, living room with foyer, music room, office, rec. room, shop, 2-car garage, golf cart garage, patio with planters front and covered patio in rear. Contact our office for more details.

OAKLAND —
1252 — Excellent building lot in city limits. Near schools and shopping. Very nice neighborhood. All utilities available. \$6,250.00

OAKLAND —
1060 — Older 2-story home converted into 3 apartment rental units. An excellent investment close to downtown. \$38,500.00

OAKLAND - DENNETT ROAD —
1258 — A 3 bedroom brick rancher close to schools, hospital and downtown, yet situated on a full 1/2-acre lot. Features full basement, separate kitchen and dining areas plus a Ben Franklin fireplace in the living room. Electric ceiling heat. \$45,500.00

BETHLEHEM ROAD —
1260 — Nice 3-bedroom rancher situated on a partially wooded 1-acre lot. Contains full bath with double vanity, built-in kitchen, large paneled living room and pantry. Also an outside storage building with fruit cellar. A lovely brick barbecue for those special times with family and friends. \$32,900.00

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

988 — 1 bedroom bungalow suited for year 'round use. Additional 1/2 acre building lot included. Fuel oil heat. \$21,750.00

CORMANIA, W. VA. —

124 — Older two-story home in excellent repair containing modern kitchen, oversized bath, living room, family room and three bedrooms. Wrap-around porch and half basement. Situated on convenient town lot. \$25,000.00

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GREEN GLADE ROAD —

1154 — A home in the country with a view of the lake. This brand new 3-bedroom redwood house features 2 native stone fireplaces, large marble bathroom situated on 1 acre part wooded and part cleared site. Fuel oil hot water heating, trash compactor, dishwasher, frostfree refrigerator and washer/dryer. Double car garage and full basement with second fireplace. \$53,500.00

YOUGH, MT. LAKE

1250 — 3-bedroom Lincoln Lodge located in one of the finer areas of the resort. Within walking distance of clubhouse, pool and tennis courts. Finish this one to your own taste. \$28,000.00

MOSSER ROAD —

1219 — Lovely stone home situate on 3 acres of land. Contains 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, den/family room, living room with stone fireplace and glass wall onto deck. Modern kitchen with all modern conveniences including island range, trash compactor, dishwasher, frostfree refrigerator and washer/dryer. Double car garage and full basement with second fireplace. \$69,500.00

BEAR CREEK AT THE KETTLE —

1249 — 3 acres + improved with 3-bedroom 2-story log home, 3 yrs. old. Modern kitchen & bath. Stone fireplace. Outside is complete with stone patio and fruit cellar. Fishing from front door. \$53,500.00

1192 — Three-bedroom ranch on town lot with utility kitchen in basement, game room and fireplace; kitchen, dining room, living room and full bath on first level. \$33,000.00

1254 — "D" Street. 5-6 bedrooms, 2 kitchens, 2 1/2 baths, living room, family room with native stone fireplace and built-in bar. This 2-level home offers the choice of 2 family living or comfort to a large family. City water & sewer, gas hot water heat and situate on a 75x200 lot. \$54,500.00

BROAD FORD LAKE AREA —

1125 — One to four-acre building sites near Broad Ford Recreational Lake. Perked and ready for building. \$6,000.00

1200 — 4 bedroom contemporary beautifully situated in the middle of 86 wooded acres fronting on Broad Ford Lake. Home features modern kitchen, 2 full baths, cut stone fireplace and lots of glass. 1/4 acre pond with beach adds to the desirability of this fine offering. Can be purchased with less acreage if desired. Call office for more details.

DEER PARK —

1248 — One hundred year old bungalow with kitchen, 25'x25' living room, bath w/shower, unfinished loft & fireplace. Owner has added a new redwood deck, roof, well & septic system. Old houses never die, they just sell. \$12,500.00

GRAVELLY RUN —

1165 — Exceptionally nice two-bedroom ranch home with corner fireplace, recently remodeled interior and two extra 100' lots fronting on Gravelly Run Rd. \$41,000.00

FRIENDSVILLE —

1160 — Large well-maintained 5-bedroom Victorian home situated minutes from Rt. 48. Features large country kitchen, dining room and living room with stone fireplace. \$47,500.00

934 — Lovely, historic old home located on 20 acres and fronting on the picturesque Bear Creek Road. The hundred year old home has been renovated and contains six bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, modern kitchen, 2 fireplaces and detached garage. \$57,900.00

McHENRY —

1102 — Lovely, well-kept 2-bedroom double wide on .61 acre landscaped lot featuring view of lake and minutes from ski area. Large, 1 1/2 story, 28x40 stone and aluminum siding garage is oil heated and has potential for shop area or additional living space. \$32,500.00

RT. 135, PAUGHVILLE —

422 — Rancher situate on a level wooded lot with 200' of road frontage. House contains 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, dining area/kitchen with built-ins, living room, carpeted. Full basement, large game room w/wet bar, complete with 18'x36' swimming pool and all equipment. \$38,500.00

SHALLMAR —

1255 — Older two-bedroom cottage situate on town lot. In need of repair, yet priced with that in mind. \$4,600.00

SWALLOW FALLS —

1186 — 63 acre of woodland improved with 3-bedroom modified A-frame with large kitchen, living room with native stone fireplace. Hardwood floors throughout. Total electric heat, excellent area for year 'round recreational use. \$34,900.00

U.S. RT. 219 NORTH —

1070 — A three-bedroom home situated on .63 acre with modern kitchen, dining area, full bath, living room, family room, full basement. Maintenance free aluminum siding and separate garage. \$53,500.00

1237 — 11th St. Beauty & convenience. A brick colonial style home located in an excellent location near shopping & schools. With a large back yard and beautiful landscaping, this home includes 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining area, 1 1/2 baths, utility room, full basement and 1-car garage. \$50,000.00

ROUTE 135 —

1225 — A three-bedroom home located ideally. 3/4 acre with huge trees. Full bath and utility room, partial basement for game room & 4th bedroom potential. \$32,500.00

RT. 38 —

647 — A 10-acre country estate offering a redwood and stone home (especially designed for livability) with 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room, country kitchen, living room with lots of interior stonework and barn siding. \$120,000.00

AURORA —

1161 — Newly remodeled 4-bedroom home nicely situated on 5-acre tract with frontage on U.S. Rt. 50. Guest cottage and storage building are just a few of the extras featured with this property. Solid chestnut barn included in sale. \$55,000.00

FARMS & ACREAGE

BEAR CREEK —

973 — 7 1/2 acres wooded land close to trout fishing. \$4,000.00

BRAY SCHOOL ROAD —

1202 — 1/2 acre wooded lot close to the lake with frontage along a paved County road. Ideal for winter or summer use. Close to the lake but still secluded for privacy. \$5,500.00

LAKE —

1208 — 2+ wooded acres just minutes from Deep Creek Lake. \$6,000.00

DEER PARK AREA —

1253 — 42 acres partly cleared and private with access off Old Deer Park Road. \$500.00 an acre

GRAVELLY RUN ROAD —

1221 — 265 acres overlooking Deep Creek. 14 lots already subdivided, and ideal for small acreage ranchettes. Owner financing with 20% down. \$596.00 an acre

TASKER'S CORNER —

1168 — 126 acres with house and barn approximately 40% in pine trees, balance in mixed hardwoods near State Forest. \$48,500.00

MEADOW MOUNTAIN —

1043 — Three 1/4-acre building lots situated along Rt. 495 just a short distance from Deep Creek Lake State Park. Owner will finance. \$7,500.00 each.

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1140 — 140+ acres of rolling land 90% cleared, 10% wooded, good area for large pond. 2-story farm house and barn in good repair. \$140,000.00

BIG EDDY —

1162 — 4-acre building lot. Electric and telephone available. Exclusive access to 1000' of Yough River front. \$9,500.00

DRY RUN —

71224 — 50 acres of beautiful views adjoining State Forest, improved with farm house with new additions containing large fireplace, lots of room for family. Large barn with new siding and roof. Total electric. \$97,500.00

YOUGH, RIVER —

1209 — 300 acres of wooded and cleared land with frontage on river. \$600.00 per acre.

BACKBONE MT. —

945 — Over 7 acres of wooded land bordering on State Forest. Level hard road frontage. \$1,000/acre.

945 — Excellent building site containing 1.63 acre. Wooded and bordering on State Forest. \$3,000.00

864 — 8 1/2 acres adjoining State Forest with 200' road frontage. \$8,500.00

RED HOUSE —

1219 — 40 acres, more or less, with approximately 900' of frontage on Rt. 50. About 1/2 of this land has been cleared for farming, balance wooded and would be suitable for development. Call office for details.

SPRING LICK ROAD —

930 — 57+ acres bordering on Crabtree Creek and Potomac State Forest. Ideal wooded retreat near Savage River Dam. \$450.00 an acre.

WHITE ROCK —

1233 — Hunters - This one is for you! Beautiful cabin site on 1 acre, nicely wooded, electric and telephone available, fronting on County Road and situated in the heart of game country. Owner financing is available. \$2,550.00

McHENRY —

182 — Wooded acre building site, hard road frontage. \$5,990.00

FOR PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP

1259 — 80 acres of rolling farmland with all the improvements to make this property one of a kind. They include a 4 bedroom home newly remodeled and decorated throughout, town hall (separate entertainment bldg.) including vet bar, dance floor and large fireplace. Tennis court. Patio with stone barbecue. Springhouse with workshop above, 2-story barn, 3 ponds (stocked). All this protected by white board fence, 3 mins. from Deep Creek Lake and Wiso Ski Resort. Call for details.

NEW GERMANY ROAD AREA —

1234 — A hunting you can go on this 27+ acre parcel completely surrounded by the Savage River State Forest! Ideal for camping retreat too! \$700/acre

PYSELL CROSS CUT RD. —
1163 — 13 acres, level, ideal for subdividing, near Deep Creek Lake, with road frontage on two county roads—Call office for details.

FOSTER ROAD —

1132 — 57 acres divided into 10 acre parcels suitable for first or second home building sites. Stream on property. \$750.00 an acre.

WEST VIRGINIA —

CRANESVILLE —
951 — 3.5-acre wooded parcels, ideal for second home or hunting hideaway. Priced from \$3,500.00, 7% simple interest.

AURORA —

1096 — Rhododendron and streams aplenty on this 8 1/2-acre tract of land. Close to conveniences - yet secluded and private. Three ponds have already been constructed and there are several excellent cabin or camping sites. \$

FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

Registration Scheduled
Registration for anyone who has not previously registered may do so on Monday, February 6, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the library. Persons desiring to register must be residents of Friendsville for six months, 18 years of age or older, and a resident of Maryland for one year.

Rotary Club Meets
Rotarians met Monday evening at Hamburger House,

and Mrs. Floyd Wakefield. During the month of January in the sociology class he attends, the class is at Leupp Indian Boarding School at Winslow, Arizona, studying Navajo Indian culture.

Meetings Cancelled
Meetings of W.O.W. Grove 6043 and Rangerette Unit 135 were cancelled last week due to weather conditions.

Former Resident Dies
Relatives received word of the death of Mrs. Effie (Fox) Young, 89, at Tampa, Fla., on Wednesday, January 11. She was a daughter of the late

Fred and Bertie Fox, Friendsville and the widow of the late Rev. Leslie K. Young, a former pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, here. Mrs. Young had spent the past few years in Tampa, Florida. Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Betty O'Neal, Tampa; Mrs. Grace MacCubbin, Roanoke, Va.; Mrs. Frances Gable, Mechanicsburg, Pa.; Mrs. Mary Williams, Sparta, N.J.; two sons, Leslie Young, Nevada City, Calif.; and Jack L. Young, Tampa, Fla. Memorial services were held in Tampa and the body flown to Harrisburg, Pa., and on to Oberlin Lutheran Church, Oberlin, Pa., on Saturday for service and burial in Green-castle, Pa. The Oberlin Lutheran Church was the last pastorate of the late Rev. Young. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Izzetta (Fox) Brown, Alexandria, Va.; and Mrs. Theresa (Fox) Shields, Linthicum. A brother, Arnold Fox, here, and a sister, Mrs. Laura Guard, here, preceded her in death. Many relatives and friends reside in the Friendsville area.

Birth Announced
A daughter, Lori Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger G. Sines on Tuesday, January 10, at Community Hospital, Meyersdale, Pa. The mother was formerly Lee Ann Wisor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wisor, Grantsville, and the father is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sines, Friendsville. They also have a son, Ronnie.

Personal Items
Mrs. Orval Rush has received word of the death of her brother, Frank Ryan, at age 86, at his home near Bruceton, W. Va., Sunday evening. He is the father of Mrs. Clarence Friend, Friendsville.

Miss Penny Friend left Thursday for Puget Sound, Tacoma, Washington, after a three-week vacation with her family, who accompanied her to the airport at Pittsburgh, Pa.

David Jones, Herrington Heights, spent Thursday with his great-grandmother, Mrs. Julia Skidmore. Sunday callers were Miss Teresa Hinebaugh, here, and Alan Skidmore, McHenry.

Mrs. Bernardine Friend was a Friday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Metcalfe, Mt. Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wolfe, Tennessee, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friend. Mrs. Wolfe had spent two weeks with her husband in Tennessee, and remained here with her parents.

Claude Selby was admitted to Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland, last week. Mrs. Blanche Lewellen, Elder Hill, was a Thursday dinner guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Schroyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haefling, Fort Wayne, Indiana, were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Shoemaker.

Ralph Thomas was a caller of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Friend, Terry and Penny, and Miss Clara Lee Duke visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Couch and daughters, Rt. 40, last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Friend and Terry and Penny were recent visitors of Mrs. Grace Guard, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Hoff and daughters, Pt. Marion, Pa., were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Friend and family, Sand Spring. Friday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Humberson.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Margaret Rush were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Rush, Accident, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thomas, Green Gables.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hicks and daughters, Middletown, spent the weekend at their home here. Mrs. Hicks and daughters were Saturday afternoon callers of Mrs. Jessie Rush and Robert.

Leslie Guard returned home Wednesday evening after being a patient in Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, for a week.

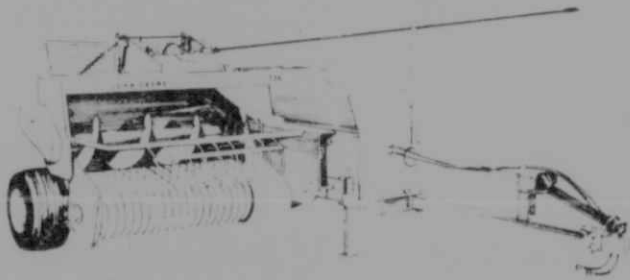
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CRELLIN

Mrs. Brenda DeLauder, Mrs. Donna Sharpless and Harry Biggs became members of the United Brethren in Christ Church last Sunday evening, by the pastor, Rev. Charles Teets.

Jeremy Christopher Skiles, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Skiles, was dedicated in the Sunday morning worship service at the United Brethren in Christ Church, by the Rev. Charles Teets.

Mrs. Anna Upole and Miss Joan Ivanouski of Oakland were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Lillian Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale (Bud) Shaffer and son of Terra Alta, were Monday morning visitors

of Mr. and Mrs. Alvy Clark. A birthday dinner was held on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard DeWitt, in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Leo McBee's, birthday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Leo McBee, Mr. and Mrs. James White and son Jarrod, Mr. and Mrs. Allen DeWitt of Terra Alta, W. Va.; Mrs. Della Welch of Sunnyside, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvy Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shaffer and daughter, Jonna Shaffer and Arlie Breedlove, motored to Hagerstown last Sunday and attended the VFW Speaking Contest. Jonna was a contestant.

William DeWitt is a surgical patient in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

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GRANTSVILLE AREA — Attractive 2-bedroom home atop Negro Mtn. on Route 40. Contains large living room & kitchen, full basement, also has 4-room attached apartment and hook-up facilities for two trailers.\$27,900.

NEAR SOUTHERN HIGH SCHOOL — New ranch style home with full basement. Contains 3 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, 1 1/2 baths and attached garage. Located on 3/4 acre on Sunrise Drive and scheduled for completion in several weeks. Inquire now.\$55,000.

BEAR CREEK — This delightful older home incorporates all the charm and character for one who enjoys the warmth of gracious living with a touch of history. Contains 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, 4 fireplaces, 2-car garage — all recently restored. Beautifully situated on 20 acres with many more amenities that are sure to please. Give us a call, the price will surprise you.

MITCHELL MANOR — New residence with split foyer and ten rooms that includes 4 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, family room and 2 1/2 baths, all the work of skilled craftsmen. Situated on 1/2 acre with pleasant view of neighborhood and just beyond town limits. Inquire now, completion due in several weeks.\$65,000.

NEW SPACIOUS 2-story home of redwood construction located in excellent neighborhood near Dennett Road School. Contains five bedrooms, family room, 3 1/2 baths, modern kitchen, double garage, dining room & lots of other extras to make this luxurious home a comfort and delight for any family.\$83,500.

NEAR SILVER LAKE — 1975 Bayview 14x65 deluxe 3-bedroom mobile home on block foundation with basement and situated on .80 acre.\$15,200.

MT. LAKE PARK — Over 1/2 acre home on D Street with living room, dining room, kitchen, and utility room, contains 2 baths and 3 bedrooms. **SOLD**\$25,000.

MT. LAKE PARK — Apartment house with 4 units at 407 H St. Excellent investment for retired couple or live in owner. Each unit has bath and kitchen. Some furnishings to go with sale.\$40,000.

DEER PARK — Modern 3-bedroom rancher with large living room, family room, modern kitchen, 2 baths and double garage. Situated on 1 1/4 acres with road frontage on Rt. 135 and east end of Pysell Cross Cut.\$35,000.

OAK PARK — Ranch home with 3 bedrooms, family room, gas/hot air heat. Corner lot in nice residential neighborhood.\$33,900.

GARRETT ROAD — Snug 3-bedroom stone and frame ranch style home only minutes from town. Property boasts 24x24 family room with fireplace and bar, modern kitchen, screened in porch and patio, and 2-car attached garage, all on 3/4 acre lot.\$41,500.

MT. LAKE PARK — 1965 Fleetwood mobile home partly furnished on 75 x 120' lot at 500 G St. Well maintained and conveniently located. Partly furnished.\$13,900.

YOUGH RIVER — Comfortable 3-level home with modern conveniences on Yough River near Oakland; 3 bedrooms, modern kitchen, dining room, living room with fireplace. Situate on an acre and priced at\$34,000.

GRANTSVILLE AREA — 2 bedroom cottage borders state forest. Suitable for year 'round living.\$16,500.

HOYES RUN ROAD — 1973 12x65 Sheffield mobile home with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Located on acre lot with fruit trees, and a nice view. Only five minutes from lake and ski area.\$20,000.

FRIENDSVILLE — 2 story 4-bedroom home on 4 acres of ground. Heated with oil forced air, artesian well, 3 small out-buildings. Grape vines, raspberries and fruit trees.\$19,900.

MITCHELL MANOR — A touch of Dutch Colonial in this split level boasts family room with fireplace, living room, dining room, modern kitchen, 2 1/2 baths & three bedrooms all with beautiful oak floors. **SOLD** crafted by some of the finest carpenters in the area. Also contains finished single car garage. Property complemented by huge oaks and beautiful view.\$56,000.

BUSINESS

TAVERN — Dance floor, bar, kitchen and small apartment. This brick structure has full basement & is situated on an acre of ground. Could be made a first class restaurant.\$48,400.

RESTAURANT/COCKTAIL LOUNGE — Situated on 4 acres of ground 3 miles from Oakland. Includes all furnishings plus modern kitchen. A good business opportunity - reduced price, excellent financing by owner. Call office for details.\$115,000.

TWO STORY BRICK commercial structure with over 4000 sq. ft. This corner property located on Liberty Street is one block from downtown Oakland. Includes parking lot in rear on alley, and a large separate secondary frame building.\$50,000.

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ALTAVISTA — Nicely situated 1 acre lots 9.7 miles from Oakland on 135.\$3,300 ea.

1.5 ACRE LOT New Germany Area, includes well and septic system plus 12x60 blockline for trailer. Adjoins state land.\$8,800.

"NEST LICK ACRES" — 3 miles from town, just off 219 adjoining the State Forest. Excellent building lots. Priced from \$3,300 - \$4,000.

TIMBER TRAILS — 2.73 acres ideally suited for a hunting cabin or recreation home.\$5,000.

TIMBER TRAILS II — 1/2 acre on Oakland/Sang Run Road, wooded, minutes from ski area and lake.\$2,850.

LOCH LYNN — Two building lots. Sewer and water. Excellent location.\$5,100 ea.

YOUGHIOGHENY MT. LAKE — We have lots and cottages in various sections and priced from \$1,690 to \$25,000. Be sure to see us for more information about this recreation area.

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HOYES RUN ROAD — 70 acres wooded with frontage on both sides of the road. Estimate of selective timber cutting \$6,000. Hoyes Run stream flows through entire length of the property.\$35,000.

OAKLAND-SANG RUN ROAD — 8.74 acres of ground with 150' of road frontage.\$7,000.

HOYES RUN ROAD — Wooded parcel of 10.13 acres with over 650 feet of road frontage and convenient to McHenry and U. S. Route 219. Owner will consider financing. Good residential building site.\$17,500.

WEST VIRGINIA — 5.25 acres, over 1,000 feet of frontage, lightly wooded, stream and spring on property, 3/10 of a mile off U. S. 50. Owner will finance.\$4,900.

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SKY VALLEY — A-Frame, 36x24 nicely wooded lot convenient to lake including all privileges associated with this subdivision.\$36,500.

SKY VALLEY — 1/2-acre lot with all the amenities and other advantages associated with this recreation subdivision.\$6,500.

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Each bidder must deposit with his bid security in an amount of not less than five (5) percent of his bid in the form required by the Instructions to Bidders.

The Board of Trustees reserved the right to waive any informalities and/or to reject any or all bids.

NOTE: Bidders and their subcontractors will be required to observe the specification requirement which permits inclusion in bids of a substitute item of manufacture other than that specifically indicated by name in the related portion of the Specifications. Where such is accomplished, bidder shall indicate in his bid what sum he will deduct from his base bid for the inclusion of such item or items.

By Order of the Board of Trustees

Dr. Jan W. Janssen
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—Adv. 47-3L

STATE OF MARYLAND
Department of Transportation
State Highway Administration

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED PROPOSALS for the following will be received by the State Highway Administration at its offices, 300 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201 until 12 Noon on the 7th day of February, 1978, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

QUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS NOT REQUIRED. ON FEDERAL AID PROJECTS, the Maryland State Highway Administration, in accordance

PUBLIC NOTICES

with the Standard Department of Transportation Title VI Assurances, Item 2, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

FEDERAL AID PROJECT
GARRETT COUNTY - CONTRACT NO. G-409-501-624; FAP #LSF-155-1(46)
COST OF PLANS - \$15.00
PROJECT CLASSIFICATION - A

Landscaping - work shall consist of furnishing and planting and caring for trees at the Youghiogheny Scenic Overlook on the National Freeway (U.S. Rte. 40), Eastbound Roadway, east of Friendsville. Work shall also include selective thinning.

Minimum wage rates for this project have been predetermined as required by law and are set forth in the Bid Proposal.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans, will be furnished by the Administration upon application and cash payment noted. NO REFUND FOR RETURN OF SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check, a Cashier's check, or a Treasurer's check drawn upon a bank or bid bond payable to the State of Maryland, in the amount as set forth in the proposal form, as required by Transportation Article, Section 8-614, Annotated Code of Maryland. In addition, a Bid Letter from Surety must accompany the Proposal guaranteeing that Payment and Performance Bonds will be furnished by the Contractor to be the successful bidder.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland respecting Contracts.

The Administration reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

BERNARD M. EVANS
State Highway Administrator
Date January 3, 1978
ORDER NO. E-6520
—Adv. 46-2T

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

The First National Bank of Oakland

In the State of Maryland, at the close of business on December 31, 1977, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter number 5623. National Bank Region Number Fifth.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks	6,492,000
U.S. Treasury securities	5,958,000
Other assets of States and political subdivisions	10,763,000
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	12,000
Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	165,000
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,450,000
Loans, Total	
(excluding unearned income)	56,192,000
Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	267,000
Loans, Net	55,925,000
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	1,588,000
Other assets	413,000
TOTAL ASSETS	82,766,000

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	16,326,000
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	53,713,000
Deposits of United States Government	401,000
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	3,968,000
Certified and officers' checks	602,000
TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS	75,010,000
Total demand deposits	18,799,000
Total time and savings deposits	56,211,000
Other liabilities	804,000

TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	75,814,000
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EQUITY CAPITAL	
Common stock:	
a. No. shares authorized 201,100	
b. No. shares outstanding 201,100 (par value)	2,011,000
Surplus	3,485,000
Undivided profits	1,240,000
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	216,000
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	6,952,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	82,766,000

MEMORANDA	
Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date:	
Cash and due from banks	5,882,000
Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	2,472,000
Total loans	57,367,000
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more	3,798,000
Total deposits	74,801,000
TOTAL ASSETS	87,506,000
Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date)	60,000
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	3,035,000
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	350,000

I, Robert W. Kurtz, Cashier of the above-named bank, do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Robert W. Kurtz
January 10, 1978

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Homel L. Bennett
Donald M. Browning
Richard G. Stanton
Directors

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STATE OF MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

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FEDERAL AID PROJECTS
GARRETT COUNTY - CONTRACT NO. G-418-501-677; FAP#D-101(1)
COST OF PLANS - FREE
PROJECT CLASSIFICATION - D

Resurfacing, drainage and safety improvements to Md. 495 from Rock Lodge Road to North Glade Road, approximately 7.15 miles.

Minimum wage rates for the above project have been predetermined as required by law and are set forth in the Bid Proposal.

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The Administration reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bernard M. Evans
State Highway Administrator
Date January 10, 1978
—Adv. 47-2L

COMMISSIONER OF LAND PATENTS STATE OF MARYLAND HALL OF RECORDS BUILDING POST OFFICE BOX 828 ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21404

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF WARRANT

Take notice that on the 3rd day of November, 1977, at the request of Thomas E. Doyle a warrant to survey was issued to Kevin Steinbiller, surveyor, of Garrett County, to survey all that vacant land containing approximately 26.94 acres in the Sixth Election District of Garrett County. Said vacant land is bounded by a parcel containing approximately 270.73 acres owned by Thomas E. Doyle, Peach Orchard Rd., Silver Spring, Md. and by a parcel containing approximately 10 acres owned by Ronald Rapp, 3 W. Park Court, Glen Burnie, Md., and by a parcel containing approximately 70 acres owned by Rufus O. Barkley, 28 De Forest Ave., Fairhance, Pa., and by a parcel containing approximately 26.94 acres owned by John R. Byron, 1122 Linden Ave., Takoma Park, Md.

Provided certain conditions are met and unless an objection is filed in the proceeding as provided by Real Property Sections 13-401 and 13-402 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 edition) as amended to date, a Land Patent for said approximately 26.94 acres of vacant land may be issued by the State of Maryland to the said Thomas E. Doyle, conveying all the right, title and interest of the State of Maryland therein.

Pursuant to Section 13-307 (b) (2) of the Real Property Article, Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 edition) as amended to date, the surveyor will be on the premises, that is, the vacant land described in the aforesaid warrant, in the Sixth Election District of Garrett County, near or at Hoyes Run Road on the 7th day of February 1978, at 9:00 a.m., to execute said warrant.

Edward C. Papenfuss
Commissioner of Land Patents
—Adv. 45-3L

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO BID

The Mayor & Town Council of Mt. Lake Park invites proposals for two (2) Tailgate Cinder Spreaders. Specifications can be obtained by calling the Mt. Lake Park Town Hall 334-2250.

In order to receive consideration, proposals must be received at the town office of Mt. Lake Park not later than 4:00 P.M. on January 27, 1978.

The Mayor & Town Council reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals.

—Adv. 47-1L

NOTICE TO BID

The Maryland Wildlife Administration is offering for sale standing mixed oak, cherry, and red maple sawtimber and pulpwood on approximately 13 acres of compartment #4 of Mt. Nebo Wildlife Management Area. The standing timber was estimated to contain 40,516 board feet of sawtimber using the International 4 inch Kerf Rule, including tops. This timber is located 7 mile off the Oakland-Sang Run Road, north of the Oakland Country Club Golf Course.

Anyone interested in this timber may contact Edward Golden, Maryland Wildlife Administration, Mt. Nebo Wildlife Management Area, Rt. 215, Oakland, Md. 21550 (telephone 334-2255).

Contract/Bid forms may be obtained by contacting the office of the Regional Manager, Department of Natural Resources, Highland Estates, Naves Crossroad, Cumberland, Md. 21502 (telephone 301) 777-2134.

Bids will be received until noon, February 16, 1978, at the office of the Regional Manager. Operator must be a Registered Forest Products Operator for Maryland to submit a bid on this timber. Registration forms may be obtained at the Regional Service Center on Naves Crossroad.

A Performance Bond of \$500.00 must be posted by the Buyer at the time the Contract is accepted.

—Adv. 47-2L

STATE OF MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES WATER RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION

Public Notice No. MA-16
Issue Date: January 13, 1978

Persons wishing to present information or comments about the tentative decisions listed below are invited to speak at the scheduled hearings or submit written comments. Adversely affected persons wishing to contest a tentative decision must request on or before February 6, 1978, that contested issues be adjudicated at the hearing.

Procedures for making such requests are set forth with this notice in the Maryland Register of January 13, 1978, and in COMAR 08.05.06. The applicable rules, draft permits, and other information are on file and may be inspected, and arrangements made for copying. Requests for information, and any written requests for adjudication, may be addressed to: Water Resources Administration, Permits Division, Tawes State Office Building, 580 Taylor Avenue, Annapolis, Maryland 21401. Phone (301) 269-2290.

GARRETT COUNTY: A public hearing on the following tentative decision will be held: Wednesday, March 1, 1978, 10:00 A.M.

The Garrett County Courthouse
Grand Jury Room
Third and Alder Streets
Oakland, Maryland

Public Notice No. MA-16
Appropriation Permit Application No. GA-77-GAP-419; A and J Coal Corporation, Route 1, Swanton, Maryland 21561, proposes to appropriate for dewatering a deep mine located east of the intersection of Bloomington Road and Chestnut Grove Road southeast of Bloomington, Garrett County, Maryland, a yearly discharge of 15,000 gallons per day and a maximum of 36,000 gallons per day. Tentative Decision: Issue permit with conditions requiring (1) the monitoring of water levels and water quality in all existing water supply wells within 1,000 feet of the area from which coal is to be removed and (2) compensation to existing dewatering water users for any adverse impacts caused by mining operations.

—Adv. 46-2T

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE — Grain-fed Angus beef by the half or whole. Phone 334-2972. —Adv. 47-13L

FOR SALE — Hay: big round bales, weigh 1300-1400 lbs. each. \$40 per bale. Will load on your truck. Phone 301-746-5182. —Adv. 47-2L

FOR SALE — Doublewide mobile home, 24x52', excellent condition, on two lots (120 x 110), 3 BR, sewing room, one bath, living room, dinette and kitchen. \$21,500.00. Phone 387-5247. —Adv. 47-10L

FOR SALE — Fireplace wood. Phone 334-9791. —Adv. 45-4L

FOR SALE — Firewood. Phone 304-735-6251. —Adv. 45-3L

FOR SALE — Locust fence posts. Phone 387-5079. —Adv. 45-3L

FOR SALE — Homemade quilts, etc. Phone 387-6328. —Adv. 45-6L

FOR SALE — Firewood. Phone 334-8468 or 334-8265. —Adv. 45-6L

FOR SALE — Firewood; \$10.00 per pickup load. Phone 453-3546. —Adv. 45-4L

FOR SALE — Quilts, also made to order. Phone 334-4660. —Adv. 45-13L

FOR SALE — Hay & straw. Can deliver. Phone 301-826-8366. —Adv. 45-13L

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE — Two snow plows: one for Bronco and one for Chevy pickup. Phone 334-3351 after 4 p.m. —Adv. 47-3L

FOR SALE — Three red Dobermans, male, purebred, 9 weeks old, \$50 each. Phone 304-265-4297 or 304-265-1783. —Adv. 45-3L

FOR SALE — 1974 Concord mobile home, 12x60'. Phone 334-9791. —Adv. 47-4L

FOR SALE — Firewood. Phone 387-6889. —Adv. 47-8L

FOR SALE — Kirby Classic III vacuum cleaner with attachments. In excellent condition. \$200.00. Call 334-2560. —Adv. 47-1L

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FOR SALE — 1976 Yamaha Chappy motorcycle and 125 Yamaha Enduro motorcycle. Phone 334-3077. —Adv. 47-3L

FOR SALE — 1972 Arctic Cat 399 Cheetah snowmobile, 1973 Jeep Renegade, V-8, PS, many extras; 1 pr. boys roller skates, size 5, like new. Phone 334-4349. —Adv. 45-4L

FOR SALE — 1976-77 440 Cyclone John Deere snowmobile, excellent shape. Phone 334-4957. —Adv. 46-3L

FOR SALE — 1972 Polaris snowmobile, good shape, priced \$350.00. Phone 746-5619 after 4 p.m. —Adv. 46-3L

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FOR SALE — 1969 Chevy C-30 truck, one ton with 12-foot stake body and dump hoist, stake racks included. \$1,095. Call 387-590 after 5 p.m. — Adv. 46-41.

FOR SALE — 1975 LTD Ford 4-door hardtop, candy apple red, black vinyl top, 251 engine, low mileage; bought new, very good condition. Phone 826-2200. — Adv. 46-41.

FOR SALE — 1975 Chevrolet Laguna type S3, 350 cubic inch engine, auto, trans., power disc brakes, PS, new tires, AM-FM cassette player. Must sell. Phone 334-4646. — Adv. 46-41.

FOR SALE — 1977 Ford F-250 Ranger, wheel drive, 3 1/2 ton, power steering, power brakes, auto, air-conditioning, AM-FM stereo 8 track. Excellent condition. Will take trade-in. Phone 334-6879. — Adv. 46-41.

FOR SALE — 1973 Monte Carlo, 330 2-speed, automatic with console bucket seats, PS, PB, AC, AM-FM radio, CB radio, radial tires, blue with black vinyl top. Phone 387-4672 after 5 p.m. — Adv. 44-41.

FOR SALE — 1976 Nova, standard transmission, 305 engine, less than 4,000 miles. Priced to sell. Phone 334-3887 after 4 p.m. — Adv. 44-41.

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FOR SALE — 1977 Pontiac Firebird, AM-FM tape, many extras. Excellent condition. Phone 746-5943. — Adv. 47-11.

FOR SALE — 1975 C-10 Chevy pickup, 4-wheel drive. Contact First National Bank at 334-9471. — Adv. 47-21.

FOR SALE — 1972 International Scout II, 4-wheel drive, 8-cylinder, 358 cubic inch engine. Phone 836-8529. — Adv. 47-21.

FOR SALE — 1974 Plymouth Valiant, 4-door, auto., PS, 6-cylinder, 30,000 miles, like new. Phone 334-2121 and ask for Charlie. — Adv. 47-131.

FOR SALE OR TRADE — 1968 Dodge 1/2 ton, 4-wheel drive Power Wagon, V-8, 4-speed. Will trade for Lawn & Garden tractor with attachments or other farm tractor. Phone 334-3081 or 334-8238. — Adv. 43-131.

FOR SALE — 1964 International Scout, 4-wheel drive, runs good, \$795.00 firm! Also, 1951 Chevrolet. Phone 334-4065 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. — Adv. 47-21.

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FOR RENT — 7-room farm house 1/2 mile from Accident. Phone 826-8410 or 304-292-8034. — Adv. 47-131.

FOR RENT — Three-bedroom house in Mt. Lake Park. Unfurnished, stove and refrigerator needed. \$100.00 plus utilities; security deposit required. Phone 334-2205. — Adv. 47-131.

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Wilburn Couple Honored On 40th



Mr. and Mrs. Merrell Wilburn of near McHenry were honored Sunday, December 18, with a reception on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary. The reception was held at the Deep Creek Lake Firehall and was given by their sons, James O. of Grantsville and Edward D. Wilburn of near McHenry and their families.

Mrs. Wilburn is the former Mae DeWitt, daughter of the late David Owen and Laetitia Friend DeWitt and Mr. Wilburn is the son of the late James Gregory and Rebecca Pysell Wilburn, all of near McHenry.

The couple was married December 18, 1937, by the late Rev. Frank Hockenbury at the Friendsville Methodist Church parsonage.

Prior to the reception, Rev. Ellis Harvey performed an Intention of Marriage ceremony and the couple renewed their marriage vows. Ross Giffels of McHenry, accompanied by Mrs. Ellis Harvey at the piano, offered a vocal selection of "Through the Years."

A corsage of pink carnations was presented to Mrs. Wilburn by the family, and Mr. Wilburn

was presented a white carnation boutonniere.

A color scheme of ruby red and white prevailed throughout the reception hall. The reception table was centered with a three-tiered cake topped with white satin balls and beaded hearts. Two decorated heart-shaped cakes also adorned the reception table. The cake was cut by the couple. A floral arrangement of red carnations, white pompons, and Christmas greens centered the family table. The gift table was centered with a white money tree trimmed in red velvet ribbons.

Vikki Wilburn, niece of the couple, greeted and registered guests. Helen Vitez and Alice Sines cut and served the cake, while Nancy Beachy served coffee and Cindy Vitez served punch. All are nieces of the couple. Bonnie Dierr, friend of the family, assisted at the serving tables.

Mr. Wilburn recently retired from W. H. Fritz, Inc., Accident, where he was employed as bookkeeper-accountant for 14 years. The couple are active members of the Hayes United Methodist Church and have served in various capacities

there. Mr. Wilburn has served as a Sunday School teacher there for approximately 40 years. They are active members of the Garrett County Farm Bureau, having served as Secretary-Treasurer for nearly 30 years. They take an active part in other various community organizations and activities.

The couple has four grandchildren.

Approximately 150 friends and relatives shared in the occasion.

Paradise Church Plans Hymn Sing

There will be a gospel hymn sing Sunday, January 22, at 2 p.m. at the Paradise United Methodist Church on Route 38 near Sand Flat.

Among those singing will be the Fairview Quartet, the Gospel Four and several other choirs and individuals.

Rev. Ellis Harvey, pastor, invites the public to attend and participate.

Mr. And Mrs. Harold Georg Honored On 50th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Harold Georg, wedding anniversary recently celebrated their 50th

Alps, Grantsville, given by their son-in-law daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack (Helen) Corbett, Westminster.

Harold, son of the late Alex and Catherine (Beitzel) Georg, and Cora, daughter of the late Henry and Effie (Georg) Bach, were married December 17, 1927 by Pastor Gode, Zion Lutheran Church, Accident.

Guests included Mrs. Nellie Giffels, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. W. Richter, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Denker, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bach, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, all of Accident; and Mrs. Ora Younk, Grantsville.

Oakland Civic Club To Meet

A luncheon and meeting of the Civic Club of Oakland will be held Tuesday, January 23, at the Will o' The Wisp beginning at 12:30 p.m.

Speaker for the occasion will be Dr. Andrew E. Mance who will talk on National Health Insurance.

Mr., Mrs. Huston Friend Honored By Children On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Huston H. Friend, Friendsville, recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a dinner at Oakhurst Tea Room in Somerset, Pa. given and attended by their five children. An open house reception was held at their residence Sunday, October 30.

The couple was married in Friendsville by Rev. Shay on November 2, 1927. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hook, Uniontown, Pa., brother-in-law and sister of Mr. Friend, were witnesses of the ceremony.

Mrs. Friend is the former Opal Friend, daughter of Mary A. and the late Herbert Friend. Mr. Friend is a son of Sophia and the late Richard H. Friend.

The couple's children are Huston, Jr., Markleysburg, Pa.; Wade, Friendsville; James, Cumberland; Mrs.

Judy Burd, Berlin Center, Ohio; and Mrs. JoAnn Smith, Confluence, Pa. They have 14 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

At the open house, the tiered anniversary cake was presented by their granddaughter, Mrs. Sandra Wakefield, Fairmont, W. Va. A carnation corsage and boutonniere were presented by their daughter, JoAnn Smith.

Grantsville Man

Earns Master's

Charles E. Coddington, Grantsville, is among the 411 students who recently received degrees during the 103rd commencement of California State College of Pennsylvania, California, Pa.

Coddington earned his masters of education in Industrial Arts.

We've unwrapped our new Oakland Office in Midtowns Shopping Plaza and you're invited to the

GRAND OPENING PARTY

Come join the celebration!

Register your Money House guess FREE for prizes!
FREE gifts for savers!
Souvenirs for everyone!

The wraps are off... here's a brand-new First Federal of Cumberland full-service office to serve you. Come in and get acquainted. Meet our friendly staff and find out about the wide range of family thrift and home loan services we can provide for you. Bring your family and friends and participate in the fun and festivities during our Grand Opening Celebration. We look forward to greeting you!



Meet the challenge of First Federal's Money House Guessing Game...

"How much money is in the Money House?"

Register your guess free!

Grand Prize	\$100 Savings Bond
First Prize	\$ 50 Savings Bond
Second Prize	\$ 25 Savings Bond

Drawing will be held on January 31, 1978 at the close of business. Every person, 18 years of age or older, is eligible to win, except our employees and their immediate families. Winner need not be present. No deposit, no transaction necessary.

Free Gifts for First Federal of Cumberland Savers!

Save with us and take home the gift of your choice!

Your choice with \$100 deposit:



Set of 4 Currier and Ives Place Mats

Your choice with \$500 deposit:



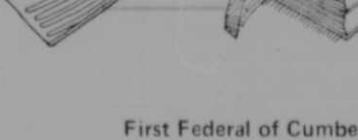
Electric Warming Tray (8" x 7")

Your choice with \$1,000 deposit:



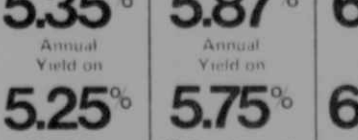
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Your choice with \$5,000 deposit:



Snowaway Foldup Shovel Brush

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Companion Traveler 17" Suitcase

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BUILDING LOTS — One-acre building sites, newly surveyed. Just choose from a wide selection of floor plans and your new home is on its way... from \$2,000.00

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Spacious Two-Story Brick Home on Maple Street. Features 4 1/2 bedrooms, 3 baths, kitchen, separate dining and living rooms, entrance foyer, study, full basement with laundry area and fruit cellar. Separate two-car brick garage. Landscaping and shrubbery represent years of loving care. A great buy at \$42,500.00

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Feature family memberships from \$10.00 per year including use of Olympic swimming pool, tennis courts, clubhouse, snowmobile and mini-bike trails, fishing. Security entrance gate provided for privacy.

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Commercial lot on Deer Run Road — Only a few commercial lots have been surveyed. Here is your opportunity in this vacation resort... \$6,500.00

Nice Building Lot centrally located to all facilities... \$4,875.00

Level Lot near the pool... \$4,500.00

Salt Box Style Vacation Home located near swimming pool. Fireplace, electric heat. Good insulation... \$29,900.

Bittering

Farm — 276 acres adjacent to Pleasant Valley Recreational Center and Savage River State Forest. Coal is included for 247 acres. Very good possibilities for development.

Pleasant Valley

Farmette — 3 bedroom, 2 bath double wide home situated on an acre of land. Home is just 5 years old with family room, living room, dining area, and kitchen. Includes oven-range, refrigerator, and dishwasher, also washer and dryer. Franklin fireplace makes a cozy living room and cut the fuel bill by 1/3. A 12x36 barn is at the edge of property with garden area and 23 fruit trees already planted. Gives you room to breathe... Reduced for Quick Sale \$29,900.

SKY VALLEY

1/2 Acre Building Lot in section close to lake. Property includes club membership, with marina, beach, ski trail & use of lake front... \$6,500.00

West Virginia

Kingwood — Building lots located off Route 26 near Irons. Only four remain. Priced from \$3,295.

Monongalia County — 67+ acres wooded near Wadestown, W. Va. Good for timber and/or recreation especially good site for hunting retreat. Call for details.

Marion County — 112.86 acres near Grant Town. Young timber on half the acreage. Jeep or 4-wheel drive access. Mostly fenced. Good for hunting or vacation camp. Call for details.

Snow Shoe Ski Area — 317 acre farm within one mile of Snow Shoe Ski Area in Pocahontas Co., WV. Frontage on Rt. 219. Improved with farm house, two barns, cement block building, other outbuildings, apple orchard and sugar maple orchard, pond and stream running across width of property. Ideal for motel or ski chair development... \$123,000.

Hats Off To GCC . . .

We often speak of Garrett County's many fine attributes. One of the more admirable things which may be a little overdue to receive a shot of recognition is Garrett Community College.

GCC has truly opened a previously locked door for many area students. The thought of going to college for many Garrett County students was once nothing more than a dream. The ability was there, but the finances were not.

No one needs to tell us that the average income in Garrett County is low compared to many other areas. One of the biggest bills associated in going away to college is room and board. Most Garrett County GCC students are able to live at home and avoid most of that expense. Tuition and fees at GCC are quite reasonable for the in-county student compared to the rates at other colleges.

GCC is also blessed with an outstanding slate of professors and instructors. Once again, the attractions of our county have lured many PhD's from top universities to GCC.

For the athletic enthusiast, GCC has sported some of the finest basketball and baseball teams in the country in its short history. Just last night the Lakers battled a team which is number one in the state and ranked nationally. The Lakers lost in a real thriller by just two points.

GCC also has much to offer for adults. Anyone may register for classes which range from the three R's to photography, weaving, welding and ceramics, to mention a few. The cost of enrolling is nominal.

So, hats off and three cheers to the directors, deans, instructors and students of Garrett Community College. We do appreciate you.

Special Board Meeting Scheduled

A special school board meeting has been scheduled by the Garrett County Board of Education for Monday, March 13, 1978, at 7:30 p.m. This will provide the interested public with an opportunity to express concerns they may have about Garrett County schools at a time other than the regular Board of Education business session. Individuals and groups are requested to place this date on their calendars now.

Dr. William H. Buser also announced today the State Superintendent of Schools, David Hornbeck, will be spending the day in Garrett County on Wednesday, April 5, 1978. A meeting is planned for that evening to give Superintendent Hornbeck an opportunity to speak to the public about the goals and objectives of the Maryland State Department of Education.

In addition to these meetings, Dr. Buser indicated he would be announcing in the next month a series of trial evening meetings when members of the public who cannot schedule meetings with the superintendent during the day will be able to schedule 15-30 minute meetings with him. Also, a letter is being sent by Dr. Buser to all local PTA presidents and school principals encouraging them to make their local patrons aware of the fact that grandparents, interested public, and parents of pre-school children may also become members of the local PTAs.

These activities are a part of the Board of Education's total effort to provide opportunities for the public to have a way

Weather

Flash flood warning this morning. High wind warning today. Winter storm warning this afternoon. Rain changing to snow by afternoon continuing tonight. Very windy with considerable blowing and drifting snow creating near blizzard conditions. Wind gusts to 50 miles per hour and snow accumulations 4 to 8 inches. Falling temperatures today with lows tonight zero to 10 above. Windy and cold with snow flurries Friday. Highs in the teens. Chance of snow near 100 percent through tonight and 50 percent Friday. Westerly winds through tonight.

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Guard Officials Discuss Snow Emergency Needs

Officials from the Maryland Army National Guard from Baltimore were in Garrett County Monday morning to assess the snow clearing situation and discuss possible future area snow fighting needs with local officials.

Arriving by helicopter were Major General Edwin Warfield III, Gen. Ben Dean and Col. C. William White, all from the Baltimore area. Local National Guard officers assigned here met the officials at the Army, including Sgt. Donald M. Weeks, Oakland, and Maj. Ronald Sommer, Baltimore, who has been assigned to the district as commander. Lt. Col. Pete Harrison from Cumberland has also been in Garrett County to assist in directing snow removal operations.

Oakland's mayor H. D. Swartzentruber and street superintendent James Werdebaugh and county Civil Defense director George Comp discussed the help the Guard was giving in snow clearing, particularly in Oakland and Loch Lynn. The conversation then turned to future anticipated snow removal problems, and the local unit was authorized to take necessary emergency measures.

These included the transfer of another front end loader here from Howard county, and the authorization to call out as many men as needed to get streets and roadways clear.

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Robert Glatfelly Named To County Agriculture Board

Robert O. Glatfelly, Bittinger, has been unanimously appointed by the Board of Commissioners for Garrett County as a member of the Garrett County Agricultural Preservation Advisory Board.

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Earl C. Mosser Is Honored By General Assembly

Earl C. Mosser, Route 2, Oakland, was recently recognized by the Maryland General Assembly in Annapolis by House Resolution No. 7 sponsored by Delegate De-Corsey E. Bolden (R-Garrett and Allegany).

The resolution honored Mr. Mosser for his "outstanding services to the citizens of Garrett County and to the Board of Supervisors of Elections for Garrett County for fifty-six years serving as a Judge of Election, demonstrating high integrity and ability, meriting great trust and respect."

The congratulatory message was requested by the Board of Supervisors of Elections of Garrett County, George Browning, president, William Bever and Roscoe Swiger.

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Bolden Bill To Give Tax Break For Fuel Costs

Delegate De-Corsey E. Bolden (R-Garrett and Allegany) has recently introduced House Bill No. 856 for the purpose of creating a program of income tax credits for amounts paid as fuel adjustment charges.

"If this bill becomes law," Delegate Bolden said, "the taxpayer will be able to claim income tax credit equal to the fuel adjustment charges that have been paid to the gas and electric companies."

Delegate Bolden feels this measure will help alleviate the overburdened taxpayer from spiraling utility costs.

The bill, entitled "Income Tax Credits — Fuel Adjustment Charges," is pending hearing in the House Ways and Means Committee.

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Heart Association Kick-Off Dinner Set For Feb. 1

The sixth annual Educational Kick-Off Dinner will be held Wednesday, February 1, it was announced by Shirley Hinebaugh and Charley B. Miller, co-chairmen of the American Heart Association-Western Maryland Chapter.

The dinner is open to all interested persons at a cost of \$5.00 per person. It will be held at the Hill Top Inn (Route 40), Grantsville, at 6:30 p.m.

Two topics of importance will be covered. David M. Evans, Project Coordinator-Master CPR Training Program or the Public is a new program of the American Heart Association-Western Maryland Chapter, will discuss "Motivation to learn to C.P.R." Harold J. Cordis, Educational Director, President of American Heart Association-Western Maryland Chapter, and Head of the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Frostburg State College will discuss "Physical Fitness and Heart Disease."

Dr. Cordis, a resident of Frostburg, received a Bachelor of Science Degree from South Dakota State University, and an Educational Director Degree from Syracuse University. He has served as President, Vice President and Chairman of various committees for the Maryland Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation, and is a past chairman of the Allegany County Physical Fitness Commission; Chairman of Frostburg Recreation and Parks Commission, member of Allegany County Public Schools, Health Council, American Alliance and International Council HPER.

Dr. Cordis developed physical education, major student, faculty and sports team exchange programs in Europe and initiated travel study in physical education in England, Germany and Belgium.

He has been active with the Heart Association for many years as chairman of the Overlook North, 4900 Bel Air Road, Baltimore, for a dinner of Prime Rib or All Backin Imperial Crab on September 25, 1978. There will be an open bar throughout the evening.

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Wife Of Davis Mayor Kidnaped, Found Dead

DAVIS, W.Va. (UPI) — The wife of Davis Mayor Martin "Red" Cooper was found dead of a gunshot wound early today in a swampy area 14 miles south of this Tucker County community.

Mrs. Ida Mae Cooper, 63, was abducted from her home around 3 p.m. Wednesday by a kidnapper who demanded a \$750,000 ransom and the release of a prisoner held in the Tucker County Jail, who is charged with the slaying of a West Virginia State Trooper.

State Police — in Elkins Wednesday night arrested David B. Mills, 19, of Route 1, Davis. He was spotted at the Canaan Valley ski area and tried to flee in the Cooper automobile, but wrecked the car in a snowbank.

Mills was admitted to Tucker County Hospital with cuts on his lip. He has been charged with kidnapping and murder.

Police said they found several guns in the Cooper automobile. Mills made his demands known in a telephone call to Eldora Nuzum, editor of the Elkins Inter-Mountain newspaper. He said, "We have Red Cooper's wife, Ida Cooper, at gunpoint."

"First we want the release of Fred Hamilton out of the Tucker County jail. Second, we want \$750,000 in small, unmarked bills — \$250,000 in 10s; \$250,000 in 20s, and \$250,000 in 50s."

"Within four hours from now have a four-wheel drive vehicle parked outside the Tucker County jail with a police radio in it, and the money in it. After that we want Fred Hamilton released."

Hamilton, 19, is charged in the Oct. 14 slaying of trooper Bruce Brown.

Brown was shot to death at the Tucker County Jail, where he was attempting to book Hamilton on charges of abducting a car salesman in Cumberland, Md., and forcing him to ride into Tucker County.

Mrs. Cooper was permitted to speak with Mrs. Nuzum and to confirm the kidnapping. Mills made a second call to the newspaper and a third call collect — to the West Virginia State Police at Elkins. The police traced the call to a telephone booth at the Canaan Valley ski area and moved in to make the arrest.

State Police Trooper Don Caldwell said, "We feel strongly that he left the house with the Lincoln Continental after the first call, went to the swamp and killed Mrs. Cooper."

Police said further investigation after Mills' arrest led to the discovery of Mrs. Cooper's body.

Muzzles Loaders' Season Sought By Delegates

Delegate De-Corsey E. Bolden (Garrett and Allegany) and Delegates William Byrnes, Casper Taylor, Jr., and Thomas Cumskey (Allegany) have introduced House Bill No. 857 to the Maryland General Assembly in Annapolis. This bill requires the Department of Natural Resources to establish a special deer hunting season for muzzle loading weapons throughout the State of Maryland.

Petitions with approximately five hundred signatures have been received in Annapolis in support of such legislation. The delegations feel that due to the increased interest in this hobby and skill of hunting with this type of weapon that such hunters should be allowed a special season either before or following the regular deer hunting season.

Unlike the present bill, a similar House Resolution was passed two years ago that requested the Department of Natural Resources to establish the special muzzle loading season which to date they have not done. If House Bill No. 857 becomes law the DNR will be required to provide this special season.

Obituaries

MRS. EDGAR H. WOLF

Mrs. Evelyn Mildred Wolf, 95, of 1009 Broad Ford Road, Oakland, died Monday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital. A native of Washington, D. C., she was a daughter of the late Charles O. and Mary E. (Pattison) Robey and was the widow of Edgar H. Wolf. Mrs. Wolf was a member of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church.

Surviving are seven sons, James A. Wolf, Millsboro, Del.; John A. Wolf, Earl C. Wolf, Richard D. Wolf and Arthur W. Wolf, all of Oakland; Harry E. Wolf and Irving R. Wolf, both of Mt. Lake Park; a daughter, Mrs. Nettie Judy, Silver Spring; a half brother, Rev. James Leach, Tulsa, Okla.; a half sister, Mrs. Marie Worthen, Gaithersburg; 24 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren and seven great-great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the John O. Durst Funeral Home today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Services will be conducted tomorrow at the funeral home at 11 a.m. by the Rev. John A. Grant. Interment will be in Oakland Cemetery.

ERNEST W. NAZELROD

Ernest W. Nazelrod, 39, died at his residence Friday evening in Friendsville.

Born in Oakland, he was a son of William M. Nazelrod, Oakland and the late Mrs. Hazel B. (Harsh) Nazelrod.

Besides his father, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Louella (Friend) Nazelrod, three sons, Ernest C. Nazelrod, Randy W. Nazelrod and Robert Nazelrod, all at home; two daughters, Miss Sheila Nazelrod and Miss Joy Nazelrod, both at home; two stepsons, Edward Frazee and Gary Frazee, both at home; five brothers, Ervin Nazelrod and Ellis Nazelrod, both of Oakland; Edward Nazelrod, Fort Eustis, Va.; Eaton Nazelrod, Swanton; three sisters, Mrs. Eleanor Jones, Fort Eustis; Mrs. Esther Cross, Gaithersburg and Mrs. Elizabeth Cady, McHenry.

Services were conducted in the Newman Funeral Home, Friendsville on Monday with the Rev. Gail Hixon officiating. Interment was in the Mayles Cemetery, Pleasant Valley.

CARL C. SHATZER

Carl C. Shatzer, 81, of Cumberland, died Monday in Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient three weeks.

Born in Cumberland, he was a son of the late Conrad and Rebecca (Sidney) (Daniels) Shatzer.

He was the retired owner and operator of Shatzer's Grocery and Meat Market on Maryland Avenue. He was a member of Kingsley United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Anna Elizabeth (Woulard) Shatzer; one stepson, William Smith, Baltimore; one brother, Edgar Shatzer, Cumberland; three sisters, Mrs. Mae Wilson, Oakland; Mrs. Nellie Chambers, Cumberland, and Mrs. Lillia Zembower, Adelphi.

Services are being conducted this afternoon at the Silcox-Merritt Funeral Residence by Rev. John W. Kuschel, pastor of Kingsley Church. Entombment will be in Rose Hill Mausoleum.

NETTIE MAE STONEBRAKER

Nettie Mae Stonebraker, 76, of Route 1, Kingwood, died Wednesday, January 18, in the Preston Memorial Hospital.

She was born April 10, 1901 in Crellin, a daughter of the late John and Lillie Mae Glover McCabe.

Surviving are four sons, Charles E., Masontown; Willie G., Albright; Paul, Salisbury, and Donnie, Cleveland, Ohio; five daughters, Mrs. Ruby Sanders, Hooversville, Pa.; Mrs. Louise Plum, Kingwood; Mrs. Betty Tasker and Mrs. Jean Peterman, both of Oakland, and Mrs. Mary Jane Wolfe, Kingwood; one brother, Robert McCabe, Morgantown; three sisters, Mrs. Virginia Newcome and Mrs. Marie Bowermaster, both Morgantown; and Mrs. Leona Harvey, Fontana, Calif.; 43 grandchildren and 41 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Stonebraker, one son, one daughter, four brothers and two sisters.

Services were held Saturday at the Browning Funeral Home, Kingwood, with the Rev. Elmer Elliott and the Rev. Ralph Jacks officiating. Burial was in the Maplewood Cemetery.

MRS. WILLIAM S. FEATHER

Mrs. Nellie H. Feather, 447 Seymour Street, Cumberland, died Thursday, January 19, in Memorial Hospital where she had been a patient two weeks.

Born in Oakland, she was a daughter of the late William and Charlotte (Shuttleworth) Buncutter.

Her husband, William S. Feather, preceded her in death.

She was a retired seamstress and had last worked at Levin's Tailor Shop.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Geraldine A. Lewis, with whom she resided; one son, Darrell A. Feather, Essex; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Knight Funeral Home.

Services were conducted Monday at 1 p.m. in the Knight Funeral Home by the Rev. Ron A. Stullenbarger. Interment was in the Union Cemetery, Gortner.

WILLIAM H. MICHAEL

William H. Michael, 61, of 4 Railroad Street, Lonaconing, died Thursday, January 19, in Baker VA Center, Martinsburg, W. Va.

Born at Beryl, W. Va., he was a son of the late Milton A. and Bessie (Fazenbaker) Michael.

Mr. Michael was a veteran of World War II and a member of Victory Post 155, American Legion; Black Hawk Tribe 131, Improved Order of Redmen; and Lonaconing Republican Club.

Surviving are his widow, Evelyn (Duckworth) Michael; two sons, David A. Michael, Avon, Ohio; Michael W. Michael, North Ridgeville, Ohio; five daughters, Mrs. Doris A. Layton, Columbia Station, Ohio; Mrs. Rebecca E. Wilburn, Barreille; Mrs. Ann L. Durst, Mrs. Ellen J. Jones, both of Gilmore; Mrs. Sheila J. Dawson, Westernport; three sisters, Mrs. Katherine Upperman, Bloomington; Mrs. Ruth Miller, Westernport; Mrs. Ruby Detrick, Essex; 25 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Boal Funeral Home, Westernport. Services were conducted Sunday at 2 p.m. from the funeral home by Rev. Samuel Biser. Interment was in Philos Cemetery.

MRS. LLOYD BITTINGER

Mrs. Nora Lucille (Celia) Bittinger, 78, of RD 2, Grantsville, died Friday at Meyersdale Community Hospital.

Born March 10, 1899, she was a daughter of the late Jeffe and Rachel (Platter) Wilt. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lloyd Bittinger.

She was a member of the Maranatha Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include three sons, Wilber, Lloyd, Jr. and Marshall Bittinger, all of Grantsville; four daughters, Mrs. Beulah Ross and Mrs. Pauline Handwerk, also of Grantsville; Mrs. Irene Shaffer, Baltimore, and Mrs. Alice Kaiser, North Ridgeville, Ohio; three brothers, Dewey Wilt, Sand Patch, Pa.; James Wilt, Swanton, and Harry Wilt, Grantsville; two sisters, Mrs. Thelma Bittinger, Salisbury, and Mrs. Hilda Shaffer, Meyersdale; 14 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted in the Newman Funeral Home on Monday and interment was in the Bittinger Cemetery.

MRS. ELLEN FORSYTHE

Mrs. Ellen E. Forsythe, 78, of Davis, died Friday, January 13, at the Deakins' Nursing Home in Aurora.

She was born September 28, 1899, at Davis, a daughter of the late Fred and Thekla (Anderson) Bergstrom. Her husband, Robert Clair Forsythe, preceded her in death.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Edith Walters, Keyser; and Mrs. Ruth Good, Davis; two brothers, Harry Bergstrom, Buckhannon; and Albert Bergstrom, Deer Park; four sisters, Mrs. Edith Collins, Centerville, Ohio; Mrs. Eloise Baehel, Mrs. Elsie Bible, and Mrs. Eleanor Jenkins, all of Davis; six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Forsythe was a member of the Walter Chapter 43, Order of Eastern Star of Davis, and St. John's Lutheran Church of Davis.

Funeral services were conducted from Hinkle Funeral Home in Davis January 15 with Reverends Bruce Burkness and Donald Moore officiating. Interment was in Davis Cemetery.

MISS MARY E. BOND

Miss Mary E. Bond, 63, of Star Route, Friendsville, died Sunday in the Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home.

Born in Hooversville, Pa., she was a daughter of the late George E. Bond and Carrie R. (Veatch) Bond. Miss Bond was a member of the Hayes United Methodist Church.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Alice Hauser, Friendsville; Mrs. Virginia Rainey, McHenry; two brothers, Richard Bond, of Oakland, and Rodger Bond, McHenry.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home on Monday. Services were conducted Tuesday by the Rev. Ellis Harvey with interment following at the Hayes Cemetery.

HENRY FRANK RYAN

Henry Frank Ryan, 85, of Bruceton, W. Va., died at his home Sunday, January 15.

He was born March 8, 1902 in Pisgah, a son of the late Sanford E. and Ida Mae (Thomas) Ryan.

He was a farmer and a retired employee of the Monongahela Power Co. He was a member of the United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Effie (Everly) Ryan; seven daughters, Mrs. Leonard (Ester) Mann, Jessup; Mrs. Clarence (Geraldine) Friend, Friendsville; Mrs. Coralee Nineman, Akron, Ohio; Mrs. Paul (Valgene) Muha, Medina, Ohio; Mrs. Hugh (Emily) Nineman, Morgantown; Mrs. Cecil (Bernadine) Michael, Bruceton; Mrs. James (Donna) Britton, Bruceton; two sons, James S. Ryan of Bruceton, and S. Paul Ryan, Kingwood; two brothers, Playford Ryan, Oakland, and Willard Ryan, Silver Spring; four sisters, Dacie Wheeler, Akron; Ocie Rush, Friendsville; Minnie Thomas, Brandonville; and Elizabeth Blake, Oakland.

He was preceded in death by two sons, two daughters, four grandchildren, two brothers and two sisters.

Services were held on Wednesday at the Pisgah United Methodist Church with the Rev. Stanley Merrifield officiating. Burial was in the Fairview Cemetery at Pisgah. Carl R. Spear Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

WALTER REED

Walter Reed, 77, of Oakland, died Monday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born on Meadow Mountain, he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Reed.

Mr. Reed was a retired Garrett County Roads Department employee and a World War II Army veteran, a member of the Proctor-Kildow Post 71, American Legion, and Mountain Lake Independent Baptist Church.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Mary Ann Niner, Oakland; one step-daughter, Martha Reed, Terra Alta; one stepson, Perry Lewis, Timbersville, Va.; and two grandchildren.

Services were being conducted this afternoon at the Stewart Funeral Home at 2 p.m. by Rev. John Schrimshire. Interment will be in Garrett County Memorial Gardens.

MISS MARGARET HART

Miss Margaret Hart, St. Petersburg, Fla., died January 6 of pneumonia.

A daughter of the late John and Anna Hart, of Oakland, she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Sidney J. Agnelly, Alexandria, Va.; Miss Helen Hart and Sister M. Marcelia, both of Baltimore.

Services were held in St. Petersburg and burial was in Veterans' Cemetery, Pensacola, Fla.

J. RAMSEY SMITH

J. Ramsey Smith, 88, of RD 4, Deer Park, died Friday in the Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home, Oakland.

Born July 11, 1899, at Swanton, Mr. Smith was a son of the late John T. and Lucy (Bucklew) Smith.

Mr. Smith was a retired carpenter and a member of Deer Park United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his widow, Nora E. (Gloftely) Smith; three sons, Stanley Smith, Mentor, Ohio; Leo Smith, of Deer Park, and John Smith, Rawlins; two sisters, Mrs. Edith Mills, Akron, Ohio and Mrs. Elizabeth Hardesty, Bowling Green; eight grand children and two great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by the Rev. C. Franklin Mick on Monday with interment following at the Deer Park Cemetery.

JAY L. BELL

Jay Lewis Bell, 57, Deer Park, died Friday, January 20 in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born in Loch Lynn, he was a son of the late Charles F. and Alma (Crane) Bell.

Mr. Bell was an accountant and office manager for the H-P Stores. He was a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church, first president and charter member of the local chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America, (S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A.), member of the Mountaineers Quartet, and was a long-time member of Oakland-Mt. Lake Park Lions Club.

He was also active in Garrett Lodge 113, Knights of Pythias, the Deep Creek Yacht Club and was a charter member and first president of Vacationland CB club.

Surviving are his widow, Anne (Gordon) Bell, two sons, Jay G. Bell, Cheverly; David C. Bell, Deer Park; a daughter, Mrs. Lois Treessler, Mt. Lake Park; a half brother, Harold Bell, Pittsburgh; four half sisters, Mrs. Beatrice Munson, Hagerstown; Mrs. Vivian Courtney, College Park; Mrs. Margaret Watkins, Grafton, W. Va.; and Mrs. Bertha Herndon, Orlando, Fla.; and two grandchildren.

The body was taken to the John O. Durst Funeral Home in Oakland. Services were conducted there Sunday by the Rev. George D. Porter. Interment followed at the Deer Park Cemetery. Honorary pall bearers were Wayne Hamilton, Harold Benson, Harold Holtsapple, Gordon Douglass, Aza Stanton and Courtney Tusing. The bearers were the original members of a local singing group of which Mr. Bell was also a member.

ADAM RHODES

Adam Rhodes, 83, of Swanton, died Monday, January 23, at the Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home.

A native of Swanton, he was a son of the late Jack and Emma (Bray) Rhodes.

Mr. Rhodes was a retired coal miner.

His only survivors are a niece and nephew.

The body was taken to the David A. Burdock Funeral Home, Kitzmiller. Services were conducted there Wednesday at 1 p.m. by Rev. George Tichnell. Interment was Mt. Zion Cemetery.

CLARENCE HUMBERTSON

Clarence Humbertson, 75, of 53 James Street, Homewood Terrace, Uniontown, Pa., died suddenly January 20 at 4:30 p.m. in the Uniontown Hospital.

He was a retired employee of Pechin's Market and attended the Assembly of God Church.

He was predeceased by his parents, Frisbee and Minnie (Umbel) Humbertson, of Friendsville.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Emma (Inks) Humbertson; a daughter, Betty Fox, Route 51, Uniontown; three sons, Clarence Humbertson, Jr., Johnson Avenue, Uniontown; Robert Humbertson, Mt. Pleasant, and Ray Humbertson, Adah, Pa.; nineteen grandchildren; two brothers, Grant and Russell Humbertson, both Confluence; three sisters, Cora Humbertson, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Erma Grimm, Weirton, W. Va.; and Wilma Burnsworth, Confluence.

The body was taken to the Jerome W. Shell Funeral Home, Uniontown. Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, January 23 by Dr. Earl P. Confer. Interment was in Sylvan Heights Cemetery.

RUHL WILKINS, JR.

Ruhl (Wilkie) Wilkins, Jr., 49, of Route 1, LaVale, died Monday, January 23, in Sacred Heart Hospital.

Born in LaVale, he was a son of the late Ruhl and Elizabeth (Valentine) Wilkins.

Mr. Wilkins served in the Marine Corps during World War II and the Korean War. He was employed by Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company and was a member of the C&P Pioneers and Henry Hart Post 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was a 1946 graduate of Allegany High School.

Surviving are his widow, Alice (Friend) Wilkins; a son, Gary L. Wilkins, Orange, Va.; a daughter, Miss Barbara Jean Wilkins, Annapolis; two stepsons, Richard E. Friend, where the Army at Aberdeen, and Berlin W. Friend, Oakland; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Judith K. Teets, Anasco, Puerto Rico; a brother, Dale Wilkins, Reisterstown; two sisters, Mrs. Joann Pontowski, Baltimore; Mrs. Shirley Elkins, Glen Burnie, and four step-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Scarpelli Funeral Home, Cumberland.

Services are being conducted today at 1 p.m., at the funeral home by the Rev. Regis Larkin. Interment was in Sunset Memorial Park where military honors were accorded.

Pallbearers were Kenneth Ellsworth, James Bohh, Dewey Kempler, George Sneathen, Kenneth Cooper and Glenn Stewart.

CARL FIKE

Carl Fike, 71, Hazelton, W. Va., died Friday, January 20, at his residence.

Born July 13, 1906, in Preston County, he was a son of the late Bruce and Nettie Herring Fike.

He was a member of the Church of the Brethren of Hazelton.

Surviving are his wife, Emma Reckart Fike; one daughter, Mrs. Albert (Juanita) Ringer, Oakland; four brothers, Scott Fike, Anderson, Ind.; Elzy, Frank and Blaine Fike, all of Bruceton Mills; six sisters, Grace Friend, Mildred Feather, Jessie Friend, Hazel Evans, all of Bruceton Mills; Dora Feather, Baltimore and Deloris Friend, Friendsville.

He was preceded in death by one brother and one sister.

Services were held at the Carl R. Spear Funeral Home in Brandonville at 1 p.m. Sunday, with the Rev. Wilbur Fischer officiating. Burial was in Shady Grove Cemetery.

FLOYD I. TEETS

Floyd Irvin Teets, 68, formerly of Cumberland, died yesterday in Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home, Oakland.

Born in Friendsville, he was a son of the late Ira E. Teets and Tishia M. (Fearer) Teets.

Mr. Teets was a former employee of the Cumberland Glass Company and Cumberland Ice Plant.

Surviving are a brother, Chancy R. Teets, Cumberland; four sisters, Mrs. Gertrude (Edith) Bishop, Cumberland; Mrs. Oma Kimble, Cabins, W. Va.; Mrs. Ellen Ross, Carpenter's Addition, Ridgeley; and Mrs. Mae Shipley, Pennsylvania.

The body was taken to the Scarpelli Funeral Home, Cumberland. Services will be conducted there tomorrow at 1 p.m. by the Rev. William G. Patterson. Interment will be in Hillcrest Burial Park.

A California county recently ended a two-year rationing of water.

Influenza has reached epidemic levels in the U. S.

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THE BURDEN OF SNOW grew too heavy for these machine sheds on the Blue Ribbon Road near Gortner Wednesday, and the buildings collapsed within a few hours of each other. The shed pictured above is on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Schrock, who recently sold their property to their son, Ernest. Mrs. Schrock recalls that the building was at least 60 years old, and had been constructed from lumber salvaged

from a barn fire. Friends and neighbors were gathering Wednesday afternoon to salvage items from the building, including the family buggy. The building at the bottom is on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Swartzentruber, not far from Route 219. This building was thought to be at least 60 years old and was most recently used as a storage shed.



Obituaries

TOTTEN A. KIMMELL

Totten A. Kimmell, 98, formerly of Mt. Lake Park, died Sunday in Richmond, Va. Born at Swanton, he was a son of the late Chauncey Kimmell and Harriet (Sinclair) Kimmell. His wife, Lucia M. Kimmell, preceded him in death.

Surviving are a son, Glenn Kimmell, Clarksburg, W. Va., and a daughter, Mrs. William M. Corwin, Richmond.

Friends will be received today at the John O. Durst Funeral Home from 7 to 9 p.m. Services will be conducted tomorrow at the funeral home by Rev. James F. Remley. Interment will be in Oakland Cemetery.

Almanac

By United Press International.

Today is Thursday, January 26, the 26th day of 1978 with 339 to follow.

The moon is between its full phase and last quarter.

The morning stars are Mercury and Saturn.

The evening stars are Venus, Mars and Jupiter.

Those born on this date are under the sign of Aquarius.

American General Douglas MacArthur was born January 26, 1880.

On this day in history: In 1837, Michigan became the 26th state.

In 1861, Louisiana seceded from the Union.

In 1950, India ceased to be a British dominion and became the Republic of India.

In 1971, Russia said it had landed an unmanned spacecraft on Venus and that it was sending data back to earth.

A thought for the day: General of the Army Douglas MacArthur said, "It is fatal to enter any war without the will to win it."

ARMED SERVICES REVIEW

Private James D. Brady, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Brady, Kitzmiller, recently was assigned as a bridge crewman with the 11th Engineer Battalion at Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Pvt. Brady entered the Army in September 1977.

He is a 1977 graduate of Southern High School.

THE ARTS

by jim willis



exhibits sculpture, paintings and drawings. An August showing of his work was held at a New York city, Madison Avenue establishment, the Kolodny Gallery.

The father of three boys and two girls, ages 11-21, he says

they all seem to "gravitate toward the arts."

Mr. Zuckerman is currently exhibiting two figurative drawings in a Baltimore Museum of Art show, entitled, "Thirteen Western Maryland Artists."

Note: Local artists and craftsmen, persons scheduling theatre productions, art exhibitions, craft demonstrations and virtually any "art" functions, are asked to send available information to Jim Willis, c/o The Republican.

A drunken driver was recently sentenced to death by firing squad in Russia.

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Southern Speaks

By Patti Keefe

Second semester began on Tuesday, January 24. Students changed their half-year courses without drastic difficulties.

The Guidance Office reminds students who are applying for financial aid for their college education to submit their FAF forms to the scholarship board by January 31. An instruction book may be checked out on a nightly basis from the Guidance Office for assistance.

Students wishing to apply for the YCC work program this summer should contact the Guidance Office. No residential jobs will be available in Gar-

rett County this year; accepted applicants will be working at Catocin State Park near Frederick, Maryland.

Juniors wishing to work on the co-op program next year should sign up in the Guidance Office by February 1.

A dance will be held on Saturday night, January 28, featuring the music of "Cloud." Admission will be \$1.75 per person and it will run from 8:30 to 11:30.

Members of the Ski Club will travel to Snowshoe on Sunday, January 29.

Sgt. McKenzie was at Southern on Tuesday, January 24, to interpret ASVAB scores for those students who took that test.

The Wrestling team will travel to Keyser on January 26-28 to participate in the PVC tournaments. On Monday, January 30, they will challenge Alleghany in an away match.

The Basketball team traveled to Fort Hill on January 24 and will visit Valley on Friday night, January 27. The next home game of the Rams will be against Alleghany on Tuesday, January 31.

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

It did my heart so much good to read your editorial "People Do Care."

In this world of trouble and men fighting against one another, it makes a person keep his faith in mankind.

It makes me believe there is still in men's hearts the love Jesus talks about, like Love thy neighbor as thyself or Do unto others as you would have them do unto you. It made me

day just to know people still care.

Sometimes a tragedy like this often brings people closer together.

Thanks, Oakland, for responding. We're proud of you. May we all learn to do the same. God bless you all.

A Mt. Storm resident,
Mrs. Carolyn Moreland

Dear Editor:

I just finished reading the front page story in the January 19 issue concerning the new record set by area blood donors. This letter voices my personal 'thank you' to all who assisted and played a role in reaching this new record amount. It was through efforts much the same as yours that compelled persons to donate at other Red Cross bloodmobile locations, unknown to me. Such simple efforts of time and energy mean more to me than to the average person because, quite simply, my life was saved. When the cry for help is sounded and blood is needed the situation is crucial, often times the difference between life and death. Thus was my case and fortunately my story has a happy ending!

Once again 'thank you' and God bless each of you for caring enough to offer yourselves to those unknown persons in desperate need.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Liller Thomas,
Annapolis

This is an Open Letter to . . . Someone?

This is just to thank the tall, dark-haired lady in a green car, whose name my daughter couldn't remember.

It's nice to know that there is someone who will stop to help a child in tears from distress, when the parents are late coming home and there are no neighbors at home to lend assistance.

"Thank you" to the lady who was passing our home on Monday evening. You saved our child from a possibly more traumatic experience than she may have been able to handle.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. John Kiser
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Dear Editor:

Last Friday while traveling Savage River Road, I passed men and women clearing brush, vines and trash from along the river near the parking lot. It was a Community Action Project in operation, federal money.

This clean-up will give years of benefit to that recreation area, while at the same time providing income with employment training.

Now at home, and with remembrance of my past complaints of high taxes, it is wondered, here are people learning and WHAT CAN I LEARN FROM THIS?

Must I always SEE to believe that my money doesn't always go to birds and bees and overseas? Sometimes that money does go to people, sometimes it does go to worthwhile objectives.

My conscience hurts. This big and overrunning mouth of mine now makes me feel small. The consolation is that I feel a bit taller when my hat is off to the creators of that clean-up project.

(a former) BIG MOUTH

January 18, 1978
TO OUR CIVIC AND COMMUNITY LEADERS:

The prolonged strike by United Mine Workers has reduced the fuel supply of Potomac Edison and Allegheny Power System to less than a 45-day normal supply. There is no indication that negotiations, at present, are moving toward a solution in the near future. Since nearly all of our electric energy is generated by coal-fired units, prolongation of the strike will further jeopardize the continued supply of power to our customers.

A number of months ago, Potomac Edison filed the attached "Emergency Energy Control Plan" with state regulatory agencies in Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia. The program outlines a step-by-step procedure we intend to follow as the fuel shortage worsens. Its purpose is to conserve our dwindling fuel supply to help provide continuity of service for needs essential to the support of life and public services.

We have already had to implement Step 1, which is a general public appeal for voluntary curtailment of all non-essential uses. The program includes more drastic measures in case our fuel supplies drop to a level where voluntary reductions in use are no longer sufficient for maintaining minimum service.

Even if the miners and coal operators reach an agreement in the near future, it still

requires about 10 days for the ratification process and, if approved, an additional week for coal to reach the generating stations. So the time element is becoming critical.

If we are to continue even the most essential services to the public, we will need the full cooperation of every segment of the public. I earnestly solicit that cooperation from you. Every reduction in electrical use, every kilowatt-hour saved helps to prolong the time when drastic measures may become necessary.

Sincerely,
John M. McCardell
Executive Vice President
and General Manager
of Potomac Edison

Dear Editor:

... If only students in Garrett County could be taught in addition to the required (and extremely important) reading, writing and arithmetic, the fundamentals of emergency medical training just in case they would find themselves in a situation where they could help if they only knew how. Wouldn't it be nice if we could bring up a whole generation extremely versed and educated in preventative medicine and the disadvantages and pitfalls of smoking, drinking, poor eating habits, reckless driving, etc. Why, we might save this county (and ourselves) 20, 30 or 40 percent of the hospital beds and services no longer needed. Think about educating our kids on how to live. How many high school seniors understand buying insurance, shopping for real estate, purchasing a car, choosing a doctor, how to do their income tax, how to shop competitively, etc. Must they learn the hard way or could we educate them on the basics of survival?

Imagine an entire generation much less bigoted and prejudiced and more accepting and understanding because they were fortunate enough to have lessons in basic religions and no longer needed to hate because of ignorance. Well, these responsibilities of an educational system could only happen in a small community. They could only occur in an environment whose strength and future rests in the hands of its youth. If we don't take the responsibility to establish direction for them, then not only do we lose but they do, too, ... and it would be so easy to give them what we didn't have.

... and, while we're on the subject, wouldn't it be gratifying if the school board were to voluntarily conduct their board meetings at night so interested parents and teachers could attend and provide their constructive comments and viewpoints — something they can't do now because they work during the time meetings are held. I'm sure the school board would welcome people getting involved. I'm confident that it would appreciate a good idea (or two). It is our children's lives that are being formed. We all should get involved. ... If only.

Sincerely yours,
Kenneth A. Richmond

Dear Sir:

Last week's paper contained a request for help identifying some unusual birds. The description offered might be one of several species. I'll be happy to discuss the possibilities with her.

There also seemed to be some doubt that the recent bird count in Garrett County was taken by the National Audubon Society (NAS). Our Christmas Bird Count, as this winter count is called, was one of over 1200 done by more than 30,000 participants throughout the U.S., Canada, Middle America, northern South America and the Caribbean.

All are sponsored by the NAS for the purpose of making an accurate estimate of bird population trends and migration patterns. For this reason, the same 15-mile diameter area is counted year after year, according to the rules for the count established by the NAS. Membership in the NAS isn't required to participate in Christmas Bird Counts; anyone may help by counting and reporting birds within the specified area and paying the required fee.

Participants' fees are used by the NAS for compiling, editing, publishing and mailing the Christmas Bird Count issue of *American Birds* to subscribers. This issue is the largest of the 6 yearly issues of this journal devoting itself "to the birds of the Americas" and requires over 500 pages to report in detail data from all the Christmas Bird Counts. (The NAS has a better known publication, *Audubon* magazine, which is famous for its nature photography and conservation articles.)

The Christmas Bird Count does not reflect bird numbers for our entire county, only the count circle. However, a May bird count, sponsored by the Maryland Ornithological Society, will cover the whole county. Watch for notice of the spring count, and possibly a spring bird-watching course, in this paper.

Sincerely,
Fran Pope

Sir:

This letter is to acknowledge our appreciation of the letter written by the many friends, concerning our leaving the Oakland area. Since we, "Golden Arch" (Bill Archer) and "Silver Arrow" (Alice Archer) were shut-ins due to our health, we both derived great pleasure from our CB buddies and the "18-wheelers" who always called a cheery "Hello" to us when going through Oakland. This will be greatly missed and long remembered.

At the time of our move, the help we received from our "buddies" and many other dear friends, and the response of their great love and concern for us, which indeed we had for them also, was most appreciated.

Hopefully, our Garrett County Commissioners will see the need in Garrett County for some laws covering people who

rent in an area where availability of rentals is at a premium. If Montgomery County feels this is a necessity, then Garrett County officials can take on this responsibility also.

May we also add that before we met our CB buddies, the Community Action Committee on Aging (headed at that time by Dale Ellis) was a great source of help to us in our time of need.

In closing, may we say thank you and also "auf wiedersehen" to all our dear friends — and as General McArthur said, "I shall return."

Respectfully yours,
"Golden Arch" and
"Silver Arrow"
Bill and Alice Archer

To The Editor:

It can be argued that driving is the most important skill in contemporary society, insofar as the threat to human life is concerned. Given the present day traffic situation in the United States and the high fatality rate of our young, it seems clear that some kind of preparation for driving in today's traffic is necessary. In any case it is too important to leave by chance or in a haphazard way.

Presently, high school driver education trains over 95% of all Maryland students with little or no cost to the individual. However, if the "sunset" provisions of House Bill 1668 are allowed to take effect through inaction by the General Assembly, in 1980 this worthwhile program will automatically self-destruct. At this time state funding for driver education will be eliminated, forcing school systems to curtail or eliminate on-the-road training. For most Maryland families, this would mean having to pay a driving school \$100 or more for behind-the-wheel training before becoming eligible for a license.

High school driver education programs have the potential for reducing young driver accidents by 10-15 percent. It is the most effective and far reaching training program available.

I strongly urge your readers to support a statewide petition drive to convince the General Assembly to vote for repeal of the provisions of House Bill 1668. These petitions may be found at Gregg's Pharmacy, Sears Catalog Store, and Englander's Pharmacy.

The fight for a life that shall be the measure of a purpose instead of the marred result of purposeless chance, is within the right of us all — it should be particularly within the right of every pupil in the public schools.

Michael Huddleston
Chairman, Traffic
Safety Department
Southern High School

Reunion Planned

Continued from Page One
from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. Price per person will be \$12.00 or \$25.20 per couple.

All persons on the Alumni mailing list will receive a letter in August, concerning the reunion. Persons desiring

additional information should contact Mrs. Geraldine Chaney Cassell, 507 Darlene Avenue, Linthicum Heights, Md. 21090 or call 789-4064.

Maryland May See Power Blackouts

WESTMINSTER, Md. (UPI) — Homeowners and businesses in Western Maryland may face rotating power blackouts because of coal shortages resulting from the United Mine Workers strike, according to officials of the Potomac Edison Co.

The company said Wednesday it has filed a five-step emergency plan to try to counter dwindling coal supplies. About 95 percent of the electricity supplied by the company is generated at coal-powered plants.

Lynn Keller, spokesman for the company, said the company has less than a 40-day supply of coal to keep its electric generators operating.

The utility supplies power to more than 120,000 customers in Allegany, Garrett, Washington, Frederick counties and parts of Carroll, Howard and Montgomery counties.

Keller said the electric company began purchasing small amounts of electricity from nearby power companies and has already put the first step of its emergency plan into effect. He said the move was triggered by the break-up of UMW talks in Washington.

The first step of the plan calls for voluntary cutbacks of electrical use by the company's customers. The second step would demand mandatory cutbacks in outdoor lighting, advertising signs and the closing of some public buildings.

Keller said mandatory cutbacks would take effect in early February.

"I don't see anyway to avoid it," Keller said of the plan. "Even if we assume the talks will resume immediately and there is a settlement ... it will take at least 10 days for union members to vote on ratifying the contract and another five or six days before we start getting coal in any large amounts."

Keller said the plan would continue as follows:

—The third step, which comes after the utility has a 25-day supply of coal, calls for a 30 percent reduction of power to businesses and industry.

—The fourth step reduces power supplies to companies to "a bare minimum necessary for plant and employment security."

—The fifth step sets up a series of rotating power shut-offs.

House Committee Favors Passage Of Laetrile Bill

ANNAPOLIS (UPI) — The House Environmental Matters Committee yesterday recommended passage of a bill to legalize the use of Laetrile, which some terminal cancer patients say is the only thing that makes their lives bearable.

The bill, sponsored by Delegate John Hargreaves, D-Caroline, would permit physicians to prescribe Laetrile, a drug obtained from apricot kernels, with the written, informed consent of patients. During a hearing on the bill, Donald Kennedy, commissioner of the Federal Food and Drug Administration, said Laetrile is unsafe and untested.

However, Carolyn Hedden, 34, of Baltimore, said she has breast cancer and the use of Laetrile is the only thing that allows her to lead a relatively normal life.

"I'm going to continue to take Laetrile no matter what you do," she told the committee.

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Only eight percent of those questioned in 1968 said they wanted to "spend now." That figure doubled by 1977.

Eleven percent said they have less reason to save these days because more financial security is provided by their employers and the government; the comparable figure in 1968 was seven percent.

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Maryland Rocked By Rain and Winds

Rain and high winds raced through Maryland today as hundreds of homeowners bailed buckets of water from flooded basements and many roads throughout the state were under several feet of water.

Snow began falling in Western Maryland today forcing Garrett County to close its schools. The state braced for falling temperatures and continued snow throughout the afternoon.

The National Weather Service kept flash flood warnings in effect in Western Maryland and added high wind warnings throughout the state and gale warnings over the Chesapeake Bay. The wind gusts up to 50 mph were predicted.

A thick blanket of fog settled over Baltimore city and surrounding areas late Wednesday night. But the mist began to clear early today when high winds and heavy rains began to whip through the metropolitan area.

Water caused problems for homeowners and motorists throughout the Baltimore metropolitan area. Howard County schools opened one hour late because of the water accumulations on roads.

Anne Arundel County police searched for nearly 20 minutes before locating a car that was submerged in five feet of water under a train overpass near Elkridge.

In Howard County, police saved two persons who were caught in a car that was being submerged in water near Savage.

One road in Baltimore was closed because five feet of water submerged it. In Baltimore County the Gwynn Falls cresting at seven feet and threatened to flood nearby homes.

Charles Franklin of the Baltimore Gas and Electric Co. said there were scattered power outages throughout the metropolitan area. He said none of the outages was serious.

The Northern Parkway Junior High School in Baltimore was without electricity because of an outage and was closed to students.

In Prince George's County school officials closed several schools because of power outages.

Bowie Race Course canceled its racing today because of a wet track.

At 4 a.m. the sea level pressure at the Baltimore-Washington International Airport was 28.74 inches, the lowest sea level pressure ever recorded in Baltimore during the month of January.

The National Weather Service said the previous low pressure was 28.80 inches Jan. 11, 1932.

The rain began Wednesday morning causing schools in Harford, Carroll, Frederick, Howard and northern Baltimore counties to open late.

Saving For Future Losing Popularity

NEW YORK (UPI) — Saving for the future is not as appealing an idea as it used to be, says the American Council of Life Insurance.

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A familiar scene on county roadways and town streets included shovels, as drivers and good samaritans labored to free vehicles stuck in snowdrifts everywhere.

Hospital Board Bill Passed Wednesday

At the request of Kenneth Richmond, Garrett County Memorial Hospital administrator, and the Board of Directors of Garrett Memorial, Delegate DeCorsey Bolden (R-Garrett & Allegany) pre-filed House Bill no. 174 in the Maryland General Assembly in Annapolis. This bill increases the membership of the Board of Governors of the hospital from eleven to sixteen people and includes the administrator and four other members previously chosen by a nominating committee and unanimously approved by the Board for their expertise in particular disciplines. It was announced last October by Mr. Richmond that the new members would be Joyce Bishoff, secretary for Burnett & Eiswert and housewife from Hoes; Charles

Morris, retired U. S. Steel executive, Oakland; William Shirer, president of Shirer Contracting, Oakland; and Esther Yoder, principal of Yoder's School in Grantsville.

The present board consists of the county commissioners, two Garrett County citizens chosen by the Board of Directors of the Garrett and First National Banks of Oakland, the president of the Garrett County Chapter of the American Red Cross, an elected representative of the Garrett County Medical Association, and one citizen from each of the three county commissioner districts chosen by the Board of County Commissioners. The bill passed second reading in the House of Delegates last Thursday and was then passed yesterday in Annapolis.

Oakland Personals

Francis 'Chance' Gower was transferred from the Garrett County Memorial Hospital to the Veterans' Hospital in Martinsburg, W. Va., Tuesday, January 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rolan, Terra Alta, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. James Sliger, Route 5, Oakland, were in Saltville, Va. to attend the funeral of Charles Rolan. Charles Rolan was a brother of Ted Rolan and Mrs. Sliger. While in Virginia, the Rolans and Sligers stayed with their sisters, Mrs. Bertha Wyatt and Mrs. Flossie Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Liller, Route 3, Deer Park, announce the birth of their third child and daughter, Wednesday, January 24, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clyde A. Liller, Route 1, Oakland. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peterman, Mt. Lake Park.

Mrs. Carolyn Elliott, Route 5, Oakland, remains a patient in Garrett County Memorial Hospital where she is undergoing tests and observation.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Dumire visited Mrs. Eleanor Pollard, Deep Creek Village Road, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Nelson, Route 4, Deer Park, became the parents of a son Thursday, January 19, in Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Helen Taylor, Underwood Road, has returned home after being a patient in a Philippi Hospital.

The Wednesday bridge club met at Cornish Manor yesterday for luncheon and cards.

January Snows Have Already Set Records

Snowfall for January has already set two records, not only for the month itself but for all months. Roads have been mostly kept open due to lack of excessive drifting. Schools were closed last Friday, the day of the ten-inch snow. They were also closed this morning due to the return of blizzard-like conditions. Oakland had its coldest reading so far this winter season on Monday with a minus 20 degrees.

No particular difficulties normal. The low has already been mentioned and it was followed by Tuesday morning low of minus 14 degrees. It was 30 yesterday and 19 this morning. Last Friday, Saturday and Sunday the low was 11 degrees each morning. Before presstime the clouds had broken and sunshine came through.

Comptroller Labels Liquor Stamp Removal Bill Counterproductive

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein today expressed his opposition to a bill (House Bill 116) that would mandate removal of the liquor excise stamps that appear on bottles of distilled spirits sold in Maryland, calling the removal of the stamps counterproductive in light of Washington, D. C.'s intention to lower its distilled spirits tax rate.

The Comptroller noted that the stamps are an important tool in the enforcement of Maryland's revenue laws because they identify bottles of Maryland tax-paid liquor, and he said their removal would trigger "modern day boot-

legging operations the likes of which have not been seen since the days of Prohibition."

Mr. Goldstein stated that the recent massive state police crackdown on stolen property, "Operation Beartrap," did not produce any stolen liquor. "Liquor bottles without tax stamps cannot be 'fenced' on a large scale here in Maryland."

Distilled spirits tax revenue is shared with Maryland's 23 counties and Baltimore City.

Pointing out Maryland's proximity to the District of Columbia as well as four surrounding states, the large number of Federal reservations in Maryland where tax-

free distilled spirits are available, the vast amounts of alcoholic beverages flowing through the Port of Baltimore and the inspections of retail outlets required by law, Mr. Goldstein said enforcement of the revenue law under the proposed bill would become "an enforcement nightmare and a bootlegger's dream."

Comptroller Goldstein said Maryland could become a dumping ground for stolen and non-tax-paid liquor if the stamps were removed and predicted tax revenue from distilled spirits would plummet along with the revenue share with the local subdivisions.

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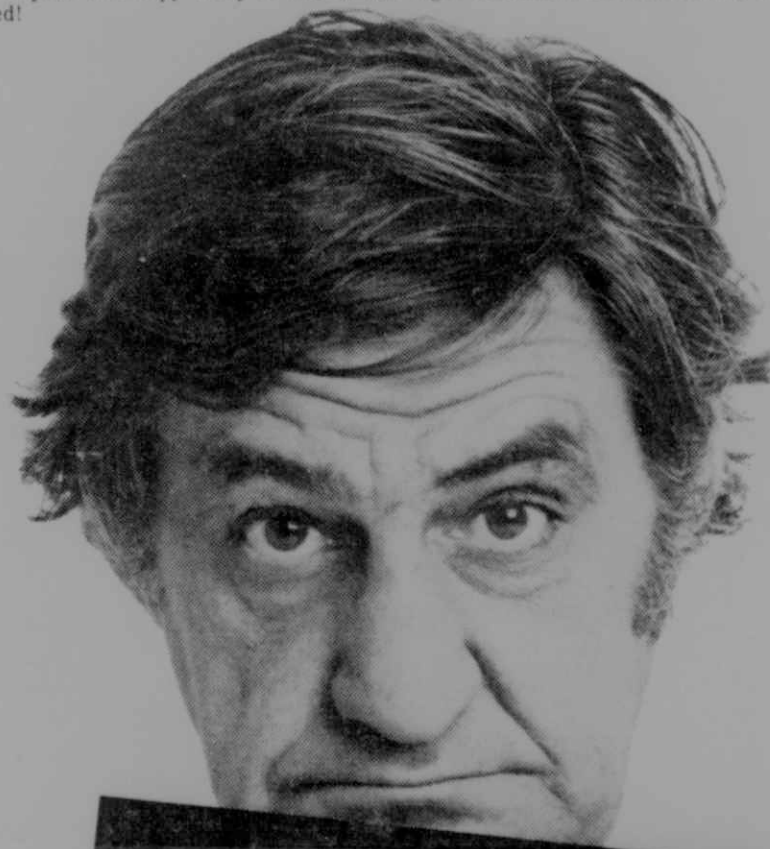
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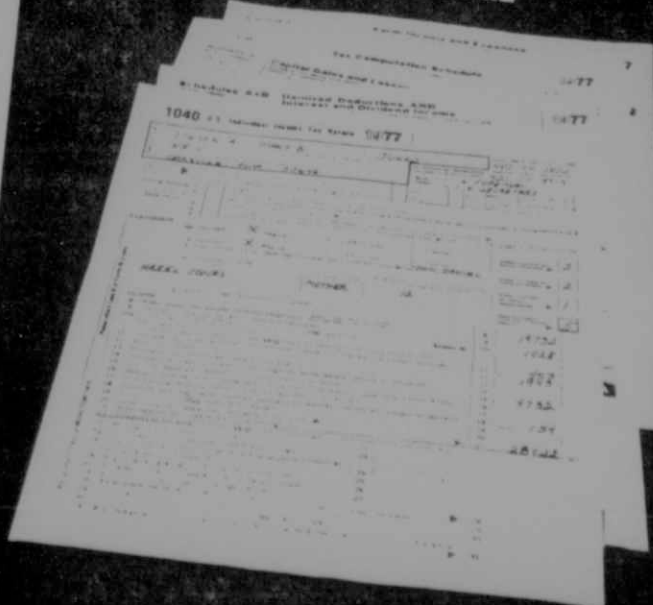
If you are like most people, you'll find the new tax forms far from simple. In fact, the revised forms may further add to the confusion.

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There were seven births recorded at Garrett County Memorial Hospital this past week. Five of the new arrivals were girls.

On January 20, Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Miller, Deer Park, became the parents of a daughter. The mother is the former Doris Marie Steyer.

A son was born January 21 to Mr. and Mrs. William Elmes Baker, Aurora, W. Va. The mother was formerly Betty Carol Martin.

Four babies were born January 23. First to arrive was a daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cecil DeWitt, Mt. Lake Park. The mother is the former Debra Jean Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Dorsey, Elk Garden, became the parents of a son on the 23rd. Mrs. Dorsey is the former Peggy Lorane Barker.

Their first child, a daughter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Eugene Corbin, Oakland, on the 23rd. The mother is the former Sharon Marie Beachy.

A daughter arrived late on the 23rd for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Pariseau.

Swanton. The mother's maiden name is Deborah Lee Foust.

A daughter was born January 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lee Liller, Deer Park. The mother is the former Jeanne Mae Smith.

There were 65 admissions and 52 discharges during the week. Census this morning was 64 patients.

SANG RUN

Mr. and Mrs. George Tasker, visited Mrs. Robert Crone, Mt. Lake Park, Monday. Sherry is staying with her grandmother for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nazelrod and Gene, Newport News, Va., visited Mrs. Mary DeWitt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeWitt and Roxie and Debbie Riley visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeWitt and Robin over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hinebaugh and Tony, Deer Park, visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton DeWitt Monday evening.

Tim and Gary Rodeheaver, Accident, visited Mrs. Sue DeWitt and Linda Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dintaman and children, Loch Lynn, visited Mrs. Eleanor Mayle Sunday.

Ruth Rodeheaver visited Mrs. Sue DeWitt and Linda Friday.

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FILM CLIPS

by Jim Willis

Close Encounters of the Third Kind is a razzle-dazzle attraction with all of the earmarks of a \$20,000,000 budget. Writer-director, Steven Spielberg fails to capture the same hanging-on-the-edge-of-your-seat feeling that characterized his JAWS phenomena which grossed \$400,000,000. Neither does it carry the flash of Star Wars as a family entertainment.

Spielberg strives to achieve the same deep-rooted depths as 2001 — A SPACE ODYSSEY did a few years back, but

Stanley Kubrick's classic still has little to fear.

The "star" of Close Encounters is all of the audio-visual special effects that money can buy. And \$20,000,000 can buy a lot of Douglas Trumbull's (who did 2001) special effects, plus cinematography by five of moviedom's best talents. Director of photography, Vilmos Zsigmond was aided on various locations from Alabama to India by Douglas Slocombe, William Fraker, John Alonzo and Laszlo Kovacs.

There are two reasons for attending this movie. First of all, you can go to catch the splendor of a psychedelic light show as UFOs blaze across the silver screen. — Or, secondly, you can view the antics of a couple of ordinary Americans (Richard Dreyfuss and Melinda Dillon) and the director of an international investigative bureau (French director, Francois Truffaut's film debut) as they prepare to meet the aliens — the "third kind" of close encounters.

Spielberg's error is some pretentiously heavy symbolism — after an eerie early scene when Dillon's young son (Gary Guiley) is taken aboard the spacecraft, climaxing at Devils Tower, Wyoming. You're bound to say, "Why the rock formation," just like you said "Why the black slab" to Kubrick's 2001. At any rate, this bit of picturesque, but meaningless symbolism is a faux pas.

In the one comic interlude, however unsuited to the script, Dreyfuss, a power company lineman obsessed by UFOs and possessed with a kind of sixth sense, exhibits some unusual behavior. After frightening off his wife (Teri Garr) and kids, he rips up all the soil and shrubbery around his ranch home and builds a mini-Devils Tower in the middle of the living-room floor.

Spielberg's script is a little too unbelievable for most adult audiences as it fails to maintain a certain intellectual sophistication. Close Encounters should be seen, such visual effect should not be ignored, (except for a group of extra-terrestrial Lilliputians) but I can't promise you'll leave the theatre without a score of unanswered questions.

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Fine Dining

by Jim Willis

This column is intended as a public service, and will spotlight fine eating establishments in the Garrett County area, taken in random order.

Silver Tree Inn, Glendale Bridge Road, Deep Creek is truly an adventure in fine dining. Owner, Ted Lascaris, has provided us with an atmosphere of yesteryear. The building, which was originally a Boy Scout lodge, has been tastefully decorated in nostalgia, and has a total seating capacity of 160.

The main dining room sports hanging Tiffany lamps, stained glass panels, a converted bar taken from a local barber shop of long ago, and a marble ice cream parlor. Even the cashier's station is a refurbished bank teller's booth. Slowly swirling, 1920's fan chandeliers add to the subtle lighting and the roaring fireplaces, hardwood and beamed ceilings, original log structure and chinking, deco-nostalgic carpeting, cozy fireplace lounge and the "Artful Dodger" gift shop, bring visions of the Swiss Alps.

The Inn, which opened in June, 1976 is now managed by "Long John," John Ackerman, who was skillfully tending bar the evening we visited. Silver Tree is an affiliate of nearby Alpine Village, which accommodates guests with 38 rooms, 15 chalets, color TV, two heated pools, sandy beach, playground and docking area.

Prompt and courteous service was provided by our waitress, Pat Powers. Silver Tree's menu is a charming adaptation of an 1890's Republican Newspaper, and specializes in Italian Food. It was difficult to choose from a wide range of hors d'oeuvres such as oysters a la Romano and Fried Louisiana Shrimp. Chef, Doug McClive and assistant chef, Mike Mulliken will entice you with a list of entrees that includes LaSagne, Manicotti,

Filet Mignon, Land and Sea, Crab Imperial, Broiled Lobster Tail, Veal a la Parmigiana, Chicken a la Formaggio and Spaghetti a la Fungetto, among others. Dinner is followed by a choice of ice cream confections at those old-fashioned prices, 5-10 cents!

Silver Tree Inn's food, service, and atmosphere are well worth the reasonable price. You may visit the Inn from 5 to 10 p.m., Monday through Friday, 5 to 11 p.m., Saturday, and 4 to 10 p.m., Sundays. Reservations are not accepted for parties under 10 persons.

COVE

Mrs. Diane Springman of Springman's Greenhouse and florist, will give tips on sick and healthy plants at the Plant Clinic to be held at the Oakland Center of Garrett Community College on Monday, January 30, in the evening.

It has been learned that Rev. Herbert B. Schutte, Sarnia, Ontario, Canada, has accepted the call to be pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, and will be moving into the parsonage here within the next few weeks, accompanied by his wife and daughter.

William Harman was admitted to Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, on Wednesday evening and underwent surgery there on Monday. Miss Joyce Harman, Martinsburg, W. Va., and Mrs. William Harman have been in Cumberland for a few days to be with Mr. Harman.

Albert Richter has been a patient at Sacred Heart Hospital since he was admitted there on Monday. He underwent surgery there on Thursday. Members of his family have been visiting him and were expecting him to be released from the hospital the first part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Needer, Jr., Reisterstown, were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanft and were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Needer's uncle, Earl Hanft, who remains a patient at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland. Mr. and Mrs. Needer returned during the week from a vacation trip to Martinique and Guadeloupe in the French West Indies.

Carroll Hanft, Addison, was also a Saturday visitor of the Hanft family.

Miss Donna Ringer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ringer, participated in the Elks Hoop-Shooting Contest in Frederick on Sunday, where she won first place and will go to Annapolis on February 4 to participate in the State Championship Contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bender returned to their home here on Thursday after being guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Yoder, Timberville, Va., and taking some courses at Eastern Mennonite College at Harrisonburg, Va.

Church and Sunday School services were cancelled on Sunday at St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, and also at St. John's Lutheran Church, LCA due to the snow.

Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Margoff were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wable and family, Grantsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paugh and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Resh were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harman. They were all afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Oester, Grantsville.

Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Oren Bender were Mrs. Harold Maust and family, Accident, and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Bender and family. Miss Sheila Bender was a Monday overnight guest of the Darwin Bender family.

Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glass were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Georg and Mrs. Mary Zinkan, Accident. Other afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Clark Kolb, Accident, Mr. and Mrs. William Scheff and Keith Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Richter were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Bittinger.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Loring Green were Mr. and Mrs. William Metcalf, Mt. Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hunter and family, Markleysburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Dollie Hunter, Confluence. Mr. and Mrs. Parley Deal and daughter Carla were visitors of the Hockman family.

Saturday evening visitors of Mrs. Woodrow Friend were Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson, Friendsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Friend and daughter. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Fint and family, Aurora, W. Va.; and Mr. and Mrs. Robinson. Monday over-



trends

by Kristin Milne

TRENDS

By Kristin Milne

Trends is a new addition to The Republican and, like any new acquaintance, begs appropriate introduction. The reader can expect to meet commentary on a variety of resourceful and current topics. This week's column provides an Rx for those afflicted with Cabin Fever.

25 Things To Do While Waiting For Spring

1. Move to Florida.
2. Shave the neighbor's English sheepdog.
3. Clean your aquarium — PLEASE.
4. Turn the mattresses. Make sure they're vacant first.
5. Go through your old high school yearbooks. And you think you haven't changed?
6. Defrost your mother-in-law.
7. Go to the neighborhood laundromat and watch the clothes dry.
8. Sew just a few wild oats. It's too cold for them to take root, anyway.
9. Interview your houseplants.
10. Teach your cattle to disco. It makes a good im-

pression at the stockyard.

11. Lose ten pounds.
12. Glue the door to your cuckoo clock shut and at midnight listen to the bird knocking himself senseless.
13. Drink a Molotov cocktail. (HINT: a lemon twist really sets this one off).
14. Unravel your grandmother's afghans. Tell her the cat did it.
15. Let the waistline out on your zoot suit.
16. Quit smoking.
17. Write a love letter to that "special someone" who'd never believe it anyway. What's there to lose?
18. Pierce your ears (or nose, if you're a closet cannibal).
19. Get to know your auditor.
20. Plan your summer vacation.
21. Teach your dog to say "please."
22. Go back to school.
23. Learn to ski or, if you've already mastered that, convert a non-believer.
24. Memorize your children's names and ages in correct, chronological order.
25. Line your bird cage with this article. (Also suitable for wrapping fish).

night guests were Nancy and Keith Friend, Mrs. Friend and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Friend were Thursday dinner guests of Mrs. Sam Friend and daughter, Betty, Friendsville.

Mrs. Ron Hockman and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Wiley, Grantsville.

Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Beitzel and Miss Emma Maust, Springs, Pa.

Ralph Georg was a Saturday evening visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reichenbecher.

A visitor of Edward Hachman and Mrs. Clara McRobie was Ralph Kolbfeisch.

Good News For

Students On Latest

Income Tax Forms

Maryland Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein announced this week that many students will benefit from a new provision of federal income tax law which will also apply to Maryland tax forms, beginning with those due by April 17, 1978.

Under the filing requirements established as a part of the latest change in federal law, individuals who may be claimed as dependents on another taxpayer's income tax return (usually their parent's) will benefit. Students and other

dependent taxpayers have previously been required to file tax returns if they have \$750 in annual income, any part of which is in the form of interest or dividends.

"This means students who might not otherwise be required to file an income tax return have had to fill one out. A special 'student' filing status has appeared on the Maryland return for this reason," Mr. Goldstein said.

Under the new rules, students and other dependents with interest or dividend income of less than \$750 per year are treated as "single" individual income taxpayers. As long as the dependent's interest or dividend income is less than \$750, no income tax return need be filed unless total income for the year exceeds \$2,950 — the normal filing requirement for single individuals.

"Those students or other dependents who may have worked part-time and had some Maryland income tax withheld from their pay, but who would not otherwise be required to file a State income tax return, may get a refund by filing the 'short form' 503 or the regular form 502. They should be sure to check filing status number 1, 'single,'" Mr. Goldstein said.

AN OPEN LETTER TO CITIZENS OF ALLEGANY & GARRETT COS. from

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Some of the Taxes paid by The Coal Industry in Allegany and Garrett Counties:

Allegany County Personal Property 1976-1977	\$ 210,179.32
Garrett County Personal Property 1976-1977	244,021.66
Sur-Tax paid to State of Maryland at \$0.15 per ton July 1, 1976 - June 30, 1977	324,000.00
We pay \$0.35 per ton sur-tax to the Federal Government annually for a total of	1,050,000.00
In the two counties we have over 200 large trucks that pay an average of \$1100 per truck for license fees each year making a total of	220,000.00
Each truck, on a working day, consumes over 100 gallons of fuel on which there is a tax of \$0.13 for every gallon used for a total of \$2600 a day tax paid to the State and Federal Government. 240 working days ..	624,000.00
TOTAL	\$2,672,200.98

We pay sales tax on all parts purchased in the State of Maryland, also 2% usage tax on all new equipment. Pennsylvania and West Virginia have no sales tax on mining equipment.

Imposed taxes, as always, flow directly back to the consumer. In this instance the Fuel adjustment billing on your monthly electric bill will pick up the tab, along with domestic coal use. Maryland coal becomes less competitive with our neighboring states, thus reducing our stimulation of employment and the overall area economy.

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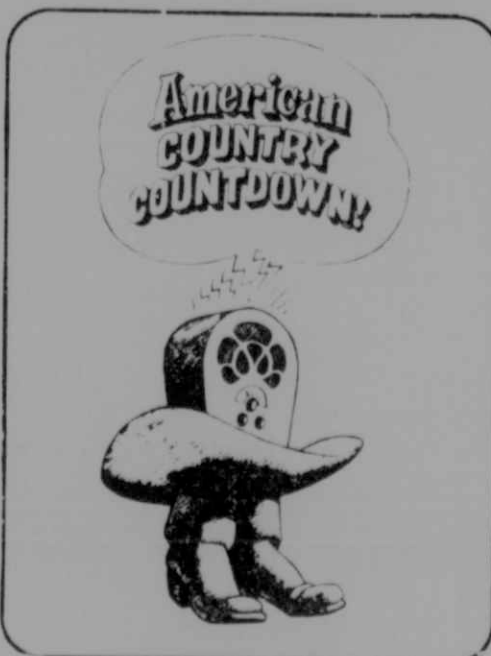
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State Students Show Basic Skill Gains During 1977

Maryland students showed overall modest gains over 1976 results in 1977 statewide basic skills tests, a State Department of Education report reveals.

Student performance in the Iowa Test of Basic Skills (vocabulary, reading, comprehension, language, and mathematics) administered to all 3rd, 5th, 7th, and 9th graders show these results.

Third graders scored above the 3.7 national norm in vocabulary (3.8), reading comprehension (3.8), language total (4.3), and mathematics total (4.3). This year's 3rd grade scores were uniformly higher than those for last year. Third grade scores have shown consistent progress since statewide tests were inaugurated four years ago.

Fifth graders scored 5.4 in both vocabulary and reading comprehension, 5.8 in language total, and 5.6 in mathematics total. National norm is 5.7. The mathematics total for 5th graders was the same as last year's; other scores were higher.

As in previous annual reports, 7th and 9th graders are shown lagging behind their younger brothers and sisters. Seventh graders showed improvement only in language total (from 7.0 to 7.1), declined in mathematics total (7.2 to 7.1) and held even in vocabulary and reading comprehension (6.9). National norm is 7.7.

Ninth graders held constant in reading comprehension (8.4), language total (8.5) and mathematics total (8.6), but slipped from 8.5 to 8.4 in vocabulary. National norm is 9.4.

"We are pleased, of course, with the way our third and fifth graders are performing," said state school superintendent David W. Hornbeck, "but we need to continue to strengthen our emphasis on these basic skills in the upper grades. That is a primary objective of Project Basic."

Project Basic is a five year statewide program which will require students to demonstrate skills in five skill areas as a high school graduation requirement.

"As a first step in Project Basic," Hornbeck said, "the State Board of Education will conduct hearings next month on a new State bylaw requiring at least minimum skills in reading as a condition of graduation. Tests will be conducted in the ninth grade."

Mathematics and writing are next on the Project Basic timetable, Hornbeck explained.

A total of 260,000 Maryland school children in all subdivisions took the Iowa tests last spring.

The state report, the fourth

annually under the Maryland Accountability Program, includes school-by-school performance statistics.

The report also discloses statewide performance of college-bound high school seniors in the Scholastic Aptitude Test. It shows Maryland young people scoring two points above a national sample in verbal skills (431), and one point behind the national samples in math (469).

But the Maryland youngsters did substantially better than the national sample in specific subject areas: 28 points better in English Composition (544); 15 points better in Math Level 1 (562); 17 points better in Math Level 2 (683); 19 points better in biology (562); 19 points better in chemistry (593); 27 points better in American history (519); 14 points better in French (553).

Legislative Directory Is Now Available

A pocket-sized directory listing members of the 1978 Maryland General Assembly is now available from the Maryland Chamber of Commerce. Also included are the mailing address and telephone number of each of the 47 State Senators and the 141 members of the House of Delegates. Similar information is also included for Governor Lee and other members of the State's Executive Department, as well as for Maryland's United States Senators and members of the U. S. House of Representatives. A map indicating Maryland and Baltimore City Congressional Districts is also included.

The Legislative Directory is completely revised and issued annually by the Maryland Chamber of Commerce. That organization is the principal vehicle used by members of the State's business community to communicate with members of the General Assembly as well as with the various departments, agencies and commissions of the State government.

A feature of the 1978 Directory is a list of practical tips to use when writing to elected officials. They range from "check before you mail your letter to make certain you have included your exact return address" to "thanking your elected official if he or she pleases you with a vote on an issue."

The brochure includes a photo of the Maryland State House on its cover and is printed in two colors. Either individual or bulk copies may be obtained from the Maryland Chamber of Commerce at 20 cents each, plus postage costs. Persons interested in purchasing copies should telephone Miss Mockus in the Maryland Chamber office. The number in the Annapolis or Baltimore area is 269-0642. In the Washington area, the number is 261-2858.

Owners Feel Husky Has Begun Trek Home To Annapolis

An Annapolis family is convinced its Siberian husky is making a 250-mile trek home.

"Tundra," who is black and white and extremely timid, was given by the William Flynn family of Annapolis to relatives in Morgantown, W. Va., in order that he would have more room to roam. At the first opportunity in early January, however, he ran away. One Morgantown veterinarian said afterward that the overwhelming instinct for a husky would be to try to find his original master.

Depending on how good a navigator he is, Tundra could be somewhere in West Virginia, southern Pennsylvania or western Maryland. He is about the size of a German shepherd, wearing an orange collar with an Anne Arundel County dog license.

Anyone spotting him is asked to write or call William Flynn, 1211 Van Buren Circle, Annapolis, 21403, or phone (301) 268-1752.

Kent County To Host Maryland Holstein Convention

Maryland's registered Holstein breeders will gather in the "Land of Pleasant Living" for the 1978 Maryland Holstein Convention. Kent County's Great Oak Resort will be the convention headquarters and the site of the annual business meeting on February 7. Room reservations may be made by calling 301-778-2100.

Richard Chichester, General Manager, Select Sires, Ohio, will speak on "establishing a Breeding Program for Dairy Cattle." Dr. Ken Bedirian, Director and Technical Manager, Via Pax Corp. Ltd., Ontario, Canada, will discuss "Embryo Transfer — A New Tool for the Modern Breeder."

Robert McKown, Associate Manager of the "Holstein World" will present the Junior Members program on "Advertising and Promotion."

Ladies attending may take a tour of 18th Century homes in historic Chestertown, and a trip to Remington Farms, Wildlife Management Demonstration area.

Evening activities will begin at 6:45 with a dinner-dance featuring an Eastern Shore style raw oyster bar at St. Dennis Church, Galena.

On February 8, the State Sale will be held at Great Oak, Chestertown, beginning at 11 a.m. with outstanding cattle selected from the entire state.

Garrett County dairymen and agri-businessmen are invited to attend the Convention and visit Kent County farms, according to James McHenry, Garrett County Extension Agent, Agriculture.

Events Above The Mountaintop

January 26 - February 1, 1978
Paul S. Frank, Jr.
ECLIPSE

An imaginary line through the zodiacal constellations depicts the earth's orbit around the sun. The location of this line is marked by other planets. This is because the solar system is flat with most of the planets revolving around the sun in the same plane. Therefore one can locate the ecliptic by observing an imaginary line between the visible planets, Saturn and Jupiter, passing Mars in-between these two planets.

MOON
Tuesday the moon passes through its Last Quarter phase at 6:51 p.m. The moon has been waning all week. Moonrise varies during the week from 8:07 p.m. tonight to 1:14 a.m. next Wednesday morning.

VISIBLE PLANETS
Jupiter, Mars, and Saturn are visible in the evening sky this week. Mars rises shortly before sunset and is visible most of the night among the stars of Cancer. Jupiter is the brightest object in the sky after the sun and the moon. It rises before sunset and is due south with the stars of Taurus about 9:00 p.m. Saturn rises about an hour after sunset with the stars of Leo. It is near the bright star, Regulus.

DAYLIGHT INCREASING
Twelve additional minutes of daylight will be noticeable next Wednesday. Sunrise was at 7:30 a.m. this morning. Sunset will be ten hours later at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday sunrise will be five minutes earlier and sunset will be seven minutes later than today.

UNW Circles To Meet February 1

Circles of St. Paul's United Methodist Church will meet on February 1.

Circle 3 will meet at the church at 9:30 a.m. with Ella Tall as guest speaker. Mrs. Tall will address the group on current trends in nutrition. All members of the United Methodist Women and other interested women are invited to attend.

Circle 1 will meet at the church at 1:15 p.m. Mrs. Walter DeBerry will be leader of continuing study on the topic, "Women of the Bible."

Circle 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. Wade Meese with Mrs. Ruth Mateer co-hostess at 7:30 p.m. Study leader Mrs. James Hutchinson will lead the topic on "Women of the Bible."

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Appraisal Service



by Cathy Helbig

Throughout the back issues of The Republicans in which I've searched, all Garrett County winters appear the same; hard and long. The same tale was told in the editions of 1912 with this suggestion from the gas company "Owing to the severe cold weather this winter and the ground being frozen deeper than usual and as the service lines from the street to the houses are not more than 12" or 18" in depth, we find in several cases where the frost is deeper than the service lines there is more or less danger of the lines pulling apart and causing leaks."

"The Gas Company is doing everything possible to prevent any leaks of this kind and will take this opportunity to notify all customers of natural gas, to use every precaution against accidents, and should they detect the odor of gas at any time, to immediately shut off the gas at the meter and notify the gas company at once. We particularly caution you not to look for a leak with a light."

Now that's sound advice! We citizens of Garrett County should take pride in the fact that these winters can't keep us down. Life goes on and we enjoy it in spite of "Ole Man Winter."

"Last Friday night marked an epoch in the history of the local lodge, Knights of Pythias, the occasion being the housewarming of the new home of the local organization. The lodge met in the spacious room built and especially equipped for it, with about seventy members present."

"After the regular routine of business had been transacted, the lodge in a body adjourned to the banquet hall. "Following the banquet, speeches were delivered. Dr. Henry W. McComas was toastmaster and presided with grace and dignity. Good fellowship prevailed and a most enjoyable evening was spent by those in attendance."

Of course we all can't be so gracefully dignified and a news item found in a 1912 issue of The Republican proves this: "Liquor Lee," a notorious and desperate character, who, they say, can drink more red liquor

and pay the editor his dues. If we don't, he may soon demand them as seen in this closing paragraph: "We have been informed that one of our newly married young ladies kneads bread with her gloves on. The editor of this paper needs bread with his shoes on; he needs it with his trousers on; and unless the delinquent readers of this old rag of freedom pay up soon, he will need bread without a darn thing on."

CRELLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reckart and children of Hutton and Mr. and Mrs. John Beckman and daughter of Deer Park were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carlus Reckart.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carskadon were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Panther and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fike of Oakland, and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Skiles and son, Jeremy, and daughter, Melinda, of Mt. Lake Park.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Stiles were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Friend and Gilbert Bowman of Crellin and Donald Stiles of Kitzmiller.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick DiSimone and daughters of Westernport were Sunday dinner guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DiSimone.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burlin Holler were Mrs. Peggy DiSimone, Mr. and Mrs. Rick DiSimone and daughters of Westernport, Mrs. James Browning and daughters of Oakland and Randy DiSimone and friend, Cheryl.

Mr. and Mrs. James Browning and family of Oakland were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Naomi Holler.

Mrs. Jerry Meyers, Mrs. Burlin Holler and Miss Henrietta Wilt visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Migliaccio near Cumberland last Monday.

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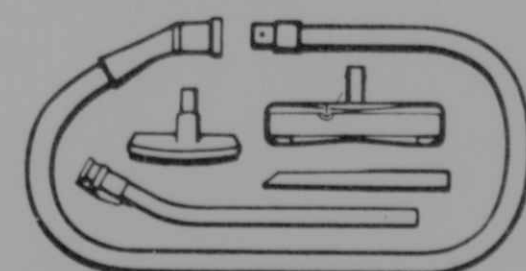
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Ski Cross Country with Norm Oakvik



Norm Oakvik is the father of cross country skiing in the Midwest. During his 35 years in "X-C" he has held several Nordic Championships, including Special and Combined Cross Country in both Senior and Veterans classes and the North American Senior Special Cross Country Championship.

Norm is a U.S.A. Central Division Cross Country Coach and a founding member of the North Star Ski Touring Club, the nation's largest. He was the first coach of such outstanding skiers as Steve Rieschl, Jim Belfanz and Doug Peterson, member of the current U.S. Olympic Cross Country Ski Team. Norm lives in Minneapolis and serves as Director of Research and Development for the Normark Corporation.

VII. TURNING AND STOPPING

What goes up, must come down; on the cross-country ski trail as well as any place else. Straight X-C climbing involves gliding directly up the fall-line of the hill with the basic diagonal "kick-glide" technique we discussed in last week's article. Here are some helpful hints toward getting up in the world: Bend your knees but keep your back erect in a slightly crouched body position. Do a Groucho Marx! Keep your body weight forward via the hips and always keep a pole behind you in the check position to prevent a backslide.

If the incline is extremely steep, you might switch to the side step — moving on up on short, alternate side-straddle steps at right angles to the fall-line. Or, if worse comes to worse, you can always take off your skis and walk up. It's no disgrace!

To ski downhill, adopt a relaxed upright position with your knees slightly bent and your weight evenly distributed on both skis. One ski should be slightly ahead for greater stability. To increase your speed, you might adopt the "tuck" position by crouching over and resting your forearms on top of your knees with your poles crossed and trailing behind. For safety's sake, always look ahead and never lose sight of the entire length of your outrun.

In case of trouble, don't hesitate to do a quick sit-down. Once on your bottom, extend your hands to either side, like outriggers, to slow you down. In a less contrived fall, stretch out and try to relax. Attempt to slide with your body fully

extended. Avoid the tuck position which might cause you to catch and break a ski, or bruise knee or elbow. However, serious injuries are rare in X-C skiing. To get back up, plant your skis on the downhill side, perpendicular to the fall-line. Bend your knees for a low center of gravity, then push yourself upright with the aid of your poles clasped together in both hands.

The easiest way to change direction when under way is by means of the step turn. Raise the tip of the ski in the direction you want to turn, point it to your new heading, plant it firmly, then raise the tip of the other ski and swing it about parallel to the first. The higher your speed, the quicker you must move. Try to swing only the tip of your ski. You have better balance with the tail on the snow.

The snowplow position helps you control both speed and direction. To do the snowplow, keep your tips fairly close together, 4 to 6 inches apart, while pushing out with both heels to put on the brakes. To turn from the snowplow, push down on the ski opposite to the direction of the turn, e.g., to make a right turn, weight the left ski. By weighting one ski and then the other, successive turns to the left and right can be made.

The stem turn is slightly more advanced. In a downhill traverse (a diagonal path across the fall-line), slide your uphill ski into a stem, or snowplow, position. Transferring your weight to this edged ski will initiate the turn, which should be held until the weighted ski is on the downhill side. The other ski will now be parallel as you continue your traverse, but headed in a perpendicular direction.

These moves are basic. Keep practicing them. You'll soon discover that you're falling less and less and enjoying it more and more!

Donkey Basketball Slated At Northern

A donkey basketball game will be held at the Northern High School gymnasium on Friday, February 10, at 7:30 p.m. The WMSG Double Dribblers will compete against the Northern Faculty Fearless Five and all proceeds will go to the Northern High School Band.

Advance tickets are available from any member of the Northern High Band or persons may call 826-8339 for information and tickets.

Little League Group To Meet

President John Kurilla of the Oakland Little League has called a preparation meeting for the 1978 baseball season. The meeting will be held Tuesday January 31, at the Oakland Elks Club at 7:30 p.m.

Election of 1978 officers, a new field progress report, treasurer's report, and a renewal of the 1978 Little League charter will be the items of business. The League is in need of managers, coaches and parental assistance. Persons interested in volunteering should attend the meeting.



GCC LAKER Dave "Mac" McPherson, #10, sets up the play against CC of Baltimore last night at McHenry. GCC's Bill McGarvey, #44, and Kevin Liller, #40, wait for Mac's next move. The Lakers lost to the visitors, 72-70. See separate story on page eight.

Par-Matt Lanes Games Activities

In the Monday Late Mixed League, Ollie's Body Shop was in first place, followed by Cee Dee and Rainbows. High team series was won by Humberson Homes with 2206. Rainbows were second with 2157 and Four Strikes were third with 2146. The Humberson Homes took the high team game with 788, followed by Four Strikes with 773 and Roadrunners were third, rolling 765. Carroll Miller rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 598. Jesse Guey was second with 582 and Jim Matthews was third with 579. High individual game was also won by Carroll Miller with 244, followed by Jesse Guey, Jim Matthews and Terry Steyer each with 212. In the ladies' mixed league action Eleanor Beckman rolled the high individual series with 529,

followed by Patsy Mikles with 447 and Doris Zacheis was third rolling 430. High individual games were also won by Eleanor Beckman who rolled a 183 and 181. In third place was Patsy Mikles, who rolled a 169.

In the Ladies' Merchant League, Walt's Store was in first place, tied with Village Inn, followed by Farmer's Market and C. E. Jackson. High team series was won by Farmer's Market with a 2203. Teets' Travelers were second with a 2163 and Walt's was third with a 2145. The Teets' Travelers took the high team game with a 788, followed by Farmer's Market with a 747, and C. E. Jackson was third, rolling a 740. Sue Evans rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 551. Pat Filsinger was second with 531, and Shirley Patterson was third with a 525. High individual game was won by Pat Filsinger with a 214, followed by Pat Mansfield with a 200,

and in third place was Janet Hauger, who rolled a 194.

In the Sunday Mixed League, Par-Matt was in first place, followed by Island Creek and Rock 'n' Rollers. High team series was won by Island Creek with 3019, Winter Foul was second with 2991 and Rock 'n' Rollers were third with 2973. The Rock 'n' Rollers took the high team game with 1083, followed by Jolly Five and Winter Foul with 1053's and Island Creek was third, rolling 1038. Bink Sisler rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 579. Squeek DeWitt was second with 576 and Rocky Smith was third with 567. High individual game was won by Bob Helmick with 235, followed by Gene Estill with 225 and in third place was Ron Wilson, who rolled a 224. In the ladies' action, Pat Filsinger rolled the

high individual series with 524, followed by Carolyn Johnson and Letha Helmick with 516's and Opal Michael was third

rolling 496. High individual game was also won by Pat Filsinger who rolled a 213, followed by Joyce Crawford in second place with 196 and in third place was Opal Michael, who rolled a 189.

In the Civic League, Army-Navy was in first place, followed by Little Seven and 135 Meat Market. High team series was won by 135 Meat Market with 3072, Browning's Foodland was second with 2997 and Island Creek was third with 2990. Rusty Five took the high team game with 1123, followed by 135 Meat Market with 1105 and Mt. Top Carpet was third, rolling 1075. Jr. Glatfely rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 608, Paul Viragh was second with 602 and Jim Schmidt was third with 595. High individual games were won by Jr. Glatfely and Randy McCartney with 244's, followed by Don Callis with 233 and in third place were Jimmy Cogley, Charles E. Davis, Dennis Meyers and Jim Schmidt, who each rolled a 222.

In the Skirts League, Unpredictables were in first place, followed by Alley Cats and Leftovers. High team series was won by Misfits with 2159, Slowpokes were second with 2114 and Alley Cats were third with 2094. Tar Babies took the high team game with 757, followed by 4 M's with 747

and Misfits were third, rolling 739. Reba Herrington rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 524, Sue Kissner was second with 512 and Mary M. Miller was third with 489. High individual game was won by Sue Kissner with 204, followed by Reba Herrington with 194 and 191 and in third place was Helen McHenry, who rolled a 184.

PVC Tournament Set For Tonight

Keyser Middle School hosts the Beall Mountaineers tonight as the Potomac Valley Conference wrestling tournament gets under way. The Golden Tornado's reign of two years was halted by Beall in last season's tourney.

Petersburg, Southern and Frankfort are also entered in the two day competition with the consolation and championship bouts set for 6:30 p.m., Saturday evening. Quarterfinals and semi-finals are scheduled for this evening.

Joe Altobelli, Keyser wrestling coach, is the tournament director. Returning titleholders are Beall's Rick Mazur, up from 98 pounds to 105, Mike O'Connor at 126, up from 112, and Jim Blake, returning at 167.

Dallas Adams of Keyser returns to defend his title at 126.

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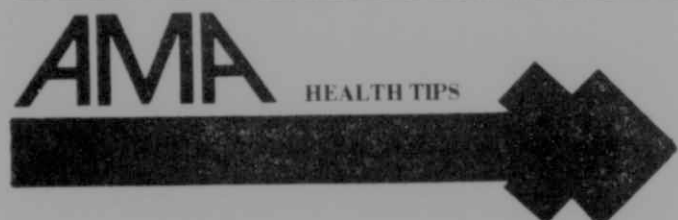
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The doctor most often gives the whooping cough (pertussis) vaccine along with two others — diphtheria and tetanus. The serum is known as DPT — diphtheria, pertussis, tetanus.

Aspirin May Prevent Heart Attack, Stroke

NEWPORT BEACH, Calif. (UPI) — Old reliable pain-reliever aspirin is back in the limelight after new research results, just becoming available, show it may help prevent strokes or attacks. Dr. William Fields, head of neurology at the University of Texas Health Sciences Center in Houston, outlined the results of a two-year study by 10 institutions an American Heart Association meeting Wednesday. It was brought out that some doctors over the years have noted that patients receiving aspirin regularly for chronic headaches or arthritis seemed to have lower occurrence of stroke and heart attack. But more studies must be made.

Pediatric Points

By Dr. Mark Sugar
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CHOLESTEROL
IN CHILDREN

Studies conducted over the past decade have indicated that American children have high levels of cholesterol in their blood. What is the value of having this information?

What does it mean for the health of our children? Many competent investigators in the medical field believe that high levels of fats (both cholesterol and triglycerides) in the blood over a long period of time may contribute to the alarming incidence of coronary artery disease (heart attacks) and atherosclerosis (hardening of the arteries) that plague the adults of America today.

Certainly, the level of blood cholesterol is not the whole story behind the problem of heart disease in our society. Stress, life style, smoking, over-weight and high blood pressure all contribute to the problem, but we now have statistics to show that in countries where the rates of heart disease are much lower than our own, cholesterol levels are much lower also, and the lingering implication is that what one eats is very important in determining one's risk for future heart trouble.

The American Academy of Pediatrics is now encouraging doctors to screen children for elevated blood cholesterol and triglycerides. Those children found to have these higher levels should be placed on a strict low fat diet. Approximately 1 out of 250 children may have an inherited condition of high levels of fat in their blood that should be treated soon after the first

year of life. Any family with a relative or close family member who suffered a heart attack below the age of 50 may be a high risk family and children of such families should be screened for high levels of cholesterol in their blood.

What about the rest of us out there who do not have a family history of heart disease? What do we do with our children? What foods are good for them? What foods are harmful? It is my considered opinion that parents should be aware of foods that are high in cholesterol and should reduce the intake of these foods by their children.

I would make the following recommendations concerning these foods that are part of our everyday eating habits. Fatty meats, pork, beef, lamb and veal should have all fat trimmed off. Drippings should be thrown away rather than made into a gravy. The organ meats like liver and kidney are very high in cholesterol and should be used in moderation. Avoid butter and lard and substitute vegetable margarine or liquid cooking oil. Eggs are very high in cholesterol and should be limited to three per week, unless the child eats poorly and does not obtain proper nutrients and protein from other foods. In these cases, cholesterol restriction is not recommended. Bacon and sausage are high in saturated fats and should be limited. Low fat milk is preferred over whole cow's milk. Fish, chicken and turkey are somewhat lower in cholesterol and are good substitution foods. Salmon, tuna, trout, cod, clams, oysters and scallops are lower in cholesterol than



A Maryland Army National Guard helicopter lands at the Oakland Armory Monday to bring state officials to talk with local leaders about Guard help clearing snow. The whirlybird brought Maj. Gen. Edwin Wartfield, III, Gen. Ben Dean, and Col. C. William White, all from Baltimore. The Guard officials promised Garrett County all help necessary in present and future snow clearing and snow emergency situations.

lobster and crabs, and are much lower than beef and pork. They are good substitution foods also. Custard, cream puffs and potato salad are rich in cholesterol. Moderate amounts of ice cream are acceptable, but should not be eaten on a daily basis.

EPA Announces Rules To Protect Drinking Water

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Citing a serious public health threat, the Environmental Protection Agency yesterday announced the first rules designed to reduce potential cancer-causing chemicals present in the nation's drinking water supplies.

The program, which could cost an initial \$450 million, has two parts:

—Setting a standard for the amount of chloroform and related chemicals that may be present in tap water as a result of the use of chlorine to disinfect supplies.

—Using carbon filters for drinking water plants whose ground or river supplies are contaminated by organic chemicals.

EPA Administrator Douglas Costle said the rules would eventually affect drinking water supplies used by 100 million Americans.

He estimated the cost at up to \$450 million and annual operating costs of \$60 million with the average family water bill in some areas rising by some \$6 to \$10 per year.

"This marks the start of the first large scale effort in history to deal with organic chemical contaminants in drinking water," Costle said.

"It will initiate changes on our approach to protecting and assuring the quality of the water we drink, and will give the American public an 'insurance policy' against the dangers associated with chemicals in our water."

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PE Lists Measures To Conserve Energy

Potomac Edison, in conjunction with a plea for voluntary reduction in electrical usage, has issued a list of energy saving suggestions. The company feels following such suggestions will reduce the amount of electricity used, thereby helping conserve dwindling fuel resources for the company's power plants. Suggestions were:

Heating
Reduce thermostat to 68° or lower and add extra clothing. Reduce thermostat further at night, if 8 hours or longer.

Make sure windows or doors to unheated areas are closed. Close draperies or blinds except when the sun can shine indoors.

Be sure furnace filters are clean. Avoid using the fireplace unless it is designed specifically for heating and/or has glass doors.

Close fireplace damper. Reduce heating to minimum levels in rooms not used.

Water Heating
Take short showers instead of baths. Wash only full loads of clothes or dishes.

Rinse clothes only with cold water, wash with warm or cool water if possible.

Make sure leaky faucets are fixed, or turned off. Rinse dishes with cold water and don't let water run constantly.

Use stopper in wash basin while shaving rather than running water.

Avoid use of dryer, if possible, otherwise don't over-dry clothes and keep the lint filter clean.

Refrigeration
Avoid overcooling the freezer — 0° to 5° is acceptable.

Avoid overchilling refrigerator — 35° to 45° is acceptable.

Reduce door openings and time doors are opened.

Turn off any refrigerators not being used and open the door.

Range and Cooking
Use small appliances and microwave rather than range when possible.

Cook all on surface or all oven meals rather than using both at once.

Be innovative, prepare one dish meals using small appliances.

Double recipes so you can use over or cooking appliances more efficiently or fully loaded.

Use percolator for coffee, hot water for tea or hot beverages, hot chocolate.

Start foods on high and reduce to low or simmer to finish cooking.

Surface units can be turned off 5 minutes prior to completion and will finish cooking with retained heat.

Other
Turn off lights, television, radio and entertainment equipment not needed or being used.

Avoid hair dryers or other nonessential heating-type personal care appliances.

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TUNES

by jim willis

Few albums will draw such rave reviews from this column as **BILLY JOEL, The Stranger**, (Columbia Records). Can this be the same artist of "Piano Man" fame? Joel who dropped from the lime-light for awhile has made a brilliant new entrance with this album. One can't help but wonder why **The Stranger** hasn't ousted **Rumors** from its eternal first place lock on the charts. Don't expect to pick a favorite song from this album. The first side contains Movin' Out (Anthony's Song), title-track, The Stranger, and Just The Way You Are. Each of these is an AM Radio favorite. Joel then has the foresight to end with Scenes From An

Italian Restaurant which jures up visions of Joel's own New York heritage.

The flip side presents five, FM favorites, including Only The Good Die Young and Get It Right The First Time, it has every possibility of crossing over to the top 40's chart as well.

This is one of those memorable albums with the excellent lyrics to measure up to the superb music. Billy Joel utilizes the best of vocals, synthesizers, acoustic guitar, tenor and alto sax, accordion, percussion, electric guitar, clarinet, flute, organ, syncopation and arranging to produce one of the top contenders on anybody's chart this year.

AURORA-EGILON NEWS

All activity ground to a virtual halt last week as snow pummeled the area. On Thursday night the Mt. Lions met for a brief dinner meeting in St. Paul's Lutheran Parish Hall in Aurora with the Aurora Pioneer 4-H Club serving the meal. Church services in the area were recalled for Sunday as were basketball games both Friday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lantz and son arrived Saturday night from Biloxi, Miss., where he has been stationed. They will spend a twenty-five day leave here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Teets, and with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Lantz.

W. P. Winters of Horse Shoe Run was taken Saturday evening to Garrett County Memorial Hospital where he remains hospitalized as the result of a stroke.

Helen Taylor of Underwood was a recent surgical patient in Broadus Hospital, Philippi, and now has returned to her home.

Word was received here of the death on Sunday, January 22, of Mrs. Oma Mae Arnold Harsh in Hopewell State Hospital. Mrs. Harsh was 77, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John A. Arnold and a widow of the late Elmer Harsh. She is survived by a son, Herbert Harsh; two daughters, Leona Wotring and Frances Snyder; nine grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren. Rev. Richard Kerfoot officiated at memorial services on Wednesday at the Accident Maple Grove Assembly of God Church with interment following in the Accident Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harsh and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wotring in Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Harsh of Eglon were guests of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Feather, Sunday for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Lewis of Eglon spent the weekend in Morgantown where they visited with Dee Rymer.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winters

Nina Bischoff Is Initiated Into Honor Society

Nina Catherine Bischoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bischoff of South Fourth Street, Oakland, and a junior at Hood College in Frederick, was recently

initiated into the Alpha Omicron Chapter of Tri Beta, a national biological honor society.

To qualify, Ms. Bischoff must have an average of 3.2 in her major subject and a 3.0 overall grade point average.

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Class Scheduled For Adult Basic Education

There will be an Adult Basic Education class starting at the McHenry Campus of the Garrett Community College on February 6, 1978. The Class is

scheduled from 5 to 9 p.m. in room LC-157 for persons who have not completed high school.

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5. LINDA RONSTADT Simple Dreams	5	17
6. SHAUN CASSIDY Born Too Late	8	8
7. KISS Alive II	7	6
8. QUEEN News of the World	9	8
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Woodmen Meet

Members of the Woodmen of the World Alcamp No. 41 met at the Woodmen Hall on Monday evening to take care of routine business. Lillian Guthrie, president, presided. Reports were given of the various activities and Fraternal Fund Services of Maryland and New Jersey.

James Guthrie was presented with a past president's pin by the Jurisdictional Junior past president, Walter Younkin.

Mr. Guthrie also received the door prize. The next meeting will be held on February 13 at 8 o'clock at the Woodmen Hall. All members are welcome.

Auxiliary Retains Officers

On January 16, the Ladies Volunteer Firemen's Auxiliary met at the fire hall, and membership voted to retain all officers for another year.

Mrs. Cleda Baker, president, opened the meeting. Martha Sebold read the minutes and Shelby Diehl gave the treasurer's report.

A membership drive is planned, and anyone wishing to join may contact a current member.

Attending were Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Mary Broadwater, Mrs. Bernice Merrill, Mrs. Diehl, Mrs. Sebold, Mrs. Zeldia Evans and Nancy Jones.

Personals

Mrs. Esther Yoder, who had fallen and broken her arm, has returned to her home after being a patient in the Meyersdale Community Hospital and is recuperating.

Winifred Snyder, who fell and broke his leg, is a patient in the Meyersdale Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Crowe and Emerson Resh visited their father, Arthur Resh, and other relatives before returning to Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin Yommer II are the parents of a son born January 23 at the Meyersdale Community Hospital. The baby has been named Charles Austin Yommer III. Mrs. Yommer is the former Miss Debbie Bittinger. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Bittinger, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yommer, all of Grantsville.

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Glen O'Brien Is President Of Deer Park VFD

Glen O'Brien was named president of the Deer Park Community Volunteer Fire Department in an annual report filed by the organization.

Bennie Beckman is vice president; George Comp, Jr., secretary; Tom Beckman, treasurer; John R. Thrasher, Chaplain; Rev. John Grant, vice Chaplain.

Charles Harvey is trustee; Robert Thrasher chief; Roland Schoch first assistant chief; Ronald Savage second assistant chief; and Terry King captain.

Ron Beeghly was appointed Allegany-Garrett County Association representative. House managers are Lambert

Thrasher and Harrison Thrasher.

The volunteer company logged a substantial increase in fire calls from 1976, according to the company's captain.

During 1977, the men answered 64 alarms, 36 of which were first due calls. Seventeen were mutual aid calls and eight were for the rescue or service truck. There were three false alarms.

Of the 64 calls, three were for auto accidents; one to a fire caused by lightning; nine trash or brush fires; three electrical wiring fires; eight faulty heating or flue fires; three false alarms, and nine miscellaneous calls.

An average of nine men responded per call with a total of 570 man hours expended on fire calls. A total of 2054 miles was logged on the company's fire equipment.

Approximately 968 hours were spent on training given by the University of Maryland Fire and Rescue Institute.

Twelve men were enrolled in the 60-hour basic course; and two men in the 24-hour special fires course.

Two members were part of a six-hour administration, management and leadership seminar; one man had six hours of training in relay pumper operation, three men were taking the six hour



Today's Living by Jim Willis

In view of our recent accumulation of snow and frigid temperatures, many of Garrett County's garden-conscious residents are likely bemoaning the fact that their shrubs and ornamentals aren't adequately protected.

"Winter-Kill" is always an unpleasant product of the season, but it's not too late to take some precautions. Most "winter-kill" is caused by the drying out of the upper parts of the plant and not by the frigid temperatures themselves.

With snow shovel in hand, proceed to dig out your shrubs, straightening any bent branches. Spray the leaves and branches with an anti-desiccant, available at your

garden center.

Next apply a thick mulch around the base of the shrub to protect the root zone from the severe freezes and alternate thaws. Wrap the shrub securely in burlap and tie with bailing twine to prevent sagging branches.

If your shrub exhibits signs of "winter-kill" in the spring, try pruning them drastically to encourage new growth from the base. Additional growth will be promoted, too, by regular waterings and applications of a well-balanced fertilizer.

Finally, when adding shrubs in the future, be sure to place the most winter-sensitive plants in a sheltered location.

search and rescue training; and eight men were involved in Garrett County fire training night.

Miss Durr Named RESA Director

Miss Ellen Durr of Frostburg has assumed duties as project director of resources education for the Regional Education Service Agency in cooperation with the Center for Management Development at Frostburg State College.

According to George E. Allen, executive director of the Regional Education Service Agency, Miss Durr's primary responsibilities will be to provide educational administrators in the 13 Appalachian states with information concerning the allocation and management of scarce resources.

Miss Durr will coordinate four satellite seminars that will provide specific guidance in identifying and implementing appropriate conservation measures.

The topics of the four seminars are: "Energy Conservation for Existing Buildings," "Purchase of Services and Materials," "Budget Development," and "School Operations Dealing with Declining or Fixed Enrollments."

Miss Durr is a 1973 graduate of Frostburg State College and is in the process of completing an advanced degree there. From 1973 to 1976 she was director of the Headstart Program for Allegany county, and in 1976 was a graduate assistant in the department of psychology at Frostburg State College.

Collections For December Are \$367 Thousand

Collections reported by Mrs. Arzella Parsons, County Treasurer, for December amounted to \$366,714.16.

Collections are as follows: 1977-78 real property taxes, \$53,633.16; 1977-78 Personal property taxes, \$669.72; 1977-78 ordinary business property taxes, \$31,948.48; 1976-77 real property taxes, \$10,339.08; prior years tax collected, \$13,262.49; received from other sources, \$251,081.64, and State of Maryland property tax, \$9,658.97.

Credits allowed: Discount, \$2,430.83; silo credits, \$561.93, and Circuit Breaker credits, \$886.62.

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Cheryl Blamble On Dean's List

Miss Cheryl L. Blamble, Route 2, Oakland, has been named on the Fall Semester Dean's List of honor students

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The daughter of John Wesley Blamble, she was a 1975 graduate of Southern High School. At Shepherd College she is a junior classman in a home economics major, working toward the bachelor's

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Cause Sought For Explosion At New Jersey Avon Plant

NEWARK, Del. (UPI) — Fire marshals are investigating the cause of an explosion at the Avon Co. plant in Newark that injured five persons critically and threatened the collapse of part of the building.

The explosion, which ripped through the plant Wednesday damaging support systems, caused officials to evacuate all employees and shut down operations. But officials said the plant was expected to reopen today.

Three people were taken to the Chester-Crosier Burn Center at Chester Medical Center in Chester, Pa., where they remain in critical and serious condition.

Hospital officials said Steven Cherry, 29, of Elkton, Md., remains in critical condition with burns over 65 percent of his body. Samuel Dixon, 39, of Newark, was reported in serious condition with burns over 18 percent of his body.

Blake A. Spence, 23, of Wilmington, was listed in serious condition with burns over 15 percent of his body.

Officials at the plant first said the explosion occurred in the machine that places cosmetic bottles into boxes. But, they later said the explosion began in a refuse area near the machine.

The roof and other parts of the plant were in danger of collapsing because of the damage to supporting walls and beams, according to officials.

State police said the explosion on the west side of the plant near a loading dock blasted a cinder block wall causing rubble to strike workers in the area of a packaging machine nearby.

Police said Del Campbell, 25, of New Castle, was listed in guarded condition at the Delaware Division Hospital's intensive care unit. Martha K. O'Connor of Newark, underwent surgery for broken bones and lacerations at the Delaware Division Hospital and was listed in fair condition.

Police said another five workers were treated and released for minor injuries after the blast.

Two fire companies were called to the scene, but no fire was reported from the explosion, which caused extensive damage to about 15 percent of the building.

Teams Search For Soviet Satellite In North Canada

OTTAWA (UPI) — A Canadian aircraft searching for radioactive fallout from a crashed Soviet spy satellite reported a "highly probable contact" in a remote region of Northern Canada, a Defense Department spokesman said today.

"A Canadian Forces C-130 Hercules engaged in the low-level search for radiation from the re-entry of a Soviet satellite has reported a highly probable contact about 200 miles east-northeast of Fort Reliance in the Northwest Territories," Capt. Bud McDonald said.

The Defense Department said the area did not appear to be inhabited.

The combined U.S.-Canadian crew aboard the plane expressed "a high degree of competence" the radiation was not from a natural source, McDonald said.

"However, full information must await post-flight analysis of the data which began as soon as the aircraft returned to Canadian Forces base Nain, just north of Edmonton at 2:45 a.m. EST. Post analysis will take approximately four hours."

Once the analysis is completed further action will be decided, McDonald said.

"At this time, the operational plan devised by the Canadian Forces is to deploy a small team of U.S. and Canadian radiation survey and health physics personnel to Baker Lake, Northwest Territories," he said.

Earlier, authorities said the air mass over northern Canada where the nuclear-powered satellite apparently burned up in the atmosphere Tuesday was moving south toward the northern Great Lakes area and U.S. and Canadian sniffer planes were expanding their search for contamination into the United States.

Miller Continues Efforts To Restart Coal Negotiations

UNDATED (UPI) — United Mine Workers President Arnold Miller today continued his efforts to get coal industry officials back to the bargaining table for the first time since Bituminous Coal Operators Association representatives walked out on a union proposal two days ago. Meanwhile, masked roving pickets roamed northwestern Pennsylvania coalfields, and electric utilities in states throughout Appalachia continued pleas for reduced consumption as coal stockpiles became smaller.

Miller Wednesday blamed the breakdown in contract negotiations with the soft coal industry on a flareup of tempers and said he was trying to set up a new bargaining session.

Miller said the talks to end the eight-week strike were halted Tuesday after the UMW presented a "complete" proposal to the Bituminous Coal Operators Association that included wages, health and pension funds and other items.

"We don't even know what they (the industry) objected to," Miller said. "They just walked out when they were presented with a counter proposal that they didn't like." Although tempers have flared at times, Miller said the tension at the talks isn't as bad as during the previous contract negotiations in 1974.

The major hurdle in the talks remains the health and pension funds, Miller said, but work stoppages and absenteeism are also important stumbling blocks.

"I'd say most major items have been discussed and we have a good understanding where we are," he said. "There are no major differences, unless some items on the table are more serious than I think they are."

Miller said he contacted industry officials trying to set up a meeting by Thursday.

In developments in the coalfields:

—About 200 to 300 pickets closed down non-UMW mines Wednesday in northwestern Pennsylvania and forced truck drivers to dump their coal. The Willow Brook Mine in Grove City, Mercer County, was forced to close, and roving pickets were reported in neighboring Venango and Butler counties. Police said they had the pickets under surveillance.

—Ohio River Co., the world's largest barge company, said Wednesday the miners' strike has "staggered" its business. "I don't even want to say publicly how much money we're losing each day the strike continues," a company official said in Cincinnati. "Believe me, it's a staggering amount."

—Duquesne Light Co., the world's largest coal company, said Wednesday the strike has about a 38-day supply of coal left. Despite conservation efforts, the company said it is approaching the time when it will have to call for a voluntary 25 percent curtailment of electric usage by all customers.

IRS Deadline For Retirement Accounts Is February 14

The Internal Revenue Service advises that the deadline for setting up an Individual Retirement Arrangement and taking the deduction for tax year 1977 is February 14, 1978.

Taxpayers under age 70½ have 45 days from the end of the tax year to make their contribution and still deduct it on their tax return.

In case of a new Individual Retirement Arrangement, the account may be established at any time prior to or at the time a contribution is made. Thus, the fact that an IRA was not established by the end of 1977 will not prevent a deductible contribution from being credited that year.

The advantage of an Individual Retirement Arrangement is that contributions and earnings thereon are not taxed until they are withdrawn, normally after retirement, at which time the individual probably would be in a lower tax bracket.

For more information, get IRS free Publication 590 "Tax Information on Individual Retirement Savings Programs" from the district office, 31 Hopkins Plaza, Baltimore.



A welcome glimpse of sunshine is reflected in Bear Creek near Accident.

Muriel Humphrey Agrees To Finish Senate Term After Hubert's Death

HILLSBORO BEACH, Fla. (UPI) — Muriel Humphrey agreed today to fill the remaining Senate term of her late husband, Hubert H. Humphrey, and said she expected to complete "some important legislative business Hubert hoped to finish."

"I expect to work hard and diligently in a fashion that Minnesota has come to expect. I will work toward ideals which Hubert worked and lived for," Mrs. Humphrey said after accepting Minnesota Gov. Rudy Perpich's offer to fill her late husband's Senate seat.

Perpich flew to Florida early today, talked to Mrs. Humphrey at a posh oceanfront condominium for 90 minutes and announced he had offered her Humphrey's Senate seat and she had accepted.

Perpich met Tuesday with the Executive Committee of the Democratic Farm Labor Party in St. Paul and reportedly received overwhelming support for Mrs. Humphrey.

Before flying to Florida early today, Perpich said he would not appoint a caretaker and would appoint a successor to Humphrey "with no strings attached."

Muriel Humphrey should be appointed to the U. S. Senate because she is better than anyone else for the job," Perpich said.

Mrs. Humphrey said she was "still tired" and would spend a few days in the Virgin Islands before flying to Washington to accept her late husband's Senate seat.

The 65-year-old Mrs. Humphrey wore a bright yellow pants suit when she and Perpich met newsmen and said her goal in the Senate would be "to do a good job."

Mrs. Humphrey said accepting her late husband's Senate seat "was a difficult decision to make."

"I have had no guidance from him (Hubert) in making the decision. I hope he is guiding me today," she said.

Perpich met Mrs. Humphrey at the condominium owned by her son-in-law, Bruce Solomonson. The governor said before leaving St. Paul that he would simply discuss the possibility of a Senate appointment with Mrs. Humphrey, but would not offer her the job.

Color Television Costs Less Today

NEW YORK (UPI) — In these days of inflation it is rare to find a product that is not only less expensive than it was a decade ago but consumes less power as well.

One such item is color television, says a major manufacturer, in pointing out that 1978 solid state color TV sets which are priced mostly lower than their tube-type counterparts of 10 years ago, also offer savings through reduced electricity costs.

Solid state sets with new energy-saving chassis use some 64 percent less power than the tube-type receivers of 1968, according to Roy H. Pollack of RCA Consumer Electronics. Over the 12-year lifespan estimated for a solid state color set by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the electricity costs to the homeowner would amount to \$96.36; if the older tube-type receiver were still in use, the cost would be \$308.76 — a savings of \$212.40.

Birth Control Pills And Smoking Are Unhealthy Blend

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Food and Drug Administration Wednesday ordered the nation's druggists to tell women using birth control pills not to smoke because it substantially increases danger of heart attack or stroke.

The warning will be carried in a brochure and a leaflet which must be given each patient every time a druggist dispenses the pill. The rules take effect April 3.

"The use of birth control pills by healthy women who do not smoke doubles the chance of suffering a heart attack," the FDA said. "But the combination of birth control pills and smoking, especially heavy smoking, presents a far greater risk of heart attack and other circulatory diseases."

"Pill users who also smoke are three times more likely to die of a heart attack or other circulatory disease than women who take the pill but do not smoke, and are 10 times more likely to die of a heart attack or circulatory disease than women who do not use the pill and do not smoke," it added.

The new warnings are part of a major revision of the patient warning which the FDA has required since 1970. The advice about smoking also will be included in information given doctors.

Both the brochure and a shorter, easy-to-read leaflet will state:

"Cigarette smoking increases the risk of serious adverse effects on the heart and blood vessels from oral contraceptive use. This risk increases with age and with

heavy smoking (15 or more cigarettes per day) and is quite marked in women over 35 years of age. Women who use oral contraceptives should not smoke."

College Freshmen Say High School Grading Too Easy

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — A survey of college freshmen shows grading has become too lenient in the nation's high schools and it is easier than it should be to earn good grades.

Asked for their opinion of high school grading practices, 91 percent of the freshmen surveyed agreed that "grading in the high schools has become too easy."

Alexander Astin, a UCLA professor of education who directed the nationwide survey for UCLA and the American Council on Education, said most of the 300,000 freshmen polled had A and B grades in high school.

Slightly more than 81 percent of those polled said they had high school grade point averages ranging between B-minus and A-plus, compared to 80 percent in 1976 and 78 percent in 1975.

The survey, released Sunday, sought responses from freshmen entering college last fall.

Astin attributes the increase to grade inflation — the awarding of higher grades than a student's work warrants — because the average scores of college-bound students who take standardized entrance examinations have been declining steadily.

He reasons the contradictory combination of declining test scores and higher grades is explained by overly lenient grading practices.

Utilities May Start Power Cutbacks In Late February

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Federal energy officials said Wednesday utilities in the Appalachian region might have to begin mandatory power cutbacks at the end of February because of the coal shortage brought on by the miners' strike.

The cutbacks may soon spread to other areas of the nation, including the South, the officials said.

The overall picture is through the few days remaining in this month, there doesn't appear to be any significant, immediate shortage in any of these utilities," said David Bardin, the Energy Department's economic regulatory administrator.

"As we go into February, prudence requires that utilities begin to implement a series of programs, first for voluntary conservation and then, if need be, later in February, for mandatory measures."

"We have not set a goal for conservation yet," Bardin said. In the meantime, utilities will have to cooperate to make best use of power available, Bardin added.

Bardin met with officials of the Allegheny Power System, the Tennessee Valley Authority and the National Electric Reliability Council.

Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia "appear to be the critical areas right now," one of Bardin's aides said.

Bardin said the problem was also evident in "small pockets in several states." The South, with large stockpiles, may also eventually be affected because of a great deal of regional energy use.

The problem is compounded by heavy rains and cold temperatures which have frozen coal stockpiles into what one official called "rocky mountains."

In addition, one of Bardin's aides said the TVA had a large supply of coal at one plant but the plant broke down.

Another Energy Department official, however, noted that while some utilities have 40 days or more of coal on hand, "even if the strike were settled today, it would take two weeks for the contract to be ratified and two weeks for the coal production to resume. When you subtract that from 50 days supply, you realize we are coming close to a crunch."

The latest Energy Department reports indicate electric companies have an average of about 70 days of coal in stock.

Bardin met with officials of the East Central Area Reliability Coordination Agreement, one of a group of regional utility efforts to help out energy-short areas.

The eastern group includes Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and parts of Western Maryland and Western Virginia.

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U.S., Moscow Work Together To Locate Pregnant Polar Bear

MOSCOW (UPI) — Cruise missiles and backfire bombers may be holding up detente but the United States and the Soviet Union are in complete accord when it comes to pregnant polar bears.

The bear in question was caught by the U. S. Fish and Game Department in Alaska last June and fitted with a collar containing a radio transmitter.

She roamed across the ice packs of the Bering Strait into Soviet territory and U. S. officials asked Moscow's aid in locating the animal.

The reply came Sunday. Soviet official Savva Uspensky said "We shall certainly help our American colleagues in searching for that courageous traveler."

Uspensky, director of the Central Laboratory for the Protection of Nature of the Soviet Ministry of Agriculture, said Soviet officials would give a warm reception to this "transgressor of state borders."

"When we meet her, we'll examine her, replace the dying batteries in the radio transmitter and give the result of our observations to American scientists," he said.

The Soviet official said it was possible the bear actually was native to the Soviet Union and homesickness had been the reason for her trek. "Maybe she was born in our territory and crossed the borders of two countries and continents to give life to her children in the place of her own birth," he said.

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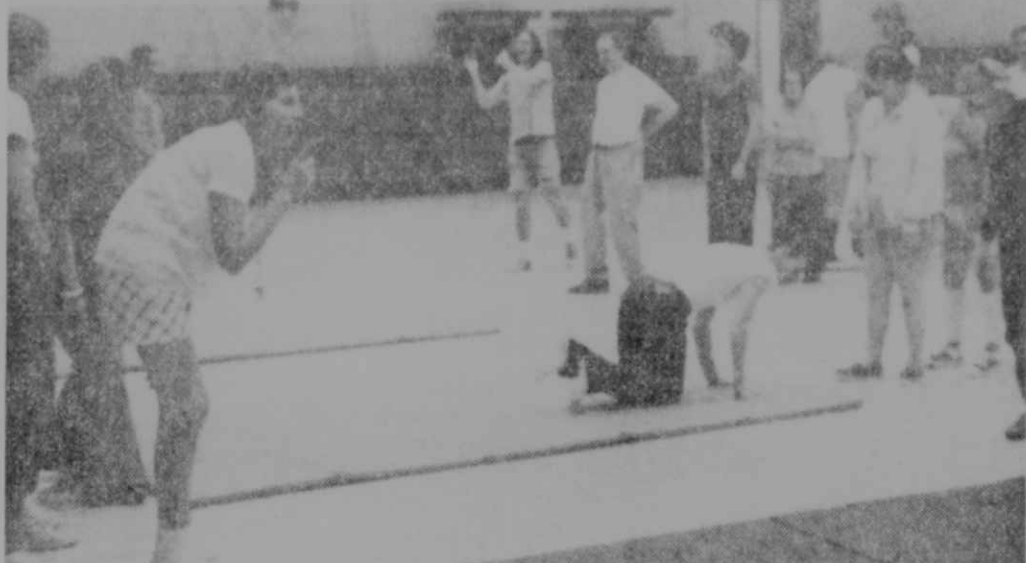
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Heaps of snow form a lower frame for a view from the Cove scenic overlook. Deep snow nearly obscured fences and made snow shoveling the pastime of the weekend throughout the east.

Recreation Provides Fun, Teaches Health To Handicapped



"BODY MECHANICS" IS FUN THERAPY — Dot Leuba, county Physical Education Instructor, cheers on "body mechanics" participants at the Garrett Community College gymnasium.

Recreation has become an integral part of the Appalachian Adult Activities Center of Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc., according to Ms. Jodie Bennett, center instructor.

Various activities in the program for the mentally, physically and emotionally handicapped participants include bowling at Par-Matt Lanes twice a month, roller skating at the Tri-Roller Rink once a month, field trips, movies, camping and daily physical activities.

Participants use the Garrett Community College gymnasium two hours each Friday for the development of basic motor skills. Mrs. Dot Leuba instructs the group in hand-eye-foot/eye coordination skills, in addition to all basic

physical skills. Ms. Katy Hamilton, county physical therapist from the Garrett County Health Department, provides physical therapy for a number of participants.

Individualized therapy exercises, group sports and table games are also favorites among the participants.

The participants also work towards competing in the annual Special Olympics for the handicapped on both a local and state level. Some of the Olympic activities include volleyball, the 50-yard dash, softball throw and the broad jump.

"The skills of each participant have developed over the past year," Ms. Bennett said. "Each participant competes to his or her capacity and there is competition between individ-

uals."

A three-day camping trip last summer at Camp Galilee near Terra Alta was so successful, according to Ms. Bennett, that it will be expanded to a week-long session at the same facility this year. The participants are responsible for planning and carrying out each aspect of camp life and are supervised in these activities.

The center presently is providing services to 36 participants and does have openings for several more persons, Ms. Bennett said. Interested persons should contact David Kowitz, director, at the Appalachian Adult Activity Center on Liberty Street in Oakland.

Ms. Bennett also stated that a representative from the center will, upon request, pro-

vide a short presentation to any service group or organization interested in learning more about the center's programs.

Mostly Assault And Battery Cases Heard

Assault and assault and battery cases accounted for most of the cases in District Court Monday. Judge Lewis R. Jones levied heavy fines on two.

John Burzenski, Star Route, Frostburg, pleaded not guilty of assault on Leonard L. Eichorn on Lower Germany road on January 4. He was found guilty and fined \$100 and costs. A 30-day jail sentence was suspended and he was placed on probation for one year under supervision.

Roger Lee Savage, Star Route 1, Oakland, pleaded not guilty of assault and battery on Elmer Niner at Oakland, December 24. Savage was found guilty and fined \$100 and costs. In a counter case, Elmer Niner, RD 5, Oakland, pleaded not guilty of assault and battery on Roger Savage, and this plea was sustained.

David R. Kisner, Bradley Manor, Oakland, had been charged with assault and battery on Randy Thomas at Crellin this month. The case was dismissed as the witness failed to appear.

In a charge and counter charge two from Bradley Manor had a charge of assault and battery against the other. Ramona Shahan and Alice Cosner did not wish to testify against each other and the cases were dismissed. The alleged incident occurred December 27.

Three cases of false pretense, passing worthless checks, were dismissed as restitution had been made. Those who had been charged were: Patricia Tusing, RD 1, Oakland; Steven W. Bradley, Westport, and Hayward P. Beitzel, Cumberland.

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WISHING FOR A CALCULATOR — Ms. Jodie Bennett, center instructor, tallies up the results of a bowling excursion.

ACCIDENT

Municipal Registration Set
Registration for qualified persons who are not now registered to vote in the Accident Municipal Elections will be held at the Accident Fire Hall Saturday, January 28. Registration books will be open from 2 until 4 p.m.

Town Election Set
A town election will be held at the Accident Fire Hall Tuesday, February 7, at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of nominating persons to replace two retiring councilmen, David Davis, and James Smith.

Personal Items
Mrs. John Bowman, Miss Anna Marie Bowman, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pope, Salisbury, Pa., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Oester and family, Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Frazee returned home Saturday after attending the funeral Thursday, January 19, of their brother-in-law, James Elmo, Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Frazee spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Nora (Georg) Elmo.

Mrs. Mary Zinkan and Raymond Georg were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Georg.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haenfl-

ing, Fort Wayne, Ind., spent a week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haenfling.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander received word Sunday afternoon that their brother-in-law, W. E. Rabenhorsp, Vero Beach, Florida, had passed away. His wife is the former Rose Frickey.

Marvin Glass, Greenbelt, was a Saturday, Sunday and Monday dinner guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Ernest Glass. Sunday afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Georg and Raymond Georg were Sunday evening visitors of Mrs. Mary Zinkan.

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Heifers: Standard, 28.00 to 32.00.
Cows: Commercial, 31.00 to 34.00; Utility, 30.00 to 30.50; Canner & Cutter, 28.00 to 29.00.
Eggs: Large, 42 to 55; Medium, 30 to 35 cents per doz.

Illegal Hunting Draws Fines

One man paid small fines for two hunting violations as noted on the docket of District Court for the week ending January 24.

Charles Wade Mason, Jr., RD 2, Oakland, pleaded not guilty of hunting wild mammal (deer) and discharging a weapon within the safety zone (150 yards) of an occupied dwelling and failing to fill out and attach a game field tag to a deer before removing the carcass from the place of killing. Judge Lewis R. Jones found him guilty of both charges and fined him \$25 and costs on each.

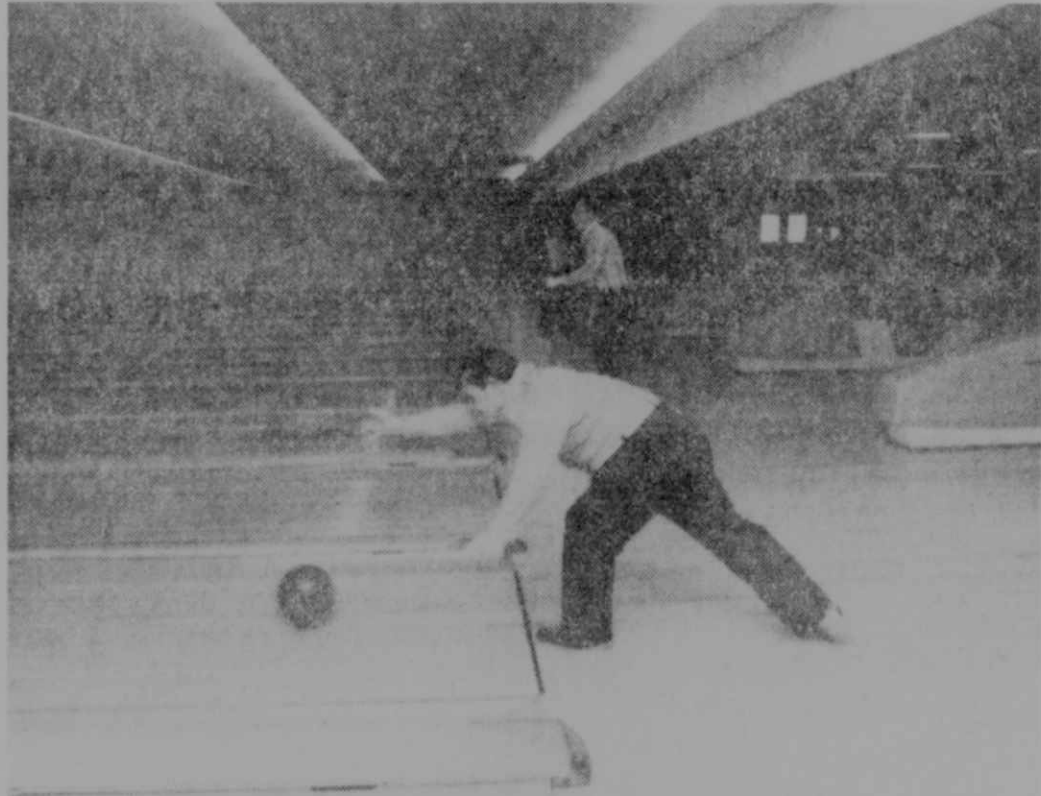
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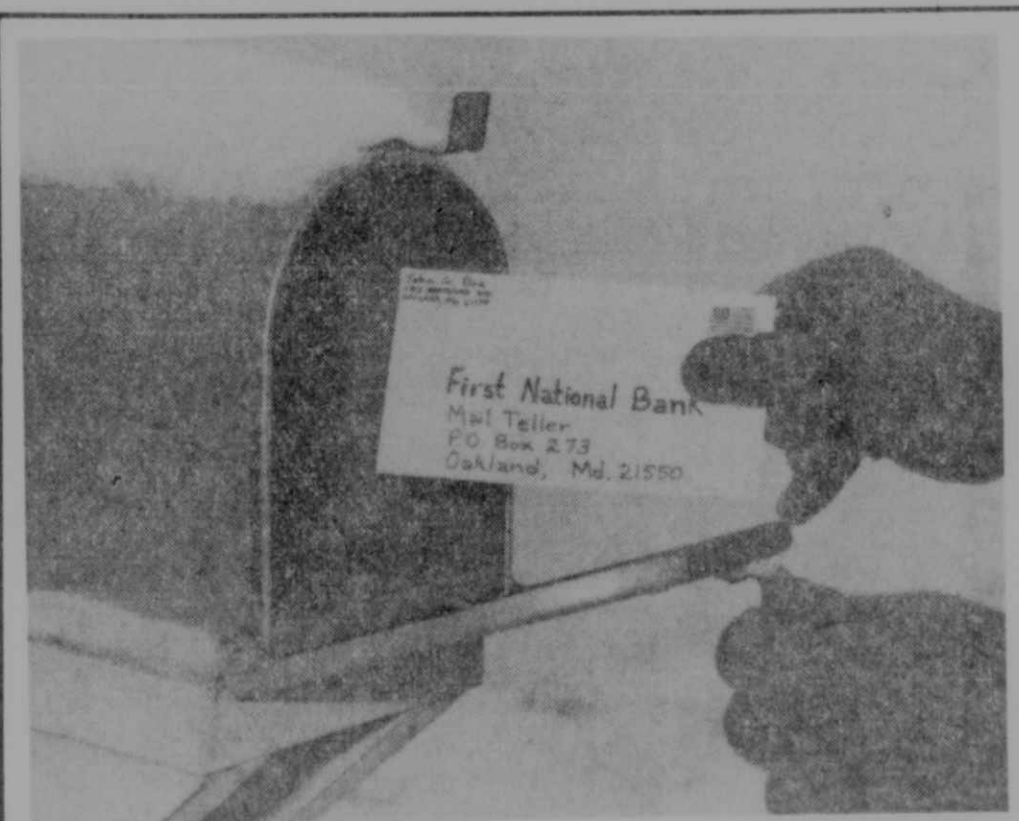
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BOWLING FOR DOLLARS, HERE WE COME! — Adult activities center participant, Bill Falkner, fires a potential strike during a bi-monthly meeting at Par-Matt Lanes.



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Service Schedule For Area Churches

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Fourth and Oak Sts., Oakland. George D. Porter, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m. Nursery Provided.

Church of the Nazarene, 8th and Alder Sts., Oakland. Rev. Ellsworth McCracken, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Junior Meeting, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic, Oakland. Rev. Martin E. Feild, Pastor. Mass Saturday, 7 p.m.; also 5:15 p.m., Sunday. Sunday Masses, 8 and 10 a.m.; winter, summer, 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Confessions before Masses. Immaculate Conception, Kitzmiller, winter, Sunday, 12 noon, and summer, Saturday, 8 p.m. Confession before Mass.

St. Mark's Ev. Lutheran, Oakland. Rev. Richard A. Seaks, Pastor. Sunday Church School, 8:45 a.m.; The Service, at 10 a.m. (Church Nursery).

St. Matthew's Episcopal, Oakland. Rev. Manning Smith, Rector. Holy Communion Service, 8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sunday School, 10:30.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1022 John Drive, Oakland. Priesthood meeting, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sacrament meeting, 11 a.m.; Primary and APYW meetings, Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.

Pleasant View Baptist, Rev. I. M. Martin, phone 334-9630. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer meeting, Wed. 7:30 p.m.; Wed. Boys and Girls in Action, 7:30 p.m.; Thurs., Young People's meeting, 7 p.m.

Loch Lynn United Brethren, Rev. O. W. Hull, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, Each Sunday Evening, 7:30 p.m.; Teenarama, each Sunday, 8:30 p.m.; Prayer and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Md. Rev. Lgene Bonnell, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Communion, 10:00 a.m.; Church Service, 9:00 a.m.

Bloomington-Swanton United Methodist Church, Rev. Frank Johnson, North Glade, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 10 a.m.; Mt. Zion, Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 9 a.m., followed by Sunday School; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 5:30 p.m.; Swanton, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 11 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Chestnut Grove, Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 9:30 a.m., followed by Sunday School; Bloomington, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd and 5th Sundays, 11 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Ray Beahm, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m. Sun.; Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Family Night and Youth Service.

Kitzmiller Presbyterian Church, Rev. H. Earl Baker, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. every Sunday; Worship Service, 11:30 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.

Crellin U.B. Church, Rev. Charles Teets, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m., 1st and 3rd Sundays; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Rocky Dream Assembly of God, Bayard School Road. Rev. Robert Mayfield, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night, Church, 7:30 p.m.; Thursday night, Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ (Meeting in the Mt. Lake Park Town Hall). John R. James, Evangelist. Bible School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Friendsville Assembly of God, Rev. Iris V. Friend, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

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Otterbein United Methodist, Swanton. Rev. Frank Johnson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Prayer Meeting, Youth Fellowship Meeting, Boy & Girl Fellowship, all on Tuesday evening from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Paradise United Methodist, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Worship Service, 9:45 a.m.; Church School, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 2nd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 2nd and 3rd Sunday, 7 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran, Red House. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Service, 11 a.m. Rev. Bernard W. Carl, Pastor.

Bittinger Lutheran Parish, The Rev. James S. Mitchell, Pastor. St. John's, Meadow Mountain, Worship, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Emmanuel, Bittinger, Worship, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Zion, Jennings, Worship, 11:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m. Holy Communion in each Church, 1st Sunday of each month.

Christ Lutheran Church, Grantsville, Md. David E. Fetter, Pastor. Service at 11:00.

Zion Lutheran Church (LCMS), U.S. 219, Accident. Pastor, Fred Illick. Sunday Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran, (Missouri Synod), Cove. Rev. Fred Illick, Pastor. Service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.

Faith Presbyterian Church, Oakland. John A. Ledden, Pastor. Sunday Bible School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Mid-week Services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Bear Creek Church of the Brethren, Accident. Rev. William C. Shimer, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Jennings Church of God, Rev. George Plants, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a.m.; Preaching at 7 p.m.; Y.P.E. every Thursday evening at 7 p.m.

Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Pastor, Mrs. Evelyn M. Bowman. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. Minnie Bittinger, Supt.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville, Philip J. Geochan, Pastor. Sunday Worship Service, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

Mt. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 1005 Broad Ford Rd., John Schrimshire, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Service, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Women's Missionary Circle, 2nd Tues., 7 p.m.; Evangelistic Center of Garrett County.

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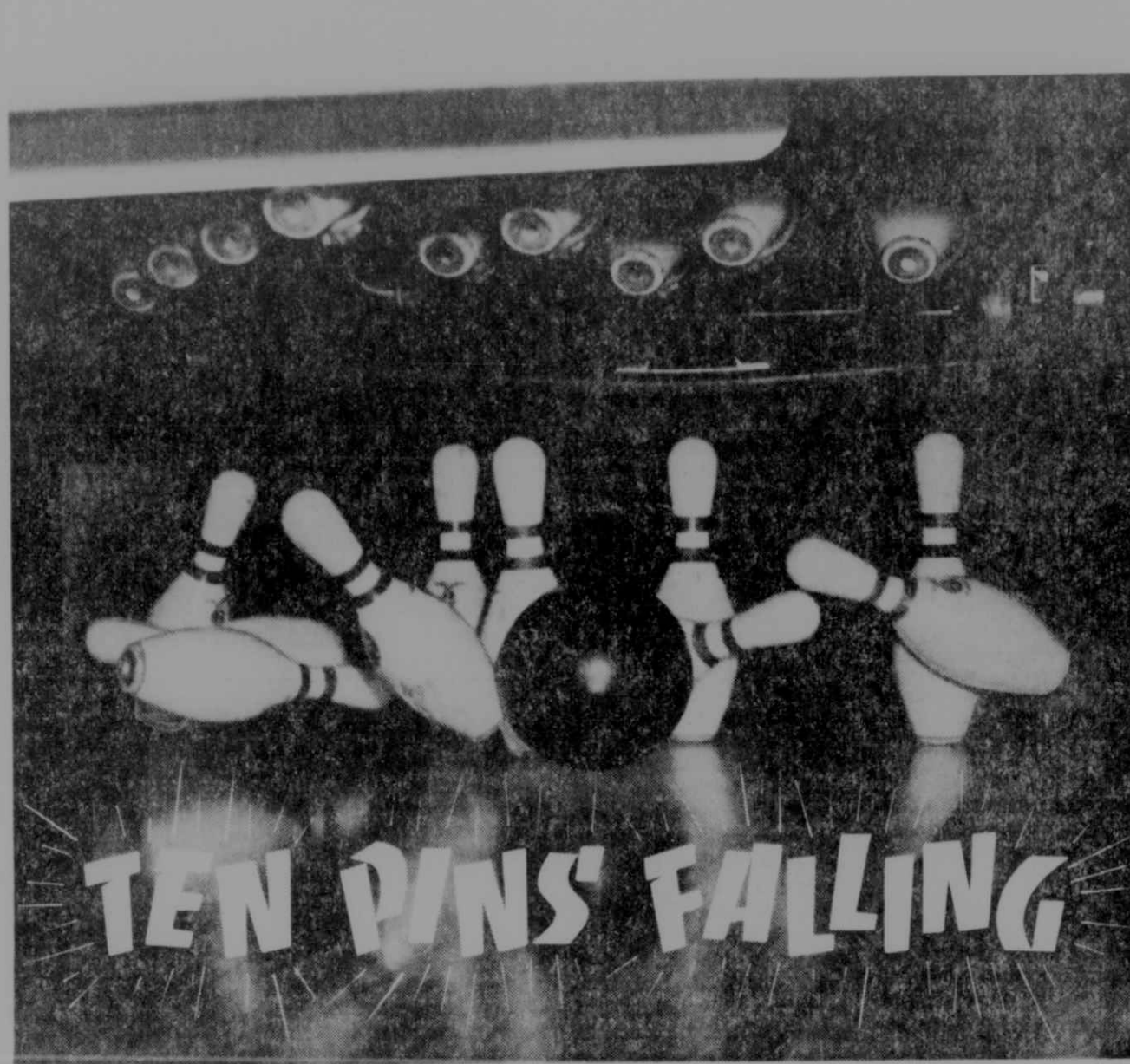
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Deborah Martin December Bride Of Timothy Dye

Wedding vows were exchanged December 29 by Miss Deborah Susan Martin and Timothy Rick Dye.

The double ring ceremony was performed in St. Ambrose Catholic Church, Cresaptown, by Rev. Francis Roscetti. Mrs. Carolyn Barron, organist, accompanied Miss Debra DeVore, vocalist, cousin of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Martin, 14 Roger Way, Coverwood, LaVale, former residents of Country Club Road, Oakland, are the parents of the bride. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin E. Dye, Braddock Road, LaVale.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a gown of soft polyester jersey. The empire bodice was designed with cameo neckline and embroidered English netting. Long slim sleeves had matching lace cuffs. Venice lace trimmed the hemline which swept to a chapel train. A finger-tip length illusion veil edged in matching lace with medallion repeats was affixed to a half-hat of lace and pearls. She carried a traditional bridal bouquet.

Her only jewelry was a diamond pearl necklace, a gift of the bridegroom.

Bridal attendants were Janet L. Shockey, Braddock Heights; Mary Sue McMahon, Washington; Beth Sterner, Altoona, Pa.; Kimberly Beckman and Diana Beckman, of Parma, Ohio, nieces of the bride, and Denise Dye, Midlothian, niece of the bridegroom.

Dennie Dye, Midlothian, was his brother's best man. Ushers were Robert W. Martin, Oakland, Va., brother of the bride; Rodger Dicks, Cumberland; Richard E. Knapfel, NSGA, Azores; Jeffrey W. Anderson, NSGA, Homestead Air Force Base.

Acolytes were Michael Hynes and Patrick Hynes, Wiley Ford, cousins of the bride.

A reception followed at the Cresaptown Eagles. Co-

hostesses were Mrs. Jewell Peer, Mrs. Deborah A. Dye, Mrs. Verna Hynes, Mrs. Charlotte Middlekamp, Mrs. Patricia DeVore, Mrs. Sheila Martin.

For travel to the Shenandoah Mountains in Virginia, the bride chose a teal blue pantsuit with cream-colored cowl neck sweater and matching accessories.

The bride is a graduate of Allegany High School and Allegany Community College with a degree in dental hygiene. She is employed by Dr. William T. Hughes, Hollidaysburg, Pa., and Dr. Edward Maruca, Altoona.

Also a graduate of Allegany High School, Mr. Dye is Second Class Petty Officer in the Navy. He attended Miami-Dade Community College and Capitol Radio Engineering Institute.

The couple resides at Coral Rock Park in Homestead.

A surprise bridal shower was given by Miss Janet Shockey and Miss Beth Ann Sterner.

A rehearsal party was given by the bridegroom's parents at their home.

Miss Scheermesser December 22 Bride Of David Friend

Wedding vows were exchanged by Miss Austine Lee Scheermesser and David Wayne Friend on December 22 at Potomac Highlands Baptist Church, Keyser.

Rev. James Hensley officiated at the double ring candlelight ceremony.

Mrs. Sandra Brake, Keyser, accompanied Mrs. Ronald Wilkes, soloist, cousin of the bride, Keyser.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin R. Scheermesser, 1430 Funderburg Street, Keyser. Miss Scheermesser is the great-granddaughter of Mrs. J. G. Howard, Bloomington, who is 102 years old and attended the wedding.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan B. Friend, Swanton.

Escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a sheer organza wedding gown featuring a Queen Anne neckline, shepherdess sleeves with wide ruffle edge cuffs. Her bodice and upper sleeves were enhanced with Raschel lace and tiny seed pearls.

Her raised waistline full skirt swept to a lace-edged chapel train. Matching lace cascaded down the back of her train and lace motifs were scattered over the skirt.

The French illusion full-length Mantilla was encircled with lace and was attached to a wedding ring headress.

The bride carried a white Bible with a bouquet consisting of white sweetheart roses, blue baby mums and baby's breath, and streamers of love-knots.

The bride's jewelry was a pearl necklace and earrings, a gift of the bridegroom.

Maid of honor at the wedding was Miss Deborah Rawlings, Keyser. The bridesmaids were Miss Sandra Schade, Keyser,

and Miss Debra Poland, Luke. The maid of honor wore a royal blue gown and the bridesmaids wore romance blue gowns. The bridesmaids' gowns featured small lace caplet sleeves and lace-trimmed Queen Anne necklines which were copied from the wedding gown.

Their hair braid picture hats were banded in matching colors with bow trim and long matching streamers at the back. The attendants carried long-stemmed white carnations with blue streamers.

Barbie Lee, Swanton, niece of the groom, was flower girl. Brian Howard, Short Gap, cousin of the bride, was ringbearer.

Craig Scheermesser, Keyser, brother of the bride, was best man. Richard Wildesen, Swanton, and William Kiser, Deer Park, were ushers.

A pink carnation corsage was presented to the bride's great-grandmother. Mothers of the bride and groom wore blue and white carnation corsages.

A reception followed in the church social hall.

Serving the four-tiered cake was Mrs. Edward Scheermesser, aunt of the bride. Attending the punch bowl was Mrs. Audrey Friend, sister-in-law of the groom. Mrs. Alvin Lee, sister of the groom, served coffee. Mrs. Jim Friend, sister-in-law of the groom, served sandwiches. Mrs. Jean Alkire, Luke, assisted at the reception.

Registering guests was Miss Kathy Lee, Swanton, niece of the groom. Guests attending were from Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Florida.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of Bruce High School. She was formerly employed at Kentucky Fried Chicken, Keyser.

E2 Friend, a 1975 graduate of Southern High School, is serving with the United States Army at Fort Myer, Virginia. He was formerly employed by Sharps Motor Company, Oakland.

The groom's parents entertained with a rehearsal dinner at Greens' Restaurant, West-ernport.

After a short wedding trip, the couple is residing at Alexandria, Virginia.

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Donna Tasker Weds Jackie Tusing November 25 At Swallow Falls



Miss Donna Marie Tasker became the bride of Jackie Tusing November 25 at the Pine Grove Church of the Brethren, Swallow Falls. The double ring, candlelight ceremony was performed by Rev. Donald Matthews.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Tasker, Oakland. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tusing, Swallow Falls.

Given in marriage and escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a light blue polyester gown with matching jacket trimmed in dark blue velvet. Her bouquet was an arrangement of large white mums, baby's breath and mums, tinted to match her gown, adorned with dark blue velvet streamers. A headpiece was made from blue tinted mums for her hair.

The groom chose a light blue suit, with dark blue shirt. Patty Friend, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, wearing a floor-length floral-patterned gown. She carried a bouquet tinted to match her gown.

David C. Friend, Deep Creek, brother-in-law of the bride, was best man. Ushers were James Tusing, Mt. Lake Park, and David Tusing, Swallow Falls, both brothers of the groom. The groom and groomsmen wore blue carnations.

White carnations were given to the fathers of the couple while the mothers received tinted corsages. The bride's mother chose a pink polyester dress with matching scarf, while the groom's mother wore a black and white striped pantsuit.

As part of the candlelight ceremony, three candles were placed in a candelabra. Two light blue candles were burning during the ceremony, with one white candle unlit. The blue candles, representing the individuality of the bride and groom, were extinguished as the couple completed their vows. They then lit the white candle to symbolize their joining together as one.

A buffet-style reception followed at the National Guard Armory. The cake was baked

by Mrs. Margaret Sanders and decorated in blue and white. Punch and other beverages were served. Taped music was provided by the family.

The bride is presently employed at Garrett Manufacturing, Deer Park. The groom is employed at A and A Construction, Oakland.

The couple is residing in Sunview Trailer Court, Rock Lodge Road, McHenry.

California Man, French Woman Issued License

A man from California and his partner from France were among the 13 issued a license to wed during the week ending January 24.

Of those issued, three were not to be published. Where a person is under 18 years old, parent's consent was given. Information is from records in the office of Richard L. Davis, clerk of the Circuit Court.

William Lance Hawkins, 58, Bridgeport, W. Va., and Eleanor Lorraine Blake, 40, Philippi, W. Va., Charles Robert Ray, 22, and Vicki Lynn Hovatter, 18, both of Morgantown, W. Va.

James Lynn St. Clair, 25, Fairchance, Pa., and Nancy Pearl Myers, 16, McClellandtown, Pa.

Terry Lynn McLean, 17, and Judy Ann Loudin, 16, both of French Creek, W. Va.

David Eugene Parsons, 20, and Teresa Lea Brown, 16, both of Mt. Lake Park.

Douglas Edward Mayle, 19, and Wanda Kay Ringer, 17, both of Terra Alta, W. Va.

James Alan DeWitt, 25, and Sharon Glenda Friend, 21, both of Oakland.

Terry Ray Kreger, 28, Somerset, Pa., and Lisa Annette Gribble, 18, Rockwood, Pa.

William Scott Jarrett, 32, and Rebecca Irene Mullenex, 22, both of Dryfork, W. Va., Charles Howard Sankey, II, 22, Santa Barbara, Calif., and Noelle Collombet, 24, Savoie, France.



AUXILIARY PRESENTS CHECK — Betty O'Brien, president of the Deer Park Community Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary, presented a check on behalf of that organization to Glen O'Brien, president of the fire company, for \$910.37 December 17 at the department's Christmas dinner at Bittering Fire Hall. The auxiliary had turned over \$3,845.30 to the fire department during 1977, earning the money by holding various dinners for Garrett County organizations, and through the annual Country Supper in August. Since the opening of the new fire hall on Route 135, the auxiliary has raised a total of \$8,110.25 to be used toward the fire company projects. One of the biggest projects will be the purchase of a new pumper in the near future.

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GLENDALE ROAD —

1246 — Three-bedroom cottage, living room, built-in kitchen, bath and shower, includes 30 foot access to lake and nice boat dock. Insulated and heated with hot air oil heat for year 'round living. \$35,000.00

GREEN GLADE —

1131 — Newly remodeled 4-bedroom home situated on 1 acre lot. Economically heated by a fuel oil fired hot water system + a "Sierra" stove. Sale includes appliances. \$31,350.00

THE RIDGE —

1198 — The most spectacular view from the huge wrap-around deck of this lovely 3-bedroom all cedar home. The 2-year old home is situated on 1.07 acres with full club privileges of the "Ridge." Ideal for year 'round. \$53,950.00

1214 — New 3 bedroom cedar ranch close to and with good views as well as access to lake. 2 full baths, wall to wall carpet and a 47' foot deck. A nice year 'round home with hot air oil fired heat ready to live in and enjoy. \$53,500.00

PARADISE POINT —

968 — 50-acre athletic camp on 400' useable lakefront. Has main lodge with dining room and kitchen (accommodations for 100) upstairs, sleeping rooms and baths, 2 fireplaces, one up and one down. Gymnasium with basketball court on maple floor. Stable for 8 horses and upstairs studio as well as corral. 3 dormitory cabins sleep 30. Athletic fields and wooded trails as well as shooting range. Owner financing \$25,000 down, \$1,575 per month for 20 yrs. Interest only first 2 years. Ideal for tennis camp or recreational area. Call for more details.

ROCK LODGE ROAD —

1152 — Wooded half acre site on hard road. Has 100' of lake front and is perked and approved for building. \$21,000.00

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1254 — Cedar contemporary on large lot with 120' of lakefront in exclusive section of Deep Creek. Features 2 bedrooms with dormitory sleeping on one. Rustic brick fireplace adds to the desirability of this choice lakefront retreat. \$87,500.00

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NORTH GLADE —

1261 — 195 acres + situated in the North Glade area of Deep Creek Lake adjacent to Sky Valley. Includes some lakefront suitable for power boats or canoes. There is also an excellent pondsite on the property. This property is ideal for R/V campground, recreational complex or subdivision. Call office for more details.

NORTH GLADE ROAD —

1133 — Half acre nicely wooded lot with electric to the property line. Building site already cleared. \$5,000.00

MEADOW MT. RUN RD. —

1155 — 3-bedroom cottage w/detached garage, wormy chestnut throughout and fireplace. Also additional wooded lot w/lake access. Could easily be made a year 'round home. \$32,000.00

PENN POINT —

1101 — Approximately 2 acres of wooded building site overlooking lake. In quiet, secluded setting with 20' extension to water. \$17,000.00

PERGIN FARMS —

1172 — 3-bedroom cottage with beautiful views and 175' of lakefront, living room w/fireplace and kitchen overlooking lake. Full bath and utility room. Further amenities include a covered porch and a large deck to enjoy the views. An 18' boat to enjoy the lake. \$65,000.00

822 — 4-acre+ wooded lot with deeded 30' access across road. Good approach to water in sailing area. \$9,000.00

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

1140 — Twelve level wooded home sites near lake on paved road. Can be purchased in total or separate. Call for details.

MARSH HILL ROAD —

765 — Wooded 1/2 acre lot with 100 feet on Deep Creek Lake close to ski area for year 'round use. \$30,000.00

RED RUN —

1228 — 3-bedroom condominium at water's edge with 2 full baths, modern kitchen, living room w/native stone fireplace, patio & porch. There is a 2 court tennis court and a heated pool to add to your enjoyment. This unit is nicely decorated. \$62,500.00

ROMAN NOSE SPA —

929 — 2 lots improved with foundation home ready for builders. Lots available from \$2,000.00 to \$4,400.00.

SHINGLE CAMP —

71128 — Lakefront lot improved with 3-bedroom ranch style redwood cottage. Large living room including brick fireplace. Good view and deep water for boating. \$38,000.00

STATE PARK ROAD —

935 — Half acre wooded lot situated in secluded area of State Park Road. The perfect spot for your vacation retreat. \$5,000.00

OLD 219 —

1226 — Two-bedroom lakefront townhouse apartments (complete with modern built-in kitchen, fireplace, carpeting and furniture of your choice). A lovely deck, close to the lake, adds to your enjoyment. Close to ski area and this condominium will make your enjoyment of our year 'round retreat completely carefree. While they last! \$44,900.00 and up.

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1239 — Three-quarter acre wooded lot located just minutes from ski area. Improved with 3-bedroom mobile home and septic system. Ideal for hunting, skiing, or vacation retreat. \$8,500.00

LAKE SHORE DRIVE —

1222 — Half acre + lot with 150' on water's edge, wooded and maintained in its natural state. Improved with 4-bedroom A-frame with large dormer overlooking lake. Large rustic living room w/fireplace. Features glass wall with view of lake, kitchen with built-ins, 1 1/2 baths, decks front and side, heat supplied by oil-fired forced air furnace. Additional building at rear of property, houses a game room, full bath & bunk room. \$87,500.00

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1215 — Well-built cedar Chalet situated on access lot with dock. Native stone fireplace adds to the rustic atmosphere of this fine vacation home. Completely furnished. \$67,500.00

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1174 — Rustic log cabin nicely situated on wooded lot. Beautiful native stone fireplace enhances desirability of this 4-bedroom retreat. \$32,500.00

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1189 — Situate near the beach, this A-Frame offers large living room w/fireplace, kitchen, one bedroom and loft, full bath, full basement w/garage. Completely furnished. Ideal location. \$43,000.00

874 — 1-acre landscaped lot close to beach and marina area improved with 3-level, 3-bedroom chalet suitable for 4-season recreation and relaxation. Native stone fireplace in both family room and living room. All this plus a wrap-around deck that affords a magnificent view of Deep Creek Lake. \$65,000.00

1004 — Well maintained 1/2 acre lot with lake and club privileges improved with new Lincoln Lodge beautifully decorated. Three bedrooms and full bath in upper level. Large living room with hanging fireplace, dining room/kitchen with self-cleaning range, disposal and frostfree refrigerator. Large deck off living room. Includes furniture except for living room. \$45,000.00

1089 — Very attractive 2-story chalet situated on 1/2 acre landscaped corner lot. This 3-bedroom and loft area, 1 1/2 bath home also includes all kitchen appliances plus a free standing fireplace to accent the living room. Top this off with a full basement that's ideal for a recreation room or boat storage. This price tag makes one's vacation dream home a reality! \$44,950.00

1217 — Brand new 2-bedroom rancher on beautifully wooded lot. Includes furnished kitchen, wall to wall carpeting and brick fireplace. \$31,950.00

931 — One of the large lots improved with 3-bedroom A-Frame. Modern kitchen and bath, large living room with fireplace. Thermopane doors opening onto 25' deck. Full basement with single car garage. \$36,500.00

1183 — 1/2-acre wooded lot improved with unusual stone and cedar chalet, consisting of 3 bedrooms, full bath, kitchen, living room featuring a massive stone fireplace, 2 large decks. Full basement with game room area and 2nd large stone fireplace. 100% carpeted. Total electric & fully insulated. \$64,500.00

COMMERCIAL - LAKE

ROUTE 219 —

434 — 65 acres with 600' lakefront (formerly Thayer's Barn).

1231 — Presently an operating Texaco service station and auto-truck repair garage, containing 2600 sq. ft. with 2 auto service bays and a large service area for trucks. This business is located at the intersection of Mayhew Inn Road and U.S. Rt. 219 and enjoys an excellent following. Tools and fixtures may be purchased. Call office for further details.

GLENDALE ROAD —

1240 — A tavern, presently operating profitably, including living quarters. A 25x34 serving area w/horseshoe bar, stools, tables & captain's chairs. Upstairs has a 4-bedroom apt. with living room, kitchen, full bath and family room. Many extras. Situated on 1.59 acres with 347' road frontage. Call office for details.

PARADISE POINT —

1169 — Very nice, well-kept 6-unit motel close to major activities at the lake. Located on a 1.02 acre lot and priced right. \$58,850.00

MCHENRY —

1170 — Excellent restaurant location on Rt. 219 close to Deep Creek Lake. Presently in operation and doing a very good business. \$69,500.00

OLD U.S. RT. 219 & SANG RUN RD. — Commercial corner 4-season traffic, 2.5 acres, 400' frontage on Old 219 and Sang Run Road. Also improved with 2-bedroom farm house. Newly remodeled A-frame ready to use. All within view of ski slopes. Call our office for details.

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

1139 — Nice operating bar business situated on 2.1 acres, 2-bedroom year 'round home included in sale in addition to several other outbuildings. \$75,000.00

SWANTON —

1211 — Well operated gas station/grocery store and 4-bedroom apt. located minutes from the largest development on Deep Creek Lake. This business has grown steadily over the years and continues to do so. Improvements include 2-story masonry bldg. in good condition with over 1800 sq. ft. of floor space. Sales includes refrigerators, freezers and inventory. Carryout beer license. Shown by appointment. Contact this office for further details.

RESIDENTIAL

OAKLAND — COUNTRY CLUB ACRES —

1207 — Nice medium sized rancher on gently sloping lot in Country Club Acres. Contains 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, modern kitchen, dining room with sliding glass doors opening onto redwood deck, den and one-car garage with automatic door. Fine views from this setting in a quality sub-division. \$45,000.00

1205 — Fabulous home situated in Country Club Acres. A 4-level brick dreamhouse which consists of the following: 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2 half baths, kitchen, family room, formal dining room, living room with foyer, music room, office, rec. room, shop, 2-car garage, golf cart garage, patio with planters front and covered patio in rear. Contact our office for more details.

1252 — Excellent building lot in city limits. Near schools and shopping. Very nice neighborhood. All utilities available. \$6,250.00

1060 — Older 2-story home converted into 3 apartment rental units. An excellent investment close to downtown. \$38,500.00

DENNETT ROAD —

1258 — A 3-bedroom brick rancher close to schools, hospital and downtown, yet situated on a full 1/2 acre lot. Features full basement, separate kitchen and dining areas plus a Ben Franklin fireplace in the living room. Electric ceiling heat. \$45,500.00

BETHLEHEM ROAD —

1260 — Nice 3-bedroom rancher situated on a partially wooded 1-acre lot. Contains full bath with double vanity, built-in kitchen, large paneled living room and pantry. Also an outside storage building with fruit cellar. A lovely brick barbecue for those special times with family and friends. \$32,900.00

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

988 — 1-bedroom bungalow suited for year 'round use. Additional 1/2 acre building lot included. Fuel oil heat. \$21,750.00

GORMANIA, W. VA. —

1244 — Older two-story home in excellent repair containing modern kitchen, oversized bath, living room, family room and three bedrooms. Wrap-around porch and half basement. Situated on convenient town lot. \$25,000.00

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GREEN GLADE ROAD —

1154 — A home in the country with a view of the lake. This brand new 3-bedroom redwood house features 2 native stone fireplaces, large marble bathroom situated on 1 acre part wooded and part cleared site. Fuel oil hot water heat. \$53,500.00

YOUGH, MT. LAKE —

1250 — 3-bedroom Lincoln Lodge located in one of the finer areas of the resort. Within walking distance of clubhouse, pool and tennis courts. Finish this one to your own taste. \$28,000.00

MOSSER ROAD —

1219 — Lovely stone home situated on 3 acres of land. Contains 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, den/family room, living room with stone fireplace, wall to wall deck, Modern kitchen with all modern appliances including island range, trash compactor, dishwasher, frostfree refrigerator and washer/dryer. Double car garage and full basement with second fireplace. \$69,500.00

BEAR CREEK AT THE KETTLE —

1249 — 3 acres, improved with 3-bedroom 2-story log home, 3 yrs. old. Modern kitchen & bath. Stone fireplace. Outside is complete with stone patio and fruit cellar. Fishing from front door. \$53,500.00

MT. LAKE PARK —

1192 — Three-bedroom ranch on town lot with utility kitchen in basement, gameroom and fireplace; kitchen, dining room, living room and full bath on first level. \$33,000.00

1254 — "D" Street — 5 1/2 bedrooms, 2 kitchens, 2 1/2 baths, living room, family room with native stone fireplace and built-in bar. This 2-level home offers the choice of 2 family living or comfort to a large family. City water & sewer, gas hot water heat and situate on a 75x200 lot. \$54,500.00

BROAD FORD LAKE AREA —

1125 — One to four-acre building sites near Broad Ford Recreational Lake. Perked and ready for building. \$6,000.00

1200 — 4-bedroom contemporary beautifully situated in the middle of 86 wooded acres fronting on Broad Ford Lake. Home features modern kitchen, 2 full baths, cut stone fireplace and lots of glass. 1/4 acre pond with beach adds to the desirability of this fine offering. Can be purchased with less acreage if desired. Call office for more details.

DEER PARK —

1248 — One hundred year old bungalow with kitchen, 2 1/2 x 25' living room, bath & shower, unfinished loft & fireplace. Owner has added a new redwood deck, roof, well & septic system. Old houses never die, they just sell. \$12,500.00

GRAVELLY RUN —

1165 — Exceptionally nice two-bedroom ranch home with corner fireplace, recently remodeled interior and two extra 100' lots fronting on Gravelly Run Rd. \$41,000.00

FRIENDSVILLE —

1160 — Large well-maintained 5-bedroom Victorian home situated minutes from Rt. 48. Features large country kitchen, dining room and living room with stone fireplace. \$47,500.00

934 — Lovely, historic old home located on 20 acres and fronting on the picturesque Bear Creek Road. The hundred year old home has been renovated and contains six bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, modern kitchen, 2 fireplaces and detached garage. \$57,900.00

MCHENRY

1107 — Lovely, well-kept 2-bedroom double wide on .61 acre landscaped lot featuring view of lake and minutes from ski area. Large, 1 1/2 story, 28x40 stone and aluminum siding garage is oil heated and has potential for shop area or additional living space. \$32,500.00

RT. 135, PAUGHVILLE —

422 — Rancher situate on a level wooded lot with 200' of road frontage. House contains 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, dining area/kitchen with built-ins, living room, carpeted. Full basement, large game room w/wet bar. Complete with 18 x 36' swimming pool and all equipment. \$38,500.00

SHALLMAR —

1255 — Older two-bedroom cottage situate on town lot. In need of repair, yet priced with that in mind. \$4,600.00

SWALLOW FALLS —

1186 — 63 acre of woodland improved with 3 bedroom modified A-frame with large kitchen, living room with native stone fireplace. Hardwood floors throughout. Total electric heat, excellent area for year 'round recreational use. \$34,900.00

U.S. RT. 219 NORTH —

1070 — A three-bedroom home situated on .63 acre with modern kitchen, dining area, full bath, living room, family room, full basement. Maintenance free aluminum siding and separate garage. \$53,500.00

1237 — 11th St. Beauty & convenience. A brick colonial style home located in an excellent location near shopping & schools. With a large back yard and beautiful landscaping, this home includes 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining area, 1 1/2 baths, utility room, full basement and 1-car garage. \$50,000.00

ROUTE 135 —

1225 — A three-bedroom home, 1 1/2 acres with huge trees. Full bath & fireplace, partial basement for game room & 4th bedroom potential. \$32,500.00

RT. 38 —

647 — A 10-acre country estate offering a redwood and stone home (especially designed for livability) with 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room, country kitchen, living room with lots of interior stonework and barn siding. \$120,000.00

AURORA —

1161 — Newly remodeled 4-bedroom home nicely situated on 3-acre tract with frontage on U.S. Rt. 50. Guest cottage and storage building are just a few of the extras featured with this property. Solid chestnut barn included in sale. \$55,000.00

FARMS & ACREAGE

BEAR CREEK —

973 — 7 1/2 acres wooded land close to trout fishing. \$6,000.00

BRAY SCHOOL ROAD —

1202 — 1/2 acre wooded lot close to the lake with frontage along a paved County road. Ideal for winter or summer use. Close to the lake but still secluded for privacy. \$5,500.00

1208 — 2+ wooded acres just minutes from Deep Creek Lake. \$6,000.00

DEER PARK AREA —

1253 — 42 acres partly cleared and private with access off Old Deer Park Road. \$500.00 an acre

GRAVELLY RUN ROAD —

1221 — 265 acres overlooking Deep Creek. 14 lots already subdivided, and ideal for small acreage ranchettes. Owner financing with 20% down. \$596.00 acre

TASKER'S CORNER —

1168 — 126 acres with house and barn approximately 40% in pine trees, balance in mixed hardwoods near State Forest. \$46,500.00

MEADOW MOUNTAIN —

1043 — Three 5+ acre building lots situated along Rt. 495 just a short distance from Deep Creek Lake State Park. Owner will finance. \$7,500.00 each.

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1140 — 140+ acres of rolling land 90% cleared, 10% wooded, good area for large pond. 2-story farm house and barn in good repair. \$140,000.00

BIG EDDY —

1162 — 4-acre building lot. Electric and telephone available. Exclusive access to 1000' of Yough River front. \$9,500.00

DRY RUN —

71224 — 50 acres of beautiful views adjoining State Forest, improved with farm house with new additions containing large fireplace, lots of room for family. Large barn with new siding and roof. Total electric. \$97,500.00

YOUGH, RIVER —

1209 — 300 acres of wooded and cleared land with frontage on river. \$600.00 per acre.

BACKBONE MT. —

945 — Over 7 acres of wooded land bordering on State Forest. Level hard road frontage. \$1,000/acre.

945 — Excellent building site containing 1.63 acre. Wooded and bordering on State Forest. \$3,000.00

864 — 8 1/2 acres adjoining State Forest with 200' road frontage. \$8,500.00

RED HOUSE —

1149 — 40 acres, more or less, with approximately 900' of frontage on Rt. 50. About 1/2 of this land has been cleared for farming, balance wooded and would be suitable for development. Call office for details.

SPRING LICK ROAD —

930 — 57+ acres bordering on Crabtree Creek and Potomac State Forest. Ideal wooded retreat near Savage River Dam. \$450.00 an acre.

WHITE ROCK —

1233 — Hunters - This one is for you! Beautiful cabin site on 1 acre, nicely wooded, electric and telephone available, fronting on County Road and situated in the heart of game country. Owner financing is available. \$2,550.00

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WALTER CRONKITE EDITS THE EVENING NEWS — A few key executives in the TV, movie, and publishing industries act as "gatekeepers" of popular culture, determining what will leave their "gates" and reach the public.

Editor's Note: This is the second in a series of 15 articles exploring "Popular Culture: Mirror of American Life." In this article, Herbert Gans, Professor of Sociology at Columbia University, discusses how our popular culture is influenced by both story-tellers and story-sellers, the mass media and business executives who largely control what we see and hear. This series was written for COURSES BY NEWSPAPER, a program developed by University Extension, University of California, San Diego, and funded by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

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STORY-TELLERS AND STORY-SELLERS: THE MAKERS OF POPULAR CULTURE

By Herbert J. Gans

Every society has its story-tellers, who look at life through imagination-colored glasses, to entertain, inform, question, and reassure their audience.

In the past they created folk tales, folk art, and folk music. Today, they write movie or television scripts and novels, create commercial art, and compose popular ballads and "rock," and their product is

called popular culture.

Together with the story-tellers, the businessmen and women for whom they work, they are the makers of popular culture.

Although names such as Paddy Chayevsky, Harold Robbins, and Norman Lear are well-known, most story-tellers are largely anonymous.

We know "the Fonz" but not the writers who created the character and put words in his mouth. Most story-tellers are white, middle-aged males, although some women are now breaking down the sex barriers. Most story-tellers are also well educated, and some do not personally care for the popular culture they create, but they are also professionals who aim to please the audience.

Then, too, popular culture is a group effort; an individual writer's work is frequently rewritten by others, including story-sellers, who make it conform to what they think the audience will buy. In doing this they are acting as so-called "gatekeepers." The television, movie, and publishing executives decide what enters and leaves the "gates" of their firms, along with the bankers and advertisers who provide some of the funds for marketing popular culture.

The most intriguing puzzle about the popular culture makers is what they do for and to the audience — how popular culture affects society. Scholars have not yet solved this puzzle; instead they have put forth two types of theories. One theory sees the popular culture makers as passive

agents who give the audience what it wants. The other theory views them as active shapers of the tastes of their audience.

Passive Theory

The "passive" theory holds that popular culture makers only spell out what is already in people's minds, so that popular culture is actually a mirror that reflects American society and its people. Not only their wants, but also their secret fears and wishes — for example, to be heroic, or bionic supermen and -women.

But an audience in the tens of millions is so varied in age, income, and education, and thus in its wants and wishes, that popular culture cannot possibly be a mirror for everyone.

Nor does it even try. Being a commercial product, popular culture is aimed at specific audiences. Many television programs are made for 18 to 49-year-old middle-class viewers, especially women, whom sponsors most want to reach; movies are generally intended for the 13 to 29 age group, since movie attendance drops off sharply in middle age.

The Twelve-Year-Old Mentality

Another "active" theory argues that the popular culture makers, being in business, will do anything to make a profit. They therefore appeal to the audience's basest motives — or what is called "the 12-year-old mentality" in television. The result is a popular culture that is shallow or emotionally harmful to people.

"Charlie's Angels" and even "Upstairs, Downstairs" may appear superficial to the exceedingly well-educated partisans of high culture, those cultural experts who believe that almost everything save Shakespeare, Bach, and Rembrandt is trash. Popular culture is not made for experts, however, and people who use it for diversion do not necessarily find it shallow.

The charge that popular culture harms people has been made for many years, but so far, researchers have only demonstrated that seeing movie or television violence makes boys — although not girls — act more aggressively for a short time afterwards. No one has yet been able to identify lasting harmful effects of popular culture.

Heavy doses of "Starsky and Hutch" and other television and movie violence may not be desirable, but there is no evidence that they cause today's high crime rates. To be sure, from time to time, individuals carry out violent acts that they have copied from the screen, but they are few and far between.

In any case, television or films did not create their urge

to commit violence. Rates of violence in America were much higher during the 19th Century, before television and movies had been invented, than they are now.

Therefore, popular culture makers do not try to create or alter tastes; instead, they appeal to already existing tastes. More often than not, they only add novel touches to old formulas, standard story plots, and familiar heroes and villains, some of which have been popular since the days of folk culture.

Indeed, story-tellers and -sellers proceed by guesswork, for while they know what the audience has liked previously, they cannot predict what it will like next. They are better described as nervous guessers about, rather than powerful manipulators of, the audience's taste. And well they might be nervous, for they may soon be out of work if they guess incorrectly.

My own theory is that the popular culture makers divert us because we want to be diverted, from our own as well as the country's problems, and they respond to the wants — and tastes — that allow them to stay in business.

In the process they may influence some tastes as well, and occasionally they guess so accurately that in some minds that popular culture does reflect widespread wishes or fears.

Most of the time, however, popular culture only supplies the laughs, thrills, and drama that help make life a little more pleasant. We have become so used to it that we can no longer do without it, but it does not often move us strongly or touch our deepest feelings. Which is just as well, for a popular culture with that kind of power could also divert us from our families, friends, jobs, and other responsibilities.

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NEXT WEEK: George Gerbner, Dean of the Annenberg School of Communications, University of Pennsylvania, discusses popular culture as big business.

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Community Forum

Is Rescheduled

The first in the series of community forums on Popular Culture: Mirror of American Life, scheduled for this Friday January 27, has been postponed until March 10.

The forum on Popular Music: Sounds of the People will be postponed until 7 p.m. on March 10, and the location will then be at Garrett Community College rather than the Community Room of the First National Bank, as previously announced.

The first forum will now be Hollywood: the Dream Factory, scheduled Friday, February 24, at 7 p.m. in the Garrett Community College Auditorium.

Announcement of the postponement was made by Dr. Charles Springman, instructor of the course at GCC and general chairman for the entire Courses by Newspaper and Forum project.

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FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

Meetings Postponed
Church services, many meetings, etc., had been cancelled during the past week due to weather conditions.

Registration Stated
Registration will be held Mon., Feb. 6, from 4-7 p.m. at the library for anyone who has not previously registered to vote in the town election on Tuesday, Feb. 14, at the library. To register, you must be a resident of Friendsville for six months, 18 years of age or older, and a resident of Maryland for one year.

Rotary News
Rotarians met Monday evening at the Hamburger House. Accident with C. B. Miller having the program. His guest speaker, Shaun Sanders, Oakland, district soil conservationist, spoke on Clean Waters and showed slides of various sources of stream pollution. There will be no meeting Monday evening, as local Rotarians will attend the Heart Association meeting and dinner at Hill Top Restaurant, Grantsville, on Wednesday evening, February 1. Rotarians from Oakland and Grantsville will also be attending.

Honored at Baby Shower
Members of the Blooming

Rose Methodist Church honored Mrs. Donald L. Friend with a baby shower Sunday afternoon at the church social room. The decorated baby cake was baked by Mrs. Nancy Samner. Attending were Mrs. William Burrow and Patsy, Landonburg, Pa.; Mrs. Nancy Friend, Markleysburg, Pa.; Mrs. Carol Sisler and Judy, Mrs. Janice Frazee, Mrs. Carol Frazee, Mrs. Rose Frazee, Mrs. Gladys Frantz, Mrs. Thelma Humberston, Mrs. Bernadine Bowser and Bobbie Jo, Mrs. Leota Friend and Cindy, Mrs. Linda Frazee and Robin, Mrs. Connie Burrow and Stephanie, Mrs. Doris Friend, the honoree and her children. Cake, jello, nuts and mints were served.

Personal Items
Chalmers Detrick was admitted to Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland, on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 17, and remains a patient there at this writing.

A Donald Frazee fell near his home on Tuesday, Jan. 17, and was admitted to Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland, where he remains a patient. Members of his family have visited with him.

Mrs. Earl (Naomi) Bowser was admitted to Garrett County Memorial Hospital, and had major surgery on Tuesday, Jan. 17. She remains there at this writing.

Mrs. Edward Metheny was a Tuesday luncheon guest of Mrs. James R. Spear.

Mrs. Rosie Brown returned to the Frazee home after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Teets and family, Gravel Hill area.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gribble, Lisa, Melinda Jo and Gary, Rockwood, Pa., were Saturday dinner guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Burrow, Blooming Rose. Mrs. Gary R. Friend,

here, was a Friday afternoon guest of her daughter and family, the Burrows.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Julia Skidmore were Mrs. Joyce Skidmore, Alan and Anita, McHenry; Denny Delaney, Frostburg; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones and David, Herrington Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. David Luscombe and daughters Danielle and Nina, Mrs. Robert Smith and daughter visited during the week with Mrs. Bessie Frantz.

Mrs. Manilla Friend, accompanied by her son, Jack, returned to her home here on Thursday after a month's visit with Jack and his wife at New Carrollton. Jack returned to his home in the afternoon. Mrs. J. E. Friend and Mrs. Ivan Humberston were visitors of Mrs. Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thomas, Green Gables, were Sunday afternoon visitors of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Rush.

Mrs. June Cupp was a Thursday dinner guest of Mrs. Thelma Frazee and family. Other visitors were Quay Evans, Asher Glade; Rick Bates, James Cover, and Rev. Richard Tepper.

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Two Killed On State Highways

Two persons lost their lives on Maryland Highways according to the weekly News Release compiled by 2nd Lt. M. I. Morgan of the Maryland State Police. Of the persons killed, one was a driver, one was a passenger and none were pedestrians.

Persons killed through January 22, 1978, total 25, one less than for the same period last year.



Faculty Forum

By Kristin Milne
Garrett County
Teachers' Association

America's teachers moved a giant step closer to winning a long-time top goal when President Carter formally announced during the January 19 State of the Union message that he will push for creation of the department of education by Congress.

NEA President John Ryor immediately lauded Carter's action and predicted that the department "can do more for American schools than any development in the last 100 years."

President Carter's exact words were: "We have brought together parts of 11 government agencies to create the new department of education — and now it is time to take another major step by creating a separate department of education." Ryor immediately pledged to the President that NEA will give him all the necessary support to facilitate

passage of legislation removing education from HEW and giving it cabinet status. Teachers are cautioned not to expect the new department over night; many observers feel it may take as long as two years for the legislation to be enacted.

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to send a special education message to Congress in mid-February, and many people think more details will be spelled out then.

The AFT was totally negative to cabinet status for education. The Associated Press quoted AFT spokesperson Eugenia Kemble: "We think it's a bad idea — the more cabinet secretaries there are the less each one really does mean." The Washington Post reported, "The AFT is dead set against it — at least in part because arch-rival NEA is for it."

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Miss Graham Is Named To Dean's List At Waynesburg

Cynthia Louise Graham, daughter of Tom and Dorothy Graham, Country Club Road, Oakland, was named to the dean's list at Waynesburg College, Waynesburg, Pa. for the fall semester.

Miss Graham, a freshman planning to major in psychology, attained a 3.4 grade point average. She is a 1977 graduate of Southern High School.

FRIEND'S STOCKYARD

Market report for January 23, 1978.

Slaughter Steers: good to choice, 39.00 to 44.00; medium to good, 34.00 to 39.00; common to medium, 30.00 to 33.50.

Slaughter Heifers: good to choice, 36.00 to 40.00; medium to good, 32.00 to 35.75; common to medium, 27.00 to 31.50.

Bulls: heavy, 31.00 to 38.75; light, 28.00 to 36.20.

Cows: commercial to good, 28.00 to 33.00; utility, 25.00 to 28.50; canners, 23.50 to 27.50.

Veals: good to choice, 60.00 to 75.00; medium to good, 45.00 to 58.00; common to medium, 30.00 to 42.00; cull veal, 30.00 & down.

Baby Calves, return to farm (90 to 120 lbs.), 36.00 to 52.00.

Hogs: top quality, 46.50 to 47.50; heavy, 45.00 to 47.00; light, 42.00 to 45.00.

Sows, 33.00 to 38.50.

Male Hogs, 22.75 to 31.00.

Lambs, 50.00 to 60.00.

Sheep, 12.50 to 18.00.

Eggs: large, 40 to 55; medium, 30 to 35; small, 22 cents per doz.

Two Given Heavy Fines This Week

Driving on an illegal license and fleeing or eluding a police officer drew heavy fines levied by Judge Lewis R. Jones in District Court during the week ending January 24.

David Charles Wilburn, Star Route, Grantsville, pleaded not guilty on three counts but was found guilty of all. On operating a motor vehicle while his license is revoked, suspended, he was fined \$200. For fleeing or eluding a police officer, he was fined \$100 and placed on probation for one year after a 30-day jail sentence was suspended. For exceeding the posted speed limit, he was fined \$50. Costs were levied in each charge.

Larry J. Hoffman, Huntingdon, Pa., pleaded guilty on three charges. For attempting to elude a police officer, he was fined \$150. For failing to reduce speed to avoid a collision, he was fined \$25, and for failing to obey a red traffic light, \$25. Costs were levied on each charge.

Several others stood trial on less serious charges.

Danny Edison Wilt, RD 2, Grantsville, pleaded not guilty of permitting an unauthorized person to operate a motor vehicle but was found guilty and fined \$30.

Edward Lee Hinkle, RD 1, Oakland, pleaded guilty of two charges. For failing to grant the right-of-way, he was fined \$20 and for driving a motor vehicle without an operator's license, \$30.

Gregory E. Bowers, Pittsburgh, pleaded guilty of displaying expired registration and was fined \$30.

Woodrow H. Tasker, Elk Garden, W. Va., pleaded guilty of driving without an operator's license and was fined \$15.

Arbutus L. Thomas, Elk Garden, W. Va., pleaded guilty of permitting an unauthorized person to drive a motor vehicle and was fined \$15.

Robert L. Ashby, Cumberland, pleaded not guilty of speeding greater than reasonable and prudent but was found guilty and fined \$15.

Two pleaded not guilty of exceeding the posted speed limit but were found guilty and fined: Vernon C. Friend, Pittsburgh Ave., Mt. Lake Park,

\$30, and Harold A. Bland, Old 219, McHenry, \$40.

Ronnie M. Welch, P. O. Box, Mt. Lake Park, pleaded not guilty of exceeding the posted speed limit. He was placed on probation before judgment and paid costs.

Byron D. Lee, Bridgewater, Va., pleaded not guilty of failing to reduce speed under wind and snow conditions and his plea was sustained.

All others forfeited collateral.

Exceeding the posted speed limit: Earl W. Robertson, Somerset, Pa., \$40; Herman A. Sines, RD 1, Grantsville, \$40; William J. Messick, Huntington, W. Va., \$40; Theodore W. Anderson, Jr., Richmond, Va., \$30; Michael S. Bauer, Owings Mills, \$40, and Lawrence R. Gumro, Uniontown, Pa., \$50.

Speeding greater than reasonable and prudent, \$20:

Michael L. White, Crellin, and Crystal S. Ahern, P. O. Box, Mt. Lake Park.

Speeding too great for existing conditions, \$20, William W. Hough, Jr., P. O. Box, McHenry.

Failing to reduce speed to avoid a collision, \$20, Dewayne E. Boyce, Shenandoah Avenue, Mt. Lake Park.

Driving a motor vehicle displaying expired tags, \$30,

Teddy R. Toothman, Barrackville, W. Va.

Operating a motor vehicle during a snow emergency without snow tires, \$30, James E. Ryan, Dover, Del.

Failing to obey a stop sign, \$30, George C. Rapp, Luther-ville.

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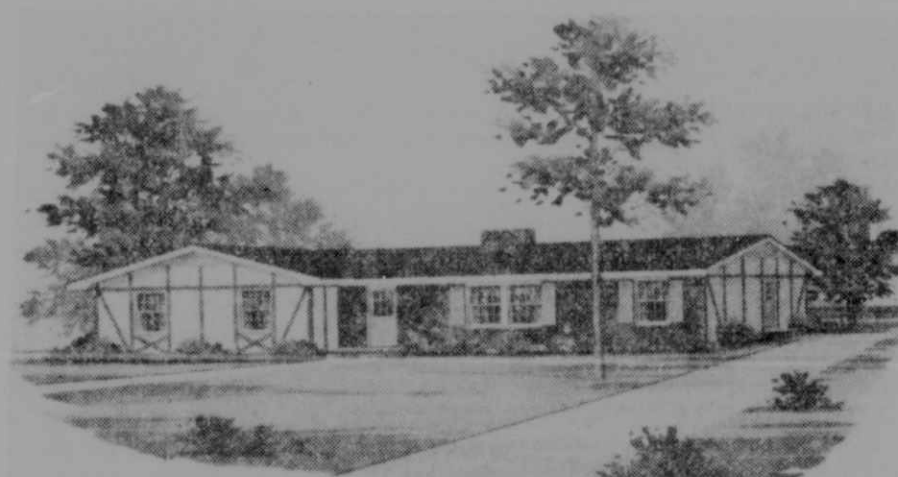
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McHenry — Masonry cottage featuring living room with fireplace, modern kitchen, spacious bedrooms, inc. large sleeping loft for 12, 2 baths, 91 ft. lake frontage. Located on Marsh Hill Road, 1 mile from Wisp Ski Area. \$54,000.

McHenry — (Commercial) 2-acre, corner lot with historic, 7-room building. Bath, large deck, ideal retail location with room for expansion. Set at the intersection of Old Rt. 219 and Wisp Ski Area. \$59,000.

2 Lots approximately 2 miles from McHenry in Lumpoco area. \$2,000 per acre.

2.14 Acre Lot on Mosser Road near Community College. \$10,000.

2 Lots Side by Side — Each .57 acre. In Springwood Acres Development. \$2,500 each.

Green Glade Area — Lots with access to Lake. \$4,000 to \$5,500.

Hazelhurst — Two bedroom winterized cottage with beautiful view of lake. Includes partial lakefront lot with dock. \$25,000.

Hazelhurst — Cedar chalet, 2 bedrooms, sleeping loft, cathedral ceiling, stone fireplace, full basement, beautiful view of lake from large sun deck. Deeded lake access nearby. Winterized. \$43,500.

Sky Valley — Lot 115' x 196' deep. \$6,000.

GRANTSVILLE AREA
Lower New Germany Rd. — 6-room brick veneered rancher with attached garage, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, total electric house, fully carpeted, situated on large lot \$39,250.

Grant St. — Large brick rancher has 3 bedrooms, tiled bath, large living with fireplace, kitchen & utility room. Has approximately 1500 sq. ft. of living space with oak floors & trim, plastered ceilings & walls. Gas hot water heat. Attached 2-car garage. Enclosed breezeway opens into large flagstone patio. Situated on a large landscaped corner lot. \$47,500.

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ACCIDENT

Bittinger Brethren Church Rd. — Located in Emerald Valley Estates. New construction, 6-room modular-rancher, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, full basement, radiant electric heat. Situated on 150' x 200' lot. \$39,400.

COMMERCIAL

Grantsville — 2.3 acre corner lot, 200' road frontage. Located at the Chestnut Ridge Interchange, U.S. Rt. 48. Adjacent to proposed site of Holiday Inn. Price on inquiry.

Grantsville — Service Station & Restaurant. Highly profitable operation. Large gas volume. Includes masonry building. Situated on 1 acre corner lot at the intersection of Rt. 40 & Rt. 219 North, just off Interstate 48. Owner financing available. Particulars on inquiry.

Keyser Ridge — 3-acre corner lot. Ideal location for motel, truck stop or service station. Fronting on U.S. Rt. 40, adjacent to U.S. 219 South and the U.S. 48/Keyser Ridge interchange. Price on inquiry.

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8.2 Vacant Acres on Rt. 40. Four miles east of Grantsville by New Germany Exit of Rt. 48. \$29,000.

140-Acre Tree Farm — Located on Beall School Rd. 2 separate dwellings. Price on inquiry.

Rt. 40 West of Grantsville — Near Pa. Line. 30 acres with large farm house, barn, silo, pond. \$59,500.

Rt. 40 Near Keyser Ridge — 8-room and bath frame dwelling on 5 acres. \$25,000.

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157 Acres Wooded — Located on the Oakland-Sang Run Rd. between the Power Plant & Sang Run. Approximately 1200' of road frontage. Property located on both sides of road & property is also located on both sides of the Youghiogheny River. \$600 per acre.

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PET POINTERS

by jim willis



Ear-mites, fleas and worms — pet owners and breeders cringe at the very mention of them. This week, we will be exploring the prevention and treatment of mites, and future columns on other animal parasites will follow.

Ear-mites are little "bugs",

almost microscopic in size, which affect the ear canals of several animals. These tiny parasites can cause irreparable harm if allowed to remain in your pet's ears.

Like so many medical quandaries, the prevention is easier than the cure. You

should check your pet's ears every week. A light collection of wax is normal and should be cleaned gently from the ear with a cotton swab moistened with baby oil.

The rule of thumb when cleaning an animal's ears is, "Never dig deeper than you can see." If there is a dark black, granular, or bloody substance in the ear, you should surmise that the animal has mites. Often times a foul smell will also be present.

The dark substance that is visible when you are treating the ears is not the mites themselves. Ear-mites are generally further down in the aural aperture and you are simply ridding the ear of wax, dirt, blood, dead mites and larval build-up.

In order to expurgate the mites themselves, it is necessary to use a commercial preparation such as Mi-Tox or Ear-Rite, available from your veterinarian or local pet center.

I personally use Mi-Tox, as Ear-Rite is a "mite" too strong and should be followed with a baby oil swabbing to remove the preparation. Never heed proponents of old-wives tales and home remedies which sometimes recommend kerosene treatments... this will without a doubt cause more damage to the ear membranes than the mites can manage on their own.

The reason these ear preparations are so effective is the fact that they are oil-based and will suffocate deeply rooted mites.

At this point, I'd like to point out that this column will never suggest that a veterinarian is unnecessary. I believe in the premise that a well informed pet owner is a more responsible pet owner. There is much you can do to prevent, or alleviate problems before they require the attention of a vet.

Your veterinarian is only as far away as your telephone, and if an ear-mite infested pet should dig at his ears excessively or if an ear infection or ineffective home treatment should occur, please consult your veterinarian.



Officers for the Oakland Assembly #8 of the Rainbow Girls were installed on January 14. Pictured, they are as follows: left to right, 1st row — Jennifer Plank, Faith, Lisa Dixon, Charity, Gale Bosley, W.A.; Beth Ashby, W.A.A.; Cindy Clark, Hope, 2nd row — Lisa Cosner, Religion; Rhonda Harvey, Patriotism; your veterinarian.

Joanne Deal, Fidelity; Carol Welch, Nature, 3rd row — Holly Foley, Service; Cathy Reckner, Love; Cindy Greenwood, C.O.; Chris Clark, Chaplain; and Barb Dixon, Drill Leader. Not pictured are Becky Iden, Immortality; and Debbie Dixon, Recorder/Treasurer.

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Committee Votes To Release Mine Revegetation Bond

The Land Reclamation Committee Meeting held last Wednesday in Westernport, resulted in a vote to release the re-vegetation bond on 35 acres of the Buffalo Coal Co., Inc. This action on their Savage River State Forest Permit No. 161, represents the final action

on the issue of strip mining on state land.

Actual earth disturbance there was started in June of 1969. Of the total 275 permitted to mine, 240 acres were actually strip mined. Removal of the sediment ponds and reclamation of the haulroads was accomplished in the Spring of 1976.

A 15-acre demonstration area was established in 1971 to develop specific standards for conservation practices which would guideline similar efforts in Western Maryland.

Approximately 192 of the 240 acres have since been returned to coniferous and hardwood trees for forestry purposes. This includes leaving two small ponds, planting 24,000 wildlife shrubs, and the all important wildlife openings, grasslands necessary for wildlife habitat.

A 1976 evaluation conducted by the Maryland Forest Service, found the tree count to be less than the required survival amount. This can be attributed

to highly competitive herbaceous growth, or a sub-standard tree planting operation.

The situation was remedied in 1977 at the expense of the Buffalo Coal Company, and advertisement of the Bureau of Mine's intention to release the re-vegetation bond was made in July of 1977.

An evaluation tour, attended by local citizenry was conducted in June, 1977 and the following October, the Committee vote was "to table the release of bond for a month in order to give another chance to review the area."

The Land Reclamation Committee released 100 acres from bond at their November meeting and then proceeded to release a remaining 35-acre area during the January 18 meeting.

It is the judgment of the Land Reclamation Committee and the Bureau of Mines, that the closely monitored reclamation effort will continue to be demonstrative of forest and wildlife habitat development.

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MT. NEBO — 95 acres adjacent to Mt. Nebo Game Refuge. Excellent for hunting or a retreat. Secluded with young timberland at high elevation. Priced at \$33,000 with \$10,000 down and balance payable in equal monthly installments of \$216.50 per month including 8% A.P.R.

ROUTE 495 —
12.45 acres woodland fronting Rt. 495. \$10,600.
14.07 acres woodland overlooking Jennings. \$9,200.
5.40 acres, view property. \$6,480.
4.79 level wooded acres. \$5,000.

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McHENRY —
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DURST ROAD — 7.25 wooded acres fronting on the Durst Road. Bordering State Forest. \$1,000/acre

ROCK LODGE ROAD — 21 acres of sloping woodland with view of Deep Creek Lake. Ideal for private retreat or development of one (1) acre parcels. Map and plat available at office or look for our sign 2.2 miles from Rt. 219. \$6,000 down, balance over ten (10) years in monthly installments of \$169.86, 8% A.P.R. \$20,000

THE GLADES-ROCK LODGE ROAD — 10+ level acres, 3/4 woodland, balance meadow. Perfect retreat site. \$10,500.
BROOKSIDE, W. VA. — 2 to 6 acre lots located off Route 50. Close to Cathedral State Park. Natural acid base forest with rhododendron. Perfect retreat site. \$1,200 per acre.

MT. STORM — 27.3 acres with large one acre pond stocked with fish. \$15,000.

MEADOW MOUNTAIN — Route 495. 4.4 acres of woodland. Perfect for a retreat site. \$3,960.

GRANTSVILLE — Beautiful one-acre level building lot. Perfect for retreat. Located off Amish Road. \$1,500.

BACKBONE MOUNTAIN — 20 acres right on mountain top near Allegheny Heights with spectacular view over Pleasant Valley. \$20,000.

SILVER LAKE — 317 acres woodland offered for first time at \$500 per acre for the entire parcel or will subdivide into smaller tracts. Details to qualified prospective purchasers.

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MAYNARDIER RIDGE ROAD — 18.64 gently sloping wooded acres. Perfect retreat site bordering Savage River State Forest. \$18,500.

BACKBONE MOUNTAIN — 9.8 acres of gently sloping woodland overlooking Pleasant Valley. Perfect for a retreat site. \$6,000.

MAYHEW INN ROAD — Level 1/2-acre wooded building lot. Approved for septic system. Lake access. Owner financing with 10% down, 60 monthly installments of \$123.18 at 8% interest. \$6,750.

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FARMS

ROCK LODGE ROAD — Large beef farm, 200 level acres with 2 Harvestore silos. Contact this office for details.

PLEASANT VALLEY — 100 acres with stream, house & old barn. Approximately 1/2 cropland & pasture with balance in valuable hardwoods and evergreens. A good value at \$73,500.

FAIRVIEW ROAD — 80 acres rolling pastures and woodland. All but surrounded by Savage River State Forest. offering privacy and excellent view over forest lands. Owner will finance with 20% down and balance over 15 years at 8% A.P.R. \$500 per acre

FAIRVIEW ROAD — 157 acres with old house, barn and outbuildings. Partially bordering Savage River State Forest. Owner will finance. \$350 per acre

ROCK LODGE ROAD — 90-acre dairy farm with house, barn, milkhouse, trailer, 2 Harvestore silos and garage. Contact this office for details.

RESIDENTIAL

DEER PARK — This historical three-story house is situated on 3.47 acres with fenced yard. House has 11 rooms, 7 bedrooms, 2 baths. Fireplace. Heated with oil forced hot air. Partial basement. \$50,000.

MT. LAKE PARK — 412 "1" St., 4 bedroom house. Situated on 3 town wooded lots. Large living room, dining room, kitchen, utility room, 2 baths, 1/4 basement. Priced right at \$25,500

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ROUTE 39 — Approximately 3.5 acres with house that needs work and outbuildings. Has trailer hook-up which produces rental income. Land lies level with a good stand of pines, two springs and area which could be made into a pond. \$18,000.

MAYNARDIER RIDGE ROAD — Beautifully located Redwood cottage, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, living dining area, fireplace. 17 1/2 wooded acres with stream. Partially bordering Savage River State Forest. \$66,000.

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DEEP CREEK LAKE

SHINGLE CAMP TERRACE — Wooded lakefront lot with 100' lake frontage. \$22,500.

LAKE SHORE DRIVE — Take one look and you'll be sold on this well maintained home. Large carpeted living room with fireplace, modern kitchen, dining room, bedroom, extra large sleeping loft and bath. New forced air furnace makes this the place for year 'round enjoyment. Dock and garage. \$47,000.

McHENRY — Two Lincoln Lodges. Perfect for a two-family investment or rental. Each lodge has a large living room/fireplace, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths. Completely furnished. Sale included 8x16 storage shed and snowmobile. Enjoy the most breath taking view of Deep Creek Lake and the surrounding mountains. Must see to appreciate. \$59,900.

McHENRY — Lakefront townhouses. Priced from \$44,900 - \$47,200. Two bedrooms, fireplace in living room, allowance for purchaser to add own choice for carpeting, furniture, wall coverings. Call for more details.

SKIPPERS POINT — Large secluded one acre lot fronting 117' feet on Lake with ancient two-story frame farm house with natural wood beam & panel interior. OWNER WILL FINANCE. \$39,000.

Desirable Lakefront Income Property

GLENDAL — Three completely furnished cottages with 100' lakefront makes this a good investment income producing property. Each cottage has a fireplace in living room, three bedrooms, kitchen and bath. Owner financing, reasonable terms. \$70,100.

BECKMAN'S PENINSULA — Lake access duplex cottage. Each unit is completely furnished. Two bedrooms, dining kitchen and living room. Brick fireplace. Dock. \$33,600.

MAYHEW INN ROAD — Level 1/2-acre wooded building lots, passed perk. Lake access included. Owner financing with 10% down, 60 monthly installments of \$100.37 at 8% APR. \$5,500.

GREEN GLADE — 1-story cottage with redwood siding. 3 bedrooms, kitchen, living room, bath and garage. Partially furnished. Dock included. \$20,300.

MOSSER ROAD — This three-bedroom total electric home offers a living room with rustic barnwood and native stone fireplace. The size of the kitchen makes it a pleasure to cook with lots of cabinets/dishwasher. The surrounding woodland calls for relaxing evenings on the patio. \$37,500.

NORTH GLADE — Wooded half-acre lakefront lot with 130' lake frontage. \$20,000.

SKIPPER'S POINT — Quality California redwood home situated on 100' lakefront lot offers four bedrooms, two baths, living room / fireplace, dining room, 2 kitchens and utility room. Fully insulated for year 'round enjoyment. Garage included. \$78,500.

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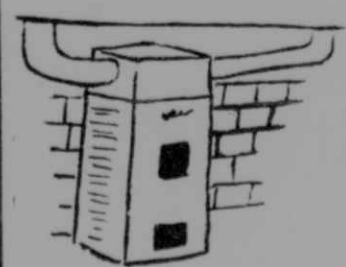
TURKEY NECK — Custom built redwood contemporary with wrap around deck. Situated on large lakefront lot with 180' waterfront. Floor plan includes tastefully furnished living room with fireplace, dining area, kitchen area, 6 bedrooms, 4 baths, utility room. Zoned heating system. Offered completely furnished plus dock and boat. For. \$150,000.

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Assessment Answers

By James Burley

When we bought our home, it was stated the ground was \$1,500 and could not be sold for more than \$1,500. On the reassessment in recent years, the ground is assessed for \$1,850. Does this seem right, as it could not be sold for more than \$1,500? Please explain this.

As you have stated that the ground cannot be sold for more than \$1,500, I must presume that your property is leasehold, meaning that there is a ground rent. If you owned the land as well as the dwelling, it would

be identified as fee simple rather than leasehold property and there would be no monetary limit on the amount for which the land could be sold.

By a provision in the original lease, owners of leasehold property pay all public charges, taxes, and special taxes. The fact that a property may be subject to a ground rent does not in any way affect the assessment because the courts have concluded that a ground rent is not a measure of value.

Actually, a ground rent means that the arbitrary value

of the ground is capitalized at 6%. In your case this means that you probably pay an annual ground rent of \$90.

The leasehold form of realty transaction offers two advantages. The first inures to the buyer of the home in that he need make the down payment on the cost of the home only and not the land. For example, if the home costs \$25,000 and the land \$1,500, the total, in fee, purchase price would be \$26,500; and a 15% down payment would be \$3,975. If the same property were leasehold, the down payment would be required only on the house cost which, in this case, would mean an initial saving in outlay to the buyer of \$1,725. To some this could mean the difference in the ability to buy the home or not.

The second advantage is that ground rent offered a sound form of investment at a fair rate, and the savings banks were especially attracted to them. This advantage has vanished because most investors can now earn more than the 6% on their money.

Despite the seeming unfairness, there is an important advantage to you. As the owner of the leasehold property you have the first option to buy the land. Most ground rents — and

all ground rents that have been created in recent years — are redeemable after 5 years, and the owner must sell the land to you at the original \$1,500 price despite the fact that the value of the land may have increased significantly in the meantime. After you have bought your land you can then, if you choose, sell your property including your land at whatever price the market will bring.

Some time ago, I purchased a disability insurance policy. I am now disabled and am receiving monthly disability benefits from this policy. Must I include these benefits in my gross income when applying for a Circuit Breaker Tax Credit.

Yes. The law clearly states that all income, regardless of the source, must be included as part of your gross income, whether or not it is taxable as defined by the Federal Government.

Questions or letters of general interest on assessments and the property tax should be addressed to "James Burley" in care of this newspaper.

Johns Hopkins University, School of Medicine is rated second among the 94 medical schools of the nation.

Tourism Calendar Lists 1978 Events

The 1978 Four Seasons Calendar of Events, published annually by the Maryland Department of Economic and Community Development's Office of Tourist Development, is now available to the public.

The twelve-month calendar brochure contains information on recreational activities and cultural events, with historic tours, seafood festivals and crafts fairs scheduled throughout the year. Each event is listed by date and described in brief, with an address and telephone number for further information.

In addition to the scheduled events are seasonal events, such as antiques shows and sales, professional sporting events, farmers markets, historic pageantry, water tours and cruises. There is a section listing hunting seasons and information about fishing tournaments.

Professional tour services and a list of contacts for events are included.

The 1978 Four Seasons Calendar of Events is offered to the public free of charge from Tourism, Annapolis, Maryland 21401.

Hypothermia Is Winter Hazard For The Aged

BETHESDA, MD. (UPI) — Accidental hypothermia is a winter hazard for the aged.

That is why the National Institute on Aging recommends keeping temperatures above 65 degrees Fahrenheit all the time in places occupied by persons 65 and over, and 70 and up for persons 75 and older.

Hypothermia is a drop in body temperature that can be fatal, particularly in older people, and particularly if they suffer from diseases of the veins or arteries or are taking certain drugs or if their body temperature regulating system is not working properly.

The institute says signs of hypothermia include:

Most hypothermia victims do not shiver. Their bodies are responding to the cold by not generating heat.

Most also seem unaware of the cold. Some experience dizziness when changing positions.

Other signs: Low blood pressure, slow or irregular heartbeat, slurred speech, drowsiness or slow breathing.

If you suspect hypothermia,

call a doctor at once. Chances of recovery are good, the institute said, if the body temperature does not drop below 90°

IRS Has Problem Solving Program

Internal Revenue Service now has special problem solvers to help people whose Federal tax troubles have not been resolved quickly, courteously, and satisfactorily by IRS.

Gerald G. Portney, IRS Director for Maryland and the District of Columbia, said the Problem Resolution Program (PRP) has been tried nationwide since last March. "PRP is an admission that, in a system as large and complex as tax administration, things can go wrong," he said, "it's also an attempt to provide immediate relief for the taxpayer caught in the error, as well as to identify and correct the malfunction which caused it."

PRP is reserved for those situations which have not been resolved through routine procedures, Portney said. These may include computer error, billing and payment misunderstandings, IRS failure to respond properly to calls and correspondence, incomplete answers to questions, or complaints of discourtesy within regular taxpayer service, collection, and audit channels. He emphasized that, "PRP can cut red tape, but it does not have the authority to overrule decisions reached during an appeals procedure."

The special problem solvers in Baltimore District include several functional coordinators and a program manager under the control of the Assistant District Director. Special signs announcing the program will soon be placed in all local IRS offices. Help is available through PRP by calling the taxpayer assistance number in the telephone directory, stopping by a local office, or by sending a letter which includes an explanation of the problem, prior contacts with IRS, and the taxpayer's telephone number. Send the letter to: Problem Resolution, Internal Revenue Service, P. O. Box 1553, Baltimore, Md. 21203.

The number to call in this area, toll-free, is 1-800-492-0460.

PUBLIC NOTICES

operator exemption for a surface coal mining operation located in Garrett County, Md. Election District #3 to the office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Washington, D.C. This application, if granted, would exempt the company from certain environmental protection provisions of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 until December 31, 1978.

Public comments on this request may be submitted to: Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation & Enforcement, Washington, D.C. 20240.

—Adv. 48-21.

STATE OF MARYLAND, NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF MILBURN W. MANN

This is to give notice that the undersigned, Robert James Stanton whose address is 415 E. Oak Street, Oakland, Md. has been appointed personal representative of the estate of William W. Mann who died on January 2, 1978 with a will.

All persons having any objection to such appointment or to the probate of the decedent's will shall file the same with the Register of Wills of Garrett County on or before July 12, 1978.

All persons having claims against the decedent must present their claims to the undersigned, or file the same with the said Register of Wills on or before July 12, 1978.

Any claim not so filed on or before such date shall be unenforceable thereafter.

Robert J. Stanton
Personal Representative
Joseph H. Welch
Register of Wills

Date of first publication
January 12, 1978
—Adv. 46-31.

STATE OF MARYLAND, NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF MARGARET J. HARVEY

This is to give notice that the undersigned, John W. Hill and Victor O. Harvey whose address is Box 90, Bloomington, Md. 21222 and Route 6, Box 137, Cumberland, Md. 21502 have been appointed personal representatives of the estate of Margaret J. Harvey who died on December 31, 1977 with a will.

All persons having any objection to such appointment or to the probate of the decedent's will shall file the same with the Register of Wills of Garrett County on or before July 12, 1978.

All persons having claims against the decedent must present their claims to the undersigned, or file the same with the said Register of Wills on or before July 12, 1978.

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John W. Hill
Victor O. Harvey
Personal Representatives
Joseph H. Welch
Register of Wills

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NOTICE OF OPENING

This is to notify all interested persons that an opening exists at the Garrett County Roads Department and applications for the position of laborer (Oakland Area only) will be received until February 6, 1978.

No applications received after this date will be used for the filling of the position.

Position: Laborer

Qualifications: Applicants shall have a high school education or its equivalent. Applicants should possess a valid driver's license for the State of Maryland. Applicants should show potential for promotion in order to perform satisfactorily in temporary assignments on higher skilled jobs.

Duties: The duties of this employee consist of performing a wide variety of simple tasks under the direct supervision of Crew Chief or Area Supervisor. Does general labor work, such as digging, shoveling, cutting, lifting, etc. Acts as helper to other more highly skilled workers and performs such tasks as are assigned him by his Crew Chief.

Fills in as temporary worker in a higher skilled position when called upon to do so on a temporary basis.

Applications may be made for more than one position.

Applications may be obtained at the Garrett County Roads Department Office and should be

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NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption In Accordance with Section 502 of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that Upperman Coal Company, Rt. 3, Box 251, Deer Park, Md. 21550, will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
L34 70 206	Garrett	Deer Park

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption In Accordance with Section 502 of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that G & S Coal Company, Inc., P. O. Box 185, Bloomington, Md. 21523, will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
137	Garrett	Swanton, Md.
313	Garrett	Swanton, Md.
219	Garrett	Swanton, Md.

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption In Accordance with Section 502 of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that Alexander Coal Co., P. O. Box 210, Bruceton Mills, W. Va. 26525 will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
L89-76-292	Garrett	Friendsville
L89-76-311	Garrett	Friendsville

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption In Accordance with Section 502 of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that Highland Mining Company, Inc., Star Route, Box 145, Grantsville, Md., will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
L60-74-239	Garrett	Biffting

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption In Accordance with Section 502 of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that Biffting Coal Company, Inc., Star Route, Box 145, Grantsville, Md., will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
L60-74-265	Garrett	Grantsville
L60-74-267	Garrett	Grantsville

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption In Accordance with Section 502 of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that Yough Tree Farm, P. O. Box 71, Oakland, Md. 21550, will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
75DP0923	Garrett	Oakland

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption In Accordance with Section 502 of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that H. L. Kennedy Coal Co., Box 96A, Swanton, Md. 21561, will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
O.P.A. No. 76-15	Garrett	Biffting, Md.

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

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GRANTSVILLE AREA — Attractive 2-bedroom home atop Negro Mt., on Route 40. Contains large living room & kitchen, full basement, also has 4 room attached apartment and hook-up facilities for two trailers. . . \$27,900.

NEAR SOUTHERN HIGH SCHOOL — New ranch style home with full basement. Contains 3 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, 1½ baths and attached garage. Located on ¾ acre on Sunrise Drive and scheduled for completion in several weeks. Inquire now. . . \$55,000.

BEAR CREEK — This delightful older home incorporates all the charm and character for one who enjoys the warmth of gracious living with a touch of history. Contains 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, 4 fireplaces, 2 car garage - all recently restored. Beautifully situated on 20 acres with many more amenities that are sure to please. Give us a call, the price will surprise you.

MITCHELL MANOR — New residence with split foyer and ten rooms that includes 4 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, family room and 2½ baths, all the work of skilled craftsmen. Situate on ½ acre with pleasant view of neighborhood and just beyond town limits. Inquire now, completion due in several weeks. . . \$65,000.

NEW SPACIOUS 2-story home of redwood construction located in excellent neighborhood near Dennett Road School. Contains five bedrooms, family room, 3½ baths, modern kitchen, double garage, dining room & lots of other extras to make this luxurious home a comfort and delight for any family. . . \$83,500.

NEAR SILVER LAKE — 1975 Bayview 14x65 deluxe 2-bedroom mobile home on block foundation with basement and situated on .80 acre . . . \$15,200.

MT. LAKE PARK — Apartment house with 6 units at 407 H St. Excellent investment for retired couple or live-in owner. Each unit has bath and kitchen. Some furnishings to go with sale . . . \$40,000.

DEER PARK — Modern 3-bedroom rancher with large living room, family room, modern kitchen, 2 baths and double garage. Situate on 1¼ acres with road frontage on Rt. 135 and east end of Pysell Cross Cut . . . \$35,000.

OAK PARK — Ranch home with 3 bedrooms, family room, gas/hot air heat. Corner lot in nice residential neighborhood . . . \$33,900.

GARRETT ROAD — Snug 3-bedroom stone and frame ranch style home only minutes from town. Property boasts 24x24 family room with fireplace and bar, modern kitchen, screened in porch and patio, and 2-car attached garage, all on ¼ acre lot . . . \$41,500.

MT. LAKE PARK — 1965 Fleetwood mobile home partly furnished on 75 x 120' lot at 500 G St. Well maintained and conveniently located. Partly furnished . . . \$13,900.

YOUGH RIVER — Comfortable 3-level home with modern conveniences on Yough River near Oakland; 3 bedrooms, modern kitchen, dining room, living room with fireplace. Situate on an acre and priced at . . . \$34,000.

GRANTSVILLE AREA — 2-bedroom cottage borders state forest. Suitable for year 'round living . . . \$16,500.

HOYES RUN ROAD — 1973 12x65 Sheffield mobile home with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Located on acre lot with fruit trees, and a nice view. Only five minutes from lake and ski area. . . \$20,000.

FRIENDSVILLE — 2-story 4-bedroom home on 4 acres of ground. Heated with oil forced air, artesian well, 3 small outbuildings. Grape vines, raspberries and fruit trees . . . \$19,900.

BUSINESS

TAVERN — Dance floor, bar, kitchen and small apartment. This brick structure has full basement & is situated on an acre of ground. Could be made a first class restaurant . . . \$48,400.

TWO STORY BRICK commercial structure with over 4000 sq. ft. This corner property located on Liberty Street is one block from downtown Oakland, includes parking lot in rear on alley, and a large separate secondary frame building . . . \$50,000.

LOTS

ALTAVISTA — Nicely situated 1 acre lots 9.7 miles from Oakland on 135 . . . \$3,300 ea.

1.5 ACRE LOT New Germany Area, includes well and septic system plus 12x60 blockline for trailer. Adjoins state land . . . \$8,800.

"NEST LICK ACRES" — 3 miles from town, just off 219 adjoining the State Forest. Excellent building lots . . . Priced from \$3,300 - \$4,000.

TIMBER TRAILS — 2.73 acres ideally suited for a hunting cabin or recreation home . . . \$5,000.

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LOCH LYNN — Two building lots. Sewer and water. Excellent location . . . \$5,100 ea.

YOUGHIOGHENY MT. LAKE — We have lots and cottages in various sections and priced from \$1,690 to \$25,000. Be sure to see us for more information about this recreation area.

TOTTEN ADDITION — Six lots measuring 82½' x 264' each, and totaling 3 acres on Hamill Street in south end of town. #668 . . . \$8,400.

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Oakland, Md.

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Paul R. Shockey
Realtor Associate

FARMS AND ACREAGE

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HOYES RUN ROAD — 70 acres wooded with frontage on both sides of the road. Estimate of selective timber cutting \$6,000. Hoyes Run stream flows through entire length of the property . . . \$35,000.

OAKLAND-SANG RUN ROAD — 8.74 acres of ground with 150' of road frontage . . . \$7,000.

HOYES RUN ROAD — Wooded parcel of 10.13 acres with over 650 feet of road frontage and convenient to McHenry and U. S. Route 219. Owner will consider financing. Good residential building site . . . \$17,500.

WEST VIRGINIA — 5.25 acres over 1,000 feet of frontage, lightly wooded, stream and spring on property, 3/10 of a mile off U. S. 50. Owner will finance . . . \$4,900.

ROUTE 38 and PYSELL CROSS CUT ROAD — Approximately 48 acres, 2-bedroom farm house, barn and several outbuildings . . . \$64,500.

WE HAVE AN 18-ACRE tract located approx. 5 miles from the ski and lake area, featuring a beautiful view and water on the property. Reasonable financing available with low down payment. Total price is . . . \$750 per acre.

MEYERSDALE — 145 beautiful acres of gently rolling farmland with 7-room house, 80x40 barn and outbuildings, all in excellent condition, orchard & four springs. Farmed & neatly maintained by present owners for the past forty years. Includes separate summer house . . . \$130,000.

DEEP CREEK LAKE

SKY VALLEY — 3-level cedar chate, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 2 native stone fireplaces on 1.4 acres overlooking the lake, built for year 'round living . . . \$65,000.

PENN POINT — Modern lake home with guest cottage and other outbuildings. Contains 8 rooms including modern kitchen, 3 bedrooms, etc., also fireplace. Situate on .85 acre with nice view of Lake. #686 . . . \$58,000.

YOUGH MTN. CLUB — Cedar lodge 2 of a mile from main gate. Boasts 4 bedrooms, dining room, living room with fireplace, modern kitchen, and 1½ baths. Situate on 1 acre with 30x22 garage. #685 . . . \$55,000.

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By order of
Garrett County
Merit System Board
Robert Stemple,
chairman
—Adv. 47-31

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids in triplicate will be received until 2:00 P.M., Eastern Standard Time, Friday, February 10, 1978, at the office of the president, Garrett Community College, McHenry, Maryland, 21541, to consist of one building including site work at the McHenry site.

Plans and Specifications and Form of Proposal, etc., may be obtained on or after Tuesday, January 17, 1978, at the office of Jacob J. Gresh AIA, Architect, Star Rt. 1, Box 85, Oakland, Maryland 21550 or 6542 Darlington Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15217, and the Administrative Office, Garrett Community College, McHenry, Maryland 21541.

Qualified General Contractors proposing to bid may secure the loan of Plans and Specifications upon depositing fifty dollars (\$50.00) per set. All Plans, Specifications and Addenda must be returned in good condition within ten (10) days after the opening of bids to obtain refund. The full fifty dollars (\$50.00) deposit will be refunded only to contractors submitting a bid, and only on the first three (3) sets. Additional sets may be obtained from the architect for fifty dollars (\$50.00) each.

At such time as the Construction Contract is awarded, the successful contractor will be given for construction purposes five (5) complete sets of Plans and Specifications free of charge. If the General Contractor requires additional sets for his subcontractors, he may purchase them from the architect at printed cost.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid security in an amount of not less than five (5) percent of his bid in the form required by the Instructions to Bidders. The Board of Trustees reserved the right to waive any informality and/or to reject any or all bids.

NOTE: Bidders and their subcontractors will kindly note and observe the specification requirement which permits inclusion in bids of a substitute item of manufacture other than that specifically indicated by name in the related portion of the Specifications. Where such is accomplished, bidder shall indicate in his bid what sum he will deduct from his base bid for the inclusion of such item or items.

By Order of the
Dr. Jan W. Janssen
Secretary-Treasurer

Garrett Community College is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, age, national origin or physical handicap.

—Adv. 47-31

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Deep Creek Watershed Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on February 7, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. in the Planning Commission's meeting room, 123 Oak Street, Oakland, The Board will review applications for the following cases:

1. Docket VR-11, an application by Elizabeth B. Boz for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance which would allow her to subdivide her property into 2 one-acre lots which would be approximately 125 feet wide at the building setback limit. The property is located on State Park Road. (Zoned LR)

2. Docket VR-12, an application by Kathryn Pensinger, agent for Henry Otto, for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance which would allow a previously surveyed lot on the Otto property to be recorded and made usable with less than the required one-acre land area. The property is located on Mosser Road. (Zoned LR)

3. Docket VR-13, an application by the Garrett County - Deep Creek Lake Promotion Council for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance which would allow the construction of a 2 ft. permanent sign at the Information Center located on Route 219. (Zoned LR)

4. Docket SE-17, an application by Frank E. Wunderlich, Jr., for a Special Exception permit to allow the placement of a mobile home on his property located on Penn Point. (Zoned LR)

5. Docket SE-18, an application by Lakeway, Inc. for a Special Exception permit to allow the use of an automobile repair garage on their property located on Deep Creek Drive. (Zoned TC)

6. Docket SE-19, an application by Glen Haven, Inc. for a Special Exception permit to allow the construction of an addition to the Pizza Pub located on Route 219. (Zoned LR)

John E. Nelson
Zoning Administrator
—Adv. 48-21

PUBLIC NOTICES

DEBT NOTICE
I will not be responsible for any debts, other than those contracted by myself, as of Jan. 12, 1978.

Granville P. Halterman, Jr.
Oakland, Md.
—Adv. 46-31*

NOTICE TO BID

The Maryland Wildlife Administration is offering for sale standing mixed oak, cherry, and red maple sawtimber and pulpwood on approximately 13 acres of Compartment #4 of Mt. Nebo Wildlife Management Area. The standing timber is estimated to contain 40,515 board feet of sawtimber using the International 1/4 inch Rule, and 153 cords of pulpwood including tops. This timber is located 7 miles off the Oakland-Sang Run Road, north of the Oakland Country Club Golf Course.

Anyone interested in this timber may contact Edward Golden, Maryland Wildlife Administration, Mt. Nebo Management Area, Rt. 219-N, Oakland, Md. 21550 (telephone 334-4259).

Contract/Bid forms may be obtained by contacting the office of the Regional Wildlife Manager, department of Natural Resources, Highland Estates, Naves Crossroad, Cumberland, Md. 21502 (telephone 301-777-2134).

Bids will be received until noon, February 16, 1978, at the office of the Regional Manager. Operator must be a Registered Forest Products Operator for 1978 to submit a bid on this timber. Registration forms may be obtained at the Regional Service Center on Naves Crossroad.

A Performance Bond of \$500.00 must be posted by the Buyer at the time the Contract is accepted.

—Adv. 47-21

STATE OF MARYLAND
DEPARTMENT OF
NATURAL RESOURCES
ADMINISTRATION

Public Notice No.: MD-6504
Issue Date: January 27, 1978

Persons wishing to present information or comments about the tentative decisions listed below are invited to speak at the scheduled hearings or submit written comments. Adversely affected persons wishing to contest a tentative decision must request, on or before February 21, 1978 that contested issues be adjudicated at the hearing. Procedures for making such requests are set forth with this notice in the Maryland Register.

On January 27, 1978, and in COMAR 86.05.06. The applications, draft permits, and other information are on file and may be inspected, and arrangements made for copying. Requests for information, and any written requests for adjudication, may be addressed to: Water Resources Administration, Permits Division, State Office Building, 580 Taylor Avenue, Annapolis, Maryland 21401. Phone (301) 269-2260.

GARRETT COUNTY: A public hearing on the following tentative decisions will be held:
Wednesday, March 15, 1978
at 9:00 a.m.

Westernport City Council
Meeting Room
City Hall
Westernport, Maryland

Discharge Permit Renewal Application No.: 78-DP-9239 (NPDES No.: MD-065501; Basin No.: 02.10.05; Buffalo Coal Co., Inc., P.O. Box 282, Bayard, West Virginia, to discharge treated wastewater resulting from the mining of coal to Salt Block Run, southwest of Friendsville, Maryland. The receiving waters are classified as natural trout waters.

Discharge Permit Application No.: 78-DP-1520 (NPDES No.: MD-065501; Basin No.: 02.10.05; Inter-state Lumber Company, Inc., 601 Main Street, Kingswood, West Virginia, to discharge treated wastewater resulting from the mining of coal to Salt Block Run, southwest of Friendsville, Maryland. The receiving waters are classified as natural trout waters.

Discharge Permit Application No.: 78-DP-1529 (NPDES No.: MD-065501; Basin No.: 02.10.05; L. C. Coal Co., Inc., 601 E. Main Street, Kingswood, West Virginia, to discharge treated wastewater resulting from the mining of coal to Cherry Bottom Run, south of Crofton, Maryland. The receiving waters are classified as natural trout waters.

Discharge Permit Application No.: 78-DP-1531 (NPDES No.: MD-065501; Basin No.: 02.10.05; Inter-state Lumber Company, Inc., 601 E. Main Street, Kingswood, West Virginia, to discharge treated wastewater resulting from the mining of coal to Buffalo Run, southwest of Friendsville, Maryland. The receiving waters are classified as natural trout waters.

Tentative Decision: Issue permit for each of the above with the respective maximum, average, and minimum effluent limitations for each parameter: Total Suspended Solids: 45 mg/l, 30 mg/l, N/A; Alkalinity: N/A, 50 mg/l, 3.5 mg/l, N/A; pH: 6.0, N/A, 9.0. Other limitations include provisions for access, periodic self-monitoring, protection groundwater, and control of non-point source pollution. These limitations are necessary to meet standard treatment requirements and protect water quality.

John E. Nelson
Zoning Administrator
—Adv. 48-21

PUBLIC NOTICES

**STATE OF MARYLAND
DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION
STATE HIGHWAY
ADMINISTRATION
NOTICE TO
CONTRACTORS**

SEALED PROPOSALS for the following will be received by the State Highway Administration at its offices, 300 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201 until 12 Noon on the 7th day of February, 1978, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. PRE-QUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS NOT REQUIRED. ON FEDERAL AID PROJECTS, the Maryland State Highway Administration, in accordance with the Standard Department of Transportation Title VI Assurances, Item 2, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

**FEDERAL AID PROJECTS
GARRETT COUNTY - CONTRACT NO. G-418-501-677; FAP-DP-1011 (1)**

COST OF PLANS - FREE PROJECT CLASSIFICATION - D

Resurfacing, drainage and safety improvements to Md. 495 from Rock Lodge Road to North Glade Road, approximately 7.15 miles.

Minimum wage rates for the above project, which will be determined as required by law and are set forth in the Bid Proposal.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans, will be furnished by the Administration upon application and cash payment noted. NO REFUND FOR RETURN OF SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check, a Cashier's check, or a Treasurer's check drawn on a bank or bid bond payable to the State of Maryland, in the amount as set forth in the proposal form, as required by Transportation Article, Section 8-614, Annotated Code of Maryland. In addition, a Bid Letter from Surety must accompany the Proposal guaranteeing that Payment and Performance Bonds will be furnished if the Contractor is determined to be the successful bidder.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond to comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland respecting Contracts.

The Administration reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bernard M. Evans
State Highway Administrator
ORDER NO. E-4523
Date: January 10, 1978
—Adv. 47-21

NOTICE TO BID

The Maryland Forest Service is offering for sale standing timber on approximately 35 acres of Compartment #76 of Savage River State Forest. The timber is estimated to contain 113,869 board feet of sawtimber according to the International 1/4 inch Rule and 191 standard cords of hardwood pulpwood, more or less.

The timber is located 3 miles east of Bittinger, Md., along the east side of the Maynardier Ridge County road.

Anyone wishing to see this timber may meet at Buckel's store in Bittinger, Md., at 9:00 a.m. on February 6, 1978.

A performance bond of \$1,000 must be posted upon acceptance of this contract.

The operator must be a registered forest products operator for 1978 to bid on this timber.

Contract/Bid forms will be available at the timber showing or from the Office of the Regional Forester, Regional Service Center, Highland Estates, Naves Crossroads, Cumberland, Md. 21502. Phone No. 301-777-2134. Bids will be accepted until NOON on February 17, 1978.

—Adv. 48-21

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Loch Lynn Heights Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on January 12, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. in the Loch Lynn Heights Town Hall, Bonnie Boulevard. The Board will review applications for the following cases:

1. Docket VR-1, an application by Mrs. Samuel Bowman for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow the placement of a mobile home on her property which would extend to within four feet of her side property boundaries located on Dundee Street. (Zoned TR)

2. Docket VR-2, an application by Mr. Myrl Wilf for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow the placement of a mobile home on his property which would extend to within five feet of his side property boundaries located on East Second Street. (Zoned TR)

John E. Nelson
Zoning Administrator
—Adv. 49-31

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE
The County Commissioners will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, February 14th, at 10 a.m. in the County Commissioners Office to hear testimony concerning the allocation of \$24,672 received under the Intergovernmental Anti-Recession Act of 1977 to the Garrett County Roads Department. Interested citizens are invited to attend.

By Order of the Board,
W. Marshall Rickett
County Administrator
—Adv. 48-21

NOTICE

A vacancy will exist at the Proctor-Kildow Post No. 71, American Legion, located on Memorial Drive, for the position of club steward.

Applications may be obtained at the post home from 2 to 11 p.m. each day except Sunday. Interested applicants must return their completed applications including a resume of their background and experience on or before February 1, 1978 in order to be considered for the position.

Applicants to be considered must be over 21 years of age, and be in reasonably good health. They should possess a background in managerial experience, preferably in bar and restaurant management. A personal interview will be required. Any and/or all other particulars will be asked during the personal interview.

Dayton Alexander,
Post Commander
—Adv. 47-21

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FOR SALE — Purebred male German shepherd, black, \$25. Call 334-4685. —Adv. 48-21

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387-6061

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FOR SALE — "Stardust 4" Pop-Up. Sleeps eight, green interior, three burner stove, double tables, ice box, plenty of storage. Spare tire and hydraulic brakes included. \$2,500.00. Call 334-9260. —Adv. 48-31

FOR SALE — Firewood. Phone 334-8322. —Adv. 48-31

FOR SALE — Walnut China cabinet, \$225; matching table and chairs, \$175; will sell separately or together. Also, walnut end table with matching coffee table, \$55.00. Call 334-4947. —Adv. 48-41

FOR SALE — Two repossessed Electrolux sweepers, like new, 5-year warranty on motor. Substantial savings. Phone (304) 366-9340 for details. —Adv. 48-31

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73 Ford F-100, 4WD, Auto. Trans.
73 Chev. Impala, 4 Dr., Sedan, Auto., PS, PB, 5795.
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FOR SALE — Large home 4 miles west of Oakland, plenty of ground and lots of trees. House in excellent condition. Phone 334-3900 or 387-5528. — Adv. 36-131.

FOR SALE

LOTS
Near Deep Creek Lake
Phone (301) 826-8123
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FOR SALE — Real estate, near Garrett Community College — 4.67 acres with 200' frontage on Bumblebee Road, \$18,500. Also, Broad Ford Dam, three acres with 150' road frontage. Basement dug out with 24x36' footer ready to build on, \$9,500.00. Phone 387-5528. — Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — 86-acre farm, good house, modern dairy barn, two-story chicken house and other out buildings. 1 1/2 miles west of Red House on Rt. 56. Call 334-9782. — Adv. 48-131.

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WANTED — One-half or one acre undeveloped lot with view of Deep Creek Lake near McHenry. Lake access not desired. Phone (301) 267-8735. — Adv. 48-31.

WANTED — Good used 300 gallon bulk milk tank. Phone 334-4061. — Adv. 48-31.

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WANTED — Bartender. Phone 387-5581. — Adv. 47-21.

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Applicants should have the following qualifications:
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2. Must have experience in pre-school setting.
3. Desire to continue education.

Application deadline
Feb. 3, 1978

For information contact:
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104 East Center Street
Oakland, Md. 21550
(301) 334-8152

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HELP WANTED — Supervisor of VISTA volunteers, responsible for supervision, training and related administrative duties. Requires supervisors and volunteer experience. VISTA experienced preferred. Salary plus full fringe benefits. Apply by Jan. 30th to Garrett Community Action Committee, 334-9431. — Adv. 47-21.

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Grantsville, Md. 21536

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WANTED — Small farm. Contact Delbert Cooper, 2308 Essex Street, Baltimore, Md. 21224. — Adv. 43-131.

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•Bookkeeper
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WANTED — Housekeeper for farm home. Would consider married couple. Write Joe Holtschneider, Rt. 1, Oakland, Md. — Adv. 43-131.

HELP WANTED — Experienced bookkeeper-secretary. Some typing desirable. Oakland professional office. Inexperienced need not apply. Send resume to "Box D," c/o The Republican, Oakland, Md. 21550. — Adv. 46-31.

FOR RENT — House on Meadow Mountain Road and trailer at Little Brown Lake. Phone 301-689-6771. — Adv. 47-31.

FOR RENT — 7-room farm house 1/2 mile from Accident. Phone 826-8410 or 304-292-8034. — Adv. 47-131.

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FOR RENT — Trailer spaces in Sunview Mobile Court. Phone 387-5617. — Adv. 40-131.

FOR RENT — 3-BR house in Mt. Lake Park, like new, total electric, in good location, \$175.00 with good references and security deposit. Phone 387-6815. — Adv. 47-21.

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Last winter many of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company terminals, or pedestals, connected to cables buried under the ground, were accidentally destroyed by snow plows. Usually

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The project of placing the flags has been a cooperative effort between the C&P Telephone Co. and the Garrett County Roads Department. Pictured above, installing the flags, are: left to right, Gerald C. Crabtree, Foreman of Construction, C&P Telephone; George Welling, Lineman, C&P Telephone; and Herb McBride, Garrett County Roads Superintendent.

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the bookshelf
BY JIM WILLIS

Thomas Tryon's novel *Crowned Heads* is a collection of four dramatic character studies. The characters, although uniquely different, are related in the mesh of their Hollywood careers.

"Fedora" is the exotic, long reigning queen of the cinema. She possesses all of the elusiveness of Garbo and baffles her audiences with eternal youth throughout her career. She disappears and reappears in the company of an enigmatic doctor and mysterious Polish royalty. Her saga ends with a surprising twist that will leave you anxious for more.

"Lorna Doone" follows with all of Lana Turner's appeal and the naivete' of an errant child. Lorna, plagued by debts, law suits, investigations and a score of lovers flees the "Dream City," taking refuge in a quiet Mexican seaside resort.

Unfortunately, Lorna has carried her emotional problems and mental aberrations with her, causing a string of unpleasant incidents leading to tragedy.

Everyone wonders what happens to the child stars of yesterday. "Bobbit" is a male, Shirley Temple-type who brings the fairy world of a child's fame and fortune into his grown-up years. Bobbit wanders across two continents distributing pain and joy simultaneously. This descriptive piece, the best of the four, exchanges paths for quasi-happy ending.

"Willie" Marsh is next. This charming, subdued, aging actor has been taken at face value for half a century. It's a pity that only a pseudo Charles Manson and friends are able to get at the real truth about Willie.

The author, Thomas Tryon, is truly a renaissance man, moving from actor to playwright and now to best-selling author, with apparent ease. *Crowned Heads* is enjoyable reading and always believable. Other Hollywood novels should take the hint.

Current Best Sellers

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Fiction
"The Silmarillion" — J. R. R. Tolkien.
"The Thorn Birds" — Colleen McCullough.
"The Honorable Schoolboy" — John Le Carre.
"Daniel Martin" — John Fowles.
"Black Marble" — Joseph Wambaugh.
"Illusions: The Adventures of A Reluctant Messiah" — Richard Bach.
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FRIENDSVILLE — Edge of Yough River. 1 lot containing storage building \$2,000.

PARADISE GARDENS — Approximately 8 acres wooded land with 200' lake front on Deep Creek Lake. Ideal for development or condominium \$45,000.

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Miss Eddy Earns Perfect Average



Karen Eddy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Eddy, Oakland, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at Flagler College, in St. Augustine, Fla. Miss Eddy, a sophomore majoring in political science, earned a perfect 4.0 grade point average.

Miss Eddy is active on the staff of the Gargoly, the school newspaper, and was a cheerleader. She teaches baton to the St. Augustine Junior High majorettes, solo competitive twirlers and is an instructor at the Leonard School of Ballet.

She is a 1976 graduate of Southern High School.

Council To Meet

The next meeting of the Western Maryland Council on Criminal Justice will be held on February 17 at 11 a.m. at the Sheraton Motor Inn in Hagerstown.

Projects seeking funding under the provisions of the Crime Control Act will be considered.

All projects reviewed will be sent to the Governor's Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice for final action.



Bittering-Glades

Church News

All the area churches cancelled their Sunday services due to the cold weather and deep snow drifts.

A dinner was held on Monday evening for the area's Conservative Church's pastors and their wives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Bender. Churches represented were Oak Dale, Salisbury, Pa.; Maple Glen, Grantsville; Cherry Glade and Dry Run, Swanton.

Correction
Last week in this column it was erroneously reported that Mrs. Jervis Resh was in the Meyersdale Hospital. It should have read Mr. Jervis Resh.

Attendance Farm Bureau Convention

Mr. and Mrs. George Shaeley attended the National Farm Bureau Convention held in Houston, Texas. They left their home in Bittering on Jan. 6, and returned on the 16th.

During their ten-day trip, they visited with friends in Laurens, South Carolina, and

spent a couple of days visiting the James Buckel family in Robinsonville, North Carolina.

Other points of interest they visited were Galveston, the Gulf Coast area, Baton Rouge and Mobile, Alabama.

Skiing Party Held
Mike and Claire Powell, Elkton; Sam Housley and Kevin Kennelly, Seabrook; Lisa Demaio and Lynn Mastro, Greenbelt, were weekend guests of Ellen and Ed Geis, Silver Spring. The group spent the weekend skiing and were Saturday evening supper guests of Don and Margaret Hersheberger.

Birthdays Observed

Mr. and Mrs. James Giotto, Leno, Tom and Cheryl Harman, Linda Bittinger and Shell had dinner and went bowling in LaVale on Saturday evening in celebration of James Giotto's birthday.

Members of the Alan Brennen family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brennen. On Sunday evening, the families attended a sled riding party at Arlen Maust's home in Meyersdale.

Mrs. Elmer Maust and Mrs. Glen Beitzel were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Maust, Salisbury, on Sunday afternoon.

Several cases of influenza and colds are reported in the area.

VFW Meeting To Be Held Sunday

Garrett County Memorial VFW Post 1007, will hold its regular meeting in the Post Home on Rt. 135 this Sunday, January 29th at 2 p.m.

Commander Earl Boyce hopes that this meeting's attendance will be high as remodeling of the building is in progress and assistance and advice are welcomed.

The next Maryland 3rd District meeting will be held in McCoole, at the VFW Post Home 6775, on February 5 at 2 p.m. Awards will be presented to Vice of Democracy winners in the 3rd District. A Buffet luncheon will be served by the Queens Point Memorial VFW Auxiliary.

Notice

To Garrett County Property Owners

According to the laws governing my office, the treasurer must advertise and sell properties for delinquent county and state taxes. Delinquent taxes now are for the year 1976-77 or any prior year.

Payment must be made before March 1st.

Arzella T. Parsons
Garrett County Treasurer

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Where's Jimmy? . . .

The United Mine Workers' strike is rapidly beginning to take its toll. Disastrous consequences are just around the corner if the strike is not settled soon.

The cutbacks of electricity due to dwindling coal supplies will present the greatest crisis. Schools, yes, Garrett County schools included, will be forced to close if Potomac Edison institutes the next emergency phase of curtailments. This could happen as early as next week. All extracurricular activities will also have to be halted.

Dozens of factories may have to shut down, resulting in the layoff of hundreds of thousands of workers. Banks and businesses may have to close.

Some interesting observations may be made concerning the miners' strike.

First, it's both frightening and disgusting that 120,000 union miners can inflict such hardship on the entire country. That figure of 120,000 represents one twentieth of one percent of the U.S. population. Thus, there is no question about their power. The miners know and we know that, under the present situation, their demands must be met, regardless of how absurd they might be.

Secondly, why in the world hasn't the President of this country addressed himself to this situation? Just two days ago he declined to intervene.

This is critical, Mr. Carter! And yet, you have the gall to totally ignore this crisis and devote all your efforts to something called the Panama Canal Treaty, an issue which ranks far lower than the coal situation. You sit, are in the position to help solve this problem and yet you sit in the midst of it as if it doesn't exist. Remember, we pay your salary. We also decide whether you keep or lose your job.

Fireside chat, my backside! Can we all come and sit around your fire to get warm next week if the power does indeed have to be curtailed?

Today, we have heard that a settlement may be near. That's good news, but no thanks to you, Jimmy Carter.

Coal Strike Causes Garrett County Unemployment Rate To Double

OAKLAND, Md. (UPI) — The Maryland Bureau of Mines says about 700 non-union coal miners in Western Maryland towns have been laid off since the start of the nationwide coal strike.

But bureau officials said miners aren't the only ones who have been hurt by the strike, which entered its eighth week today.

A bureau spokesman said other layoffs involve hundreds of office and supervisory personnel, railroad employees or independent truck drivers who haul the coal from the Western Maryland strip mines to processing plants and railroad stations.

The non-union mines in Maryland shut down at the start of the strike to avoid confrontations with striking miners and laid off workers indefinitely.

The Baltimore News American surveyed the Western Maryland counties and found that the unemployment rate in Garrett County has doubled since the strike began. More than 1,100 persons — 10 percent of the work force — have been laid off, and about 300 miners have applied for food stamps.

The newspaper reported Sunday that coal miners, haulers, railroad men, mechanics, equipment operators and other employees have been working at odd jobs or drawing unemployment checks since Dec. 6.

The paper estimated that the strike is draining about \$500,000 a week in consumer spending in Western Maryland. The survey found that millions of dollars have been lost in wages in the counties of Garrett and Allegany.

Coal operators have estimated a loss of \$5 million a month.

The strike has laid off about 500 workers at the Chesapeake System, the operators of the B&O, C&O and the Western

Maryland Railroad.

The News American survey showed the laid off employees were working at odd jobs such as plowing snow and offering services for "handyman" work. They are also trying to live off their savings.

"They are trying to make it from their reserves — the money they saved in anticipation of the strike. Still others, I'm sure, are experiencing hardships," said a coal mine operator who asked not to be named.

Matthew Skidmore, President of the Western Maryland Coal Owners and Operators Association in Cumberland, whose 75 members produced three million tons of coal last year, predicted the strike will not end before March 1.

Weather

Travelers advisory today, occasional snow accumulating an inch or two before changing to furries tonight and Friday. Highs today around 20. Lows tonight around 10. Highs Friday near 20. The chance of precipitation decreasing to 30 percent tonight and continuing at 30 percent Friday. Winds variable about 10 miles per hour today becoming northwest 10 to 15 miles per hour tonight.

Maryland and Delaware, updated extended forecast Saturday through Monday. Fair and cold Saturday. Snow in the mountains and rain or snow elsewhere Sunday and early Monday. Highs in the 30s. Lows teens to low 20s except colder in the mountains.

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Third Annual Family Lenten School Planned

The third annual Family Lenten School, an educational-experiential event sponsored by several area churches, will begin on Sunday, February 12, and continue for the following five Sunday evenings, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. each evening. The school will include classes for all age groups, from nursery through adult. Churches participating in sponsorship of the school include Bethel United Methodist, Oak Park Church of the Brethren, St. John's Episcopal, St. Mark's Lutheran, St. Matthew's Episcopal, St. Paul's United Methodist, and St. Peter's Roman Catholic.

All sessions will be held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church and St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church in Oakland. The school is definitely not restricted just to members of the sponsoring churches.

Participants from nursery age through the eighth grade will experience Bible stories, crafts, song singing and other activities under the leadership of Becky Williams, Robin Tichnell, Betty Wolford, Diane Dean, Vickie Evans, Linda Welch, Ginny Thayer, Sister Catherine and Sister Susan.

Participants in the ninth through the twelfth grades will discuss Christianity and its relation to life as experienced by today's high school students. Southern High football coach and athletic director Tom Woods will lead this group.

Adult courses to be offered include: Comparative Religion, under the leadership of the Rev. John Grant; Community Concerns/Issues, coordinated by Frances Riley; The Good News and Me, led by the Rev. Manning Smith; Parent Effectiveness Training, taught by Kathie Smith and Ann Abrahamson; History of the Church, coordinated by the Rev. Richard Seaks.

Persons interested in registering for the school should contact the clergy of any of the sponsoring churches or write to P. O. Box 393, Oakland, Md. 21250.

Hazardous Road Conditions Anger Garrett Citizens

Residents of Garrett Road between Deer Park and Loch Lynn were voicing problems with road conditions this past week, approaching both the Garrett County Roads Department and the news staff of The Republican.

Hazardous conditions, particularly for the school bus through the area, are causing concern for the residents. One resident circulated a petition and obtained 17 names requesting that the road be plowed and cindered in time for safe passage of school bus.

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WISHING ON A DANDELION won't make an early spring come true this year, despite the wishes of Garrett's groundhog prognosticator and many of its citizens. However, as can be seen from the shadow at right, predictions are there will be six more weeks of winter, although some weather forecasters say

the worst is over. As for the groundhog, the plans to retreat into the warmth of her home with Tic and Mrs. Larry Rosage, until spring offers more than just one dandelion to tempt her outdoors again.

Proposed State Budget Includes Local Projects

Maryland's new budget proposed by Acting Gov. Blair Lee III includes \$3.1 million worth of projects in Allegany and Garrett Counties.

The largest single project will be \$1,546,000 for renovation of the former Frampton Hall library for Frostburg State College for general classroom and office space. The money will also include costs of utilities, site improvements, equipment and air conditioning.

Mt. Nebo Service Center, Wildlife Management Area in Garrett County is earmarked for \$550,000 of federal funds for construction of an office, storage shop facilities which includes five bays, mechanical room, toilet facilities and fencing.

At Herrington Manor State Park in this county, funds have been proposed as follows: \$45,000 for repair to the dam spillway; \$40,000 to replace Cabin No. 15; and \$16,000 to resurface the cabin area road.

The items are in the capital budget and must be approved by the legislature which also could cut or add to the list. The capital budget differs from the executive budget in that the legislature cannot amend the latter to include increases.

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Mrs. Lucile Sines Accepts Position Of Heart Chairman

Mrs. Lucile Sines, Friendsville, has again accepted the position of Heart Sunday chairman for Friendsville and surrounding areas, according to Mrs. Shirley A. Hinebaugh and Charles B. Miller, 1978 General Heart Fund co-chairmen for Garrett County of the American Heart Association-Western Maryland Chapter.

An active member of the community, Mrs. Sines has been a Heart Volunteer for 15 years and has received the Gold Medalion for Volunteer Service, one of the Heart Association's highest awards for volunteer service. She is employed by the Garrett County Board of Education at Northern High School.

Heart Sunday will be February 19 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Mrs. Sines pointed out that volunteers may collect anytime the week before but should be finished by 4:00 p.m. on February 19 by which time they should bring their collections to Mrs. Sines' home.

Those assisting Mrs. Sines will be: Asher Glade, Paula Frazier, Sand Spring and Green Glade, Mrs. Betty Wampler, White Rock and Keller Glade, Mrs. Louis Hinebaugh and Miss Teresa Hinebaugh, Blomington, Mrs. Mary Frantz, Rush Hill, Mrs. Sherry Fike, Selbyport, Mrs. Dean Viter, Mrs. Dot Judemilk and Mrs. Olive Grove.

Gravel Hill, Mrs. Dene Humberson; Hayes, Mrs. Betty Wilburn and Mrs. Garna Enlow; Sang Run, Robin DeWitt; Mill Run, Mrs. Aletha Tackett; Elder Hill, Mrs. Audrey Frazier; Riverside, Mrs. Pearl Bittner; Main Street, Robin Edmiston and Linda Edmiston; South End, Carol Jean Ross; Walnut Street, Mrs. Lois Sines; One Way Street, Julian Sines; North End, Mrs. Ethel Artice; Huff's Trailer Court, Mrs. Kathy Kahl; Oak Street, Judy Detrick and Lois Detrick.

Commissioners Talk Of Procedures For Abandoning Roads

Routine matters filled the hours Monday at the Board of County Commissioner's weekly meeting.

Commissioners Don S. Bender, George Edwards and Wayne Hamilton discussed legislative procedures for abandoning roads no longer maintained by the county. The group also discussed with Herb McCrabb, county roads engineer, preparation of a bill for the state legislature concerning road abandonment procedures.

The Board also talked over the steps requested by the power company for curtailment of usage, and agreed to follow steps to reduce Court-house power use wherever possible.

Parents Can Help Assure Children's Health, Safety In Bad Weather

Extremely poor weather conditions which cause the closing of schools have prompted Dr. William H. Buser, Superintendent of Schools, to make the following statements.

"The Garrett County School System obtains information from state and county roads officials and the state police on road conditions prior to deciding when to open or close schools. The difficult decision is made and in most instances it is the right decision. At times the decision is questionable and in rare instances wrong."

While the school system must continually improve its policies and procedures in this area, Dr. Buser commented that poor road conditions, mechanical equipment failure, and heat and water problems occur in schools just as they do with families in their homes and in their travels. Most parents recognize things which they can do to help their children face these situations. Among them are:

1. Properly dressing children with warm clothing and boots in snowy, rainy weather. (Sweaters or light jackets under coats may prove helpful if one part of the building is colder than another).
2. Insuring that students are not sent to the bus much earlier than necessary to arrive at the bus on time. In some situations students could take five to ten-minute turns while waiting for the bus.
3. Keeping children away from the road while waiting for the bus is extremely important. (More accidents occur while students are waiting for the bus and getting on and off the bus than occur while students are actually on the bus).
4. Checking in some way to make sure the child did get on the bus. (Road conditions may cause the bus to arrive later than usual). Listening to the radio for bus delays might prove helpful.
5. Making sure the child and bus driver know what to do in an emergency if the bus is much later than expected in arriving at the stop or earlier in getting home than expected. Relatives and neighbors should be alerted and/or children should know how to get into their own home if the family is not there.
6. Recognizing that students who are really sick are better off at home than in school.
7. Listening to the local radio station for news about school openings and closings in periods of bad weather.

"Our families live in a county with contrasting climates and many of our families live in inaccessible areas. The home and the school must help our youth understand how to cope with our climate on the basis of

Pay Increases Urged For County Elected Officials

The three persons elected as Garrett County Commissioners in November will be paid more than twice the salary of present board members if Del. DeCorsey E. Bolden accepts the recommendation of the Garrett County Salary Commission.

The five-member commission released its 11-page report this week, recommending an annual salary of \$13,100 for county commissioner. The present salary is \$6,000 a year for the two members and \$6,500 for the board chairman.

Also recommended by the salary commission is \$13,900 for the sheriff's position and \$10,800 for the county treasurer. The sheriff now makes \$8,000 a year and the treasurer \$8,500.

The four-month study recommended that the salary study commission should be an on-going commission. Bolden said this is the first time anyone has taken a broad look at the salaries of elected officials.

The commission members interviewed present office holders in each area, had them fill out questionnaires, and compared their salaries to office holders in other counties in the state.

Bolden praised the salary study commission, saying he is "well pleased with what they've done." He said he is taking the recommendations under advisement and pointed out the filing deadline for new legislation is February 24. Salary increases for elected officials are determined by the General Assembly.

The salary study commission recommended that the salaries in the Orphans Court remain at \$900 a year and the liquor control board members would still receive their current salary of \$1,800 a year, if the recommendations are accepted.

The board of election supervisors will also stay at the \$1,300 per year level they presently receive. Members of the liquor control board and election supervisors are appointed officials.

Bolden said, "I feel it is imperative (the salaries) come up to modern day income."

Members of the Garrett County Salary Study Commission are William DeWitt, representing the Farm Bureau; Thomas B. Dabney, representing the Garrett County Democratic State Central Committee; Jack Jones, representing the Garrett County Republican State Central Committee; James Adams, representing the League of Commerce, and Jessie McCullough, Garrett County League of Women Voters.

H M F - Nichols Gets Contract For DNR Work

H M F-Nichols was recently awarded a contract by the State of Maryland to build shop and storage buildings, service area and site work at Mt. Nebo Wildlife Management Area, Garrett County, for Department of Natural Resources.

H M F-Nichols is a joint venture of H M F Enterprises and Nichols Concrete Service, Inc. The amount of the contract is \$353,000 and is federally funded.

Work is scheduled to begin this spring with completion planned for October, 1978.

Kitzmiller Man Is Robbed Of \$520

A Kitzmiller man was assaulted and robbed by two men as he stepped from his car in that town early on the morning of January 29.

According to the sheriff's department, Michael Hershberger, employed at a steel mill in Clarksport, Pa., was parked at the Kitzmiller School and was attacked by two men as he stepped from his vehicle.

In the scuffle, his wallet containing \$520 was taken. Mr. Hershberger later found his wallet but all money had been removed.



MIXED BREED PUPPIES of all descriptions are available for adoption at the Garrett County Animal Shelter on the Oakland-Sang Run Road, according to word from Roy Arnold, animal warden. Above are beagle-terrier, spaniel-terrier, mixed

terrier and collie-terrier pups (not necessarily related) needing homes. The shelter is open six days a week, and may be reached by calling 334-3553 if additional information about adoption is needed.

Obituaries

MRS. MILTON E. PRITTS
Mrs. Hallie Blanche Pritts, 88, of Kitzmiller, died Thursday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born at Henry, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late John Thrasher and Susan (Junkins) Thrasher. Her husband, Milton E. Pritts, preceded her in death.

Mrs. Pritts was a member of Mt. Bethel United Methodist Church and the WSCS of the church, Kitzmiller Volunteer Fire Company Auxiliary and the auxiliary of Wilson-Sidler Post, American Legion.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Alyce Iman, Kitzmiller, and Mrs. Lois Anderson, Chevy Chase; a brother, John J. Thrasher, Clarksburg, W. Va.; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Services were conducted at the David A. Burdock Funeral Home on Saturday by Rev. Joseph Gerstell. Interment was in Garrett County Memorial Gardens.

CHARLES H. MADIGAN
Charles H. Madigan, 87, of Deer Park, died Sunday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Madigan was born in Deer Park, a son of the late Michael Madigan and Betty (McRobie) Madigan. His wife, Carrie M. (Hinebaugh) Madigan, preceded him in death.

He was a retired coal miner.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Irene Preston, Frostburg; Mrs. Juanita Urbas, Meyersdale, Pa.; four sons, Charles L. Madigan, Swanton; Niles Madigan, Mason Madigan, and William Madigan, all of Deer Park; four sisters, Mrs. Catherine Landis, Frostburg; Mrs. Olive Mayle and Mrs. Jode Kisner, Morgantown, W. Va.; Mrs. Genevieve Paugh, Deer Park; a brother, Edward Madigan, Deer Park; 16 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted yesterday at the Stewart Funeral Home by the Rev. Gail Hixon. Interment was in Deer Park Cemetery.

HARVEY B. SINES
Harvey B. (Pee Wee) Sines, 73, of RD 1, Oakland died last Thursday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born August 6, 1904 in Oakland, he was the son of the late Aaron and Carrie (Harden) Sines. He was a member of the Pine Grove Church of the Brethren and was a retired farmer and employee of the Garrett County Roads Department.

Surviving are his widow, Icie E. (VanSickle) Sines; one daughter, Mrs. Freda Ridley, Pittsburgh; one son, James Sines, Friendsville; one stepson, Donald Friend, Point Marion, Pa.; one sister, Mrs. Evelyn Whitacre, RD 5, Oakland; three brothers, Virgil Sines, Swanton, and Oscar and Carl Sines, both of RD 5, Oakland; five grandchildren; seven step-grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home, and services were conducted Sunday in the Pine Grove Church by the Rev. Donald Matthews.

Interment followed in Blooming Rose Cemetery, Friendsville.

Pallbearers were Bill Sines, Junior Friend, John Matthews, Eugene Matthews, Roger Meyers and George Nedrow.

SCOTT RICHARD PERANDO
Scott Richard Perando, 84, of Elk Garden, died Saturday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born in Douglas, W. Va., he was the son of the late Nicholas and Amanda (Tasker) Perando. His wife, Mrs. Maude (Rohm) Perando preceded him in death.

He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by six sons, Charles Perando, Augusta, W. Va.; Jesse Perando, Wheaton, Fla.; Ray Perando, El Reano, Okla.; Jack Perando, Shenandoah, Va.; and Jimmie Rohm Perando, Baltimore; four daughters, Mrs. Betty Burnworth, Ridgeley; Mrs. Fay Keene, Alaska; Mrs. Nina Lyons and Mrs. Gaye Flannigan, both of Elk Garden; a sister, Mrs. Hazel Shores, Kitzmiller; a brother, Charles Perando, Swallow Falls; 41 grandchildren and 40 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the David A. Burdock Funeral Home, Kitzmiller, and services were conducted Tuesday in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Donald Marple officiating. Interment followed at the IOOF Cemetery.

DARRELL A. FEATHER
An Essex man, found dead at a Seymour Street residence in Cumberland Wednesday, January 25, was a native of Oakland.

The dead man was identified as Darrell A. Feather, 67, who was visiting his sister, Mrs. Geraldine Lewis. Mrs. Lewis was listed in satisfactory condition at Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Feather's death was apparently the result of carbon monoxide poisoning, according to Dr. Benedict Skitavell, Allegany county deputy medical examiner.

The dead man, his son, William, who discovered the body, and Mrs. Lewis were in one of the apartments over the Potomac Farms Dairy Building.

Mr. Feather, who resided at 820 North Woodlynn Road, Essex, was born February 3, 1910 at Oakland, and was a son of the late William S. and Nellie (Buncutter) Feather.

He was a retired engineer for the Chessie System; member of the Brotherhood of Railway Engineers and the Church of Christ at Essex.

Surviving are two sons, Darrell E. Feather, Jr. and William Feather, both of Essex; one daughter, Mrs. Darlene Schminke, Middle River; one sister, Mrs. Geraldine Lewis, Cumberland; and four grandchildren.

Services were conducted from the John G. Connelly and Sons Funeral Home, Essex.

JERVIS E. RESH
Jervis E. Resh, 85, of RD 2, Grantsville, died Friday in Meyersdale Community Hospital.

Born in Grantsville, he was a son of the late Simon and Harriett (Wiley) Resh.

He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Jennings, a veteran of World War I, and a retired farmer.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Martha (Kinsinger) Resh; a son, Edgar Resh of Grantsville, two daughters, Mrs. Betty Miller, Springs, Pa.; Mrs. June McKenzie, of Grantsville; five brothers, Howard Resh, Akron, Ohio; Lersey Resh, Uniontown, Ohio; Arthur Resh, Joseph Resh and Paul Resh, all of Grantsville; two sisters, Mrs. Nora Stahl, of Grantsville; Mrs. Beatrice Glatfelly, Accident, and five grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, and services were conducted Monday at the Zion Lutheran Church by the Rev. James Mitchell. Interment followed at the Grantsville Cemetery.

The family suggests expressions of sympathy take the form of contributions to Zion Lutheran Church memorial fund.

MRS. HOMER GNEGY
Mrs. Thelma C. Gnegy, 77, of near Oakland, died Sunday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born in Cumberland, she was a daughter of the late George Smith and Sarah (Roth) Smith. Her husband, Homer Gnegy, died in 1966.

Mrs. Gnegy was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Red House.

Surviving are three sons, Wayne Gnegy, Washington, Pa.; Glenn W. Gnegy and Dale S. Gnegy, both of Oakland; a daughter, Mrs. Elaine Roth, Horse Shoe Run; two brothers, Chester Smith, Cumberland, and Gerald Smith, Morgantown; a sister, Mrs. Leafy White, Cumberland, and ten grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Hinkle Funeral Home in Davis. Services were conducted in St. John's Church by the Rev. Bernard Carl. Interment was in Red House Cemetery.

WINFIELD SNYDER
Winfield Snyder, 67, of RD 1, Grantsville, died last Thursday in Meyersdale Community Hospital.

He was born in Bittinger, a son of the late Adam and Ada (Fazenbaker) Snyder.

Mr. Snyder was a member of the Brethren Church.

Survivors include his widow, Martha (Johnson) Snyder; three sons, John, Andrew and George Snyder, all of Oakland; one daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Wilson, Oakland; one brother, Andrew Snyder, Maine; two sisters, Mrs. Meta Clerico, Kansas City, Mo.; and Mrs. Edith Hare, Oakland.

Friends were received at the Newman Funeral Home, Saturday and services were conducted in the funeral home by the Rev. Earl Yoder, Sunday, with interment in the Bittinger Cemetery.

MRS. WESLEY A. FIKE SR.
Mrs. Hazel V. Fike, 59, formerly of Mt. Lake Park, died Sunday in Franklin Square Hospital, Baltimore.

Born in Oakland, she was a daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Hersman, Terra Alta, and the late Boyde Hersman. Her husband, Wesley A. Fike, Sr., preceded her in death.

Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Irma Beal, Baltimore; six sons, Wesley A. Fike, Jr., Winchester, Va.; Donald Fike and Ernest Fike, Middle River; Charles Fike, Kenneth Fike and Jerry Fike, Dundalk; 24 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services will be conducted this afternoon at 1 p.m. at the Stewart Funeral Home by Donald Stull. Interment will be in Deer Park Cemetery.

MRS. NOAH F. GNEGY
Mrs. Ella M. Gnegy, 92, of Oakland, died Sunday at the Cuppet-Weeks Nursing Home.

Born June 19, 1885, in Hartsmanville, W. Va., she was the daughter of the late William and Elizabeth (Roderick) Moomaw. She was preceded in death by her husband, Noah F. Gnegy, in July of 1939.

She was a member of the Loch Lynn United Brethren Church.

She is survived by four sons, Delbert Gnegy, Oakland, Clyde A. Gnegy, Mountain Lake Park; Gordon Gnegy, Fredericksburg, Va.; and Edward Gnegy, California; four daughters, Mrs. Thelma Poling, Washington; Mrs. Olive Pritts, Mrs. Jane MacNeill, both of Grantsville; and Mrs. Nina Keefe, Kingwood; a sister, Mrs. Bernice Shaffer, Oakland; 17 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home, and services were held yesterday at the funeral home with the Rev. Oscar Hull officiating. Interment followed at the Garrett County Memorial Gardens.

MRS. ROBERT L. HOYE
Mrs. Bertha Hoyer, 95, Morgantown, W. Va., formerly of Oakland, died Saturday in the Turtle Creek Convalescent Home, Parkersburg, W. Va.

Born at Sang Run, she was a daughter of the late Charles and Sophie (DeWitt) Lowdermilk. She was a member of the United Pentecostal Church, Oakland.

Mrs. Hoyer is survived by a son, Robert Hoyer, Parkersburg; four daughters, Mrs. Perry Fales and Mrs. James Magrow, both of Morgantown; Mrs. John M. Oren, San Benito, Texas, and Mrs. George Popwell, Homassassa, Fla.; a brother, Olen Lowdermilk, Morgantown, 13 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild. Her husband, Robert L. Hoyer, died in 1940.

Friends were received at the Hastings Funeral Home, Morgantown, and services were conducted Tuesday in the United Pentecostal Church, Oakland, with the Rev. Ralph Jacks and Rev. Roy Riffle officiating. Interment was in the Sang Run Cemetery.

OMA M. HARSH
Mrs. Oma May Harsh, 77, of Eglon, W. Va., died January 22 in Hopewell State Hospital.

Mrs. Harsh was born March 4, 1900 at Eglon, a daughter of the late John and Sarah Frances (Good) Arnold. Her husband, Elmer Harsh, preceded her in death in 1963.

She is survived by one son, Herbert Harsh, Horse Shoe Run; two daughters, Mrs. Leona Watling, Aurora; and Mrs. Frances Snyder, Horse Shoe Run; four sisters, Mrs. Iva Parkinson, Baltimore; Bertha, Tina and Lena Arnold, all of Lewistown, Pa.; nine grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted January 24 from the Maple Grove Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Richard Kerfoot officiating. Interment followed in the Accident Cemetery. The Hinkle Funeral Home in Davis was in charge of arrangements.

HERVEY A. ST. CYR
Hervey A. St. Cyr, 68, Oakland, died Thursday in Naples, Fla. where he was vacationing.

A resident of Oakland for one year, he previously lived in Glen Burnie and prior to that, in Charles County.

A retired general contractor, he is survived by his widow, Dorothy E. St. Cyr of Oakland; three daughters, Janet Swaney of Waldorf; Louise Moore, Ashton; Lorraine Kennedy of Laurel; also five sisters and four grandchildren.

Services were held yesterday in St. Ignatius Catholic Church, Chapel Point. Interment was in the church cemetery.

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operating a motor vehicle with tags issued to another he was fined \$15. On the charge of operating an uninsured motor vehicle a \$45 fine was suspended.

Joseph R. Buckel, Rt. 495, Bittinger, pleaded not guilty of operating at a speed greater than reasonable and prudent. He was placed on probation before judgment and paid costs. Buckel also forfeited collateral in the amount of \$30 for failing to keep to the right side of the road.

Gary A. Steyer, RD 3, Deer Park, pleaded guilty of parking on the traveled portion of the roadway and was fined \$15.

Shirley F. Spiker, RD 2, Swanton, pleaded not guilty of failing to reduce speed under existing circumstances but was found guilty and fined \$20.

Stanley H. Ervin, RD 3, Deer Park, pleaded guilty of operating an unregistered motor vehicle and was fined \$30. He also pleaded guilty on another charge of operating an unregistered vehicle and was fined \$15.

Junior W. Bowman, RD 1, Oakland, pleaded not guilty of failing to obey a red traffic light and the plea was sustained.

David A. Mountain, RD 4, Deer Park, pleaded not guilty of failing to reduce speed to avoid a collision but was placed on probation before judgment and paid costs.

Two cases were dismissed,

both persons having exceeded the posted speed limit, Satish R. Nayak, Huntington, W. Va., and Mary A. Wilkerson, Camp Springs.

All others forfeited collateral, one paying heavy for overload.

Ernest R. Welch, RD 2, Oakland, paid \$303 for exceeding the weight limit by 8,300 lbs. of stone.

Robert Lee Taylor, Jr., Cresaptown, paid \$79 for 3,700 lbs. overload of coal.

Operating a motor vehicle with inadequate muffler, \$30, and failing to display registration card, \$20, David Loy Wilt, RD 1, Grantsville.

Operating a motor vehicle in a negligent manner, \$30, and failing to obey a stop sign, \$30, Gary A. Ferguson, RD 3, Deer Park.

Exceeding the posted speed limit: Walter W. Poling, Martinsburg, W. Va., \$40; Carl R. Hetz, Meyersdale, Pa., \$40; Ricky L. Flipper, Marianna, Pa., \$50; John S. Clotworthy,

McLean, Va., \$40; William H. Thomas, Sr., Baltimore, \$40; Russell J. Rounds, RD 1, Oakland, \$30; Stephen R. Shockey, Mt. Lake Park, \$30; Jack R. Call, Columbia, \$40 and Joy A. Chapman, Rockville, \$40.

Operating a motor vehicle with expired license, \$30, Jeffrey Allen Fisher, Dennett road, Oakland.

Failing to obey a stop sign, \$30, James R. Preston, Jr., RD 1, Oakland.

Speeding greater than reasonable and prudent, \$20, Michael C. Orazen, North Madison, Ohio.

Operating a motor vehicle in a negligent manner, \$30, Robert L. Collins, Bristol, Ind.

Operating a motor vehicle with tags issued to another, \$30, Dailey F. Lewis, Jr., Bradley Manor, Oakland.

Driving without lights when required, \$20, Gerald Lynn Wilson, RD 1, Oakland.

Spinning wheels, \$30, Michael L. White, Crellin.

Failing to stop for a red

traffic control device, \$30, Mark Wallhouser, South Orange, N. J.

Speeding too great for road conditions (snow), \$20, Judith Ann England, Rt. 40, West, Grantsville.

Failing to reduce speed to avoid a collision, \$20, Freddie R. Stoner, Jr., RD 3, Oakland.

All amounts shown include fine and costs unless noted otherwise.

Shrub Packets To Be Available Again This Year

Wildlife shrub packets will be available again this year so that Marylanders will have an opportunity to improve wildlife habitat around their homes. The wildlife shrub program offers seedlings for sale, which when mature will provide both

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Shrub packets will cost \$2 each and contain seedlings approximately 12 inches tall. The eight seedling packet will be comprised of two dogwood, two autumn olive, two crab-apple and two scotch pine. Shrub packets will be distributed on a first come-first served basis, on the third Saturday in March (March 18, 1978) from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., by Wildlife Administration personnel.

The two distribution centers for Garrett County will be at Mt. Nebo on U.S. Route 219 north of Oakland and at the Regional Service Center at Naves Crossroads.

Drunk Driving, Revoked License Charges Repeat

Operating on revoked license and drunk driving continue to show on the docket of District Court for the week ending January 31. One paid heavy for overload.

Charles Wayne Moats, Liberty Street, Oakland, pleaded guilty of driving a motor vehicle while his privilege is revoked and Judge Lewis R. Jones fined him \$155. Moats also forfeited collateral in the amount of \$30 for failing to obey a stop sign.

Russell Edward Tasker, Dennett road, Oakland, pleaded guilty of operating a motor vehicle while his privilege is revoked and was fined \$55.

Johnny Max Sisler, Terra Alta, W. Va., pleaded guilty of driving a motor vehicle while in an intoxicated condition and was fined \$205. He also pleaded guilty of failing to keep to the right side of the road and was fined \$30.

Robert Ray Bickford, RD 2, Swanton, pleaded not guilty but was found guilty of driving

a motor vehicle while ability was impaired by alcohol and was fined \$80.

Others stood trial on less serious charges.

Harland Eugene Kitzmiller, Jr., RD 2, Oakland, pleaded not guilty of three charges. For driving an unregistered motor vehicle, he was fined \$30. For having tires in unsafe condition, he was fined \$30. For driving a vehicle without evidence of registration, a \$20 fine was suspended. Kitzmiller pleaded not guilty of operating an uninsured vehicle and the plea was sustained.

Vernon Guy Virts, Jr., RD 1, Swanton, pleaded guilty on three counts. For operating an unregistered vehicle, he was fined \$30. For displaying tags issued to another vehicle he was fined an additional \$30 and for operating without license in possession, \$10.

Wayne Harvey Myers, Jr., RD 5, Oakland, pleaded guilty of operating a motor vehicle with tags issued to another and was fined \$30. He pleaded not guilty of operating an uninsured motor vehicle and the plea was sustained.

Arthur R. Ravenscroft, Star Route, Kitzmiller, pleaded guilty on two counts. For

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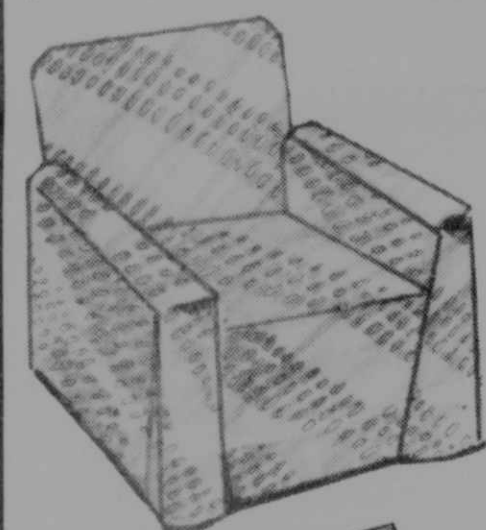
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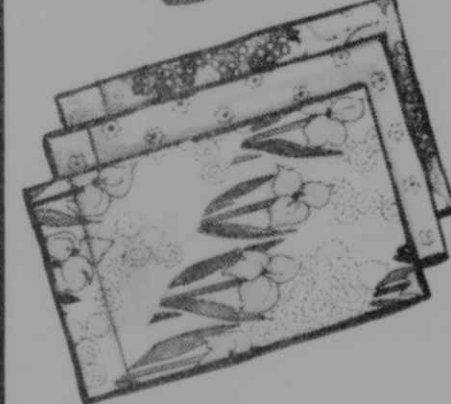
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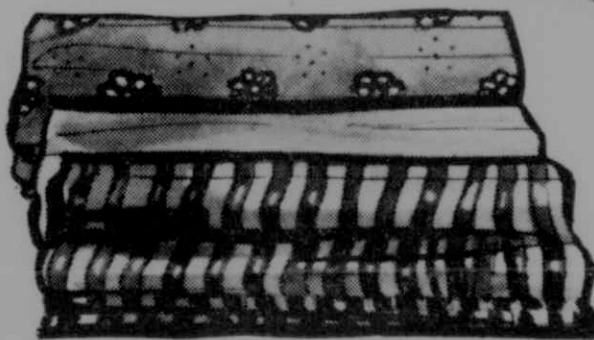
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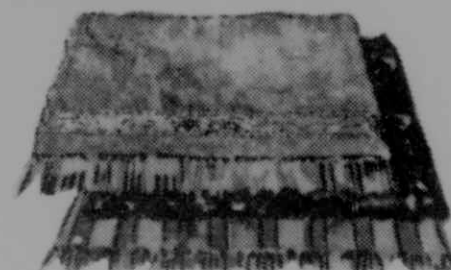
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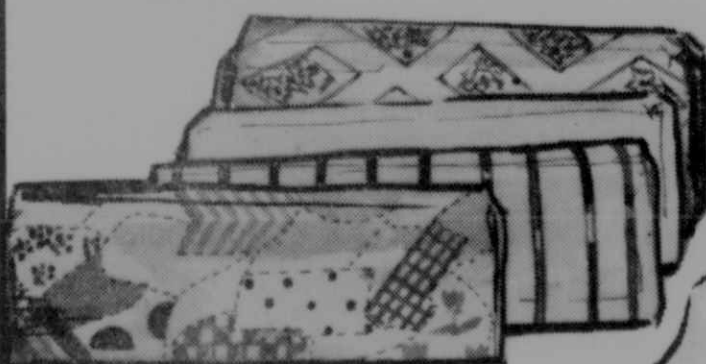
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THURS., FEBRUARY 2, 1978

Dear Editor:

Re: the Glavis Sisler Medical Tragedy — some questions which I feel should be asked are:

1. Why was the patient held

at Garrett Memorial Hospital so long? Why was she not transferred to Morgantown within the hour? It takes an ambulance about an hour to go to Morgantown and less to Cumberland.

2. Why was the surgeon not consulted at once or whatever was required to transfer her to a hospital medically equipped with necessary specialists, support systems, etc. to deal with an obviously critical problem?

3. Is there a medical review board at Garrett Memorial? If so, who serves on it?

4. Are the hospital and physicians well covered by malpractice insurance?

5. Do our local physicians take annual training and education to keep abreast of the advances in medical science?

6. Is there a Maryland law which requires physicians to be updated in their training and education for licensing and certification?

7. What has been done about obtaining an obstetrician-gynecologist for our area? Who is charged with the responsibility? Whose responsibility should it be?

8. Do we have a Medical Society here? If so, what does it do and if not, why?

9. Who is charged with the responsibility of determining the competency of physicians in Garrett County? Can any MD who wishes decide what type of medical practice he will conduct in Garrett Memorial?

10. What is the responsibility of the Tri-County Health Advisory Council, the Health Department, etc. in determining our county health needs, such as physicians?

11. Why plan and work for a larger hospital if we haven't the medical personnel to do an adequate job in the one we have?

12. After this terrible, senseless tragedy, will the need for an obstetrician-gynecologist produce real action?

Many people are interested in answers to these questions. Could we have them?

Name withheld by request

Dear Contributor,
We will do what we can to get a response to your questions.

Editor

Sir:

Someone poured a cup of poison just as relations started to improve between Mt. Lake Park and the Sanitary Commission.

Remember that Circuit Court decision way back in December? The Court gave the Sanitary Commission 14 days to furnish water to the Mary-John Drives area of Mt. Lake Park. It wasn't done. Can all of us now ignore Court orders?

The lawyer for the Sanitary Commission bears an obvious responsibility to be sure the Commission operates legally at all times. In previous letters I have described some of their practices not conforming to State law.

Now comes the real shocker: Large sums were collected by the Sanitary Commission from Loch Lynn for labor already paid for by the Federal CETA Program. A nasty practice.

The Sanitary Commission cannot become an effective service agency until it gains the full trust of the towns. As a step in this direction, let the Commission's present lawyer step aside as their Resident Legal Agent. He is also, I believe, attorney for the County Commissioners.

Sincerely,
Joseph B. Bowen
Mt. Lake Park

Dear Editor:

Why not increase productivity and pupil interest in our high schools at NO COST?

Kids are restless people and do not like to wait. Due to bus scheduling, etc., arrival varies, some an hour early and nothing but thumb-twiddling to do. How can that be, hundreds of thumb-twiddling and unnoted?

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DEMAND more efficient use of our tax dollars in all areas.

Most sincerely,
Phil Garman

Dear Mr. Garman,
Why should every single minute of a student's day be so planned and structured by teachers? Give the kids a break! They need and enjoy some free time at school to socialize just like everyone else.

Editor

Dear Editor:

I have been too long in writing to express my appreciation for the new format of The Republican. Diversity is the key to interest. The paper's content now strikes a note of appeal to most everyone, and the articles are easier to locate.

The U.P.I. reports of top news stories keeps me abreast with national and international events. The personal items are of particular intrigue because they relate to the people we know in our respective communities. The obituary column presents the details of departing loved ones. The front page grips our attention with articles of general interest to all. The ads help us buy and sell, and reveal the best bargains around. I enjoy the sermonettes and hearing about the activities in local church circles.

The editorials deserve honorable mention, and I commend you for the words of wisdom and "food for thought." Sometimes the editorials reveal the only "good news" we hear these days. The human interest stories by your "special" reporters are just great.

I wish to commend the writers of the medical and dental articles that have appeared in the new format. I have heard many good comments from my patients. These articles have provided factual information which have proved enlightening, practical, as well as educational. This is a good public service.

So, may I say, "hats off" to the Editor and the fine staff who have made The Republican one of the finest weekly newspapers to be found anywhere. We all have a tendency to resist change, but we can also get into a "rut" if we fail to keep abreast with newer and better ways. Progress stops when our vision becomes blurred in whatever endeavor we have chosen.

Keep up the good work.
Sincerely yours,
Alvin P. Friend, D.D.S.

Dear Mr. Editor:

I am writing in concern for the welfare of the school children in Garrett County. I request that your paper work more toward correcting the wrongs in Garrett County.

First, instead of taking pictures of how lovely the snow looks, take pictures of the hazardous road conditions the school buses must travel to get the children to and from school.

You may start with the Garrett Road because, in spite of my continual urging of the roads department to keep the Garrett Road consistently serviced safely, before the school bus must pass through in the morning and evening the Garrett Road still has hazardous conditions.

One example is a blind curve with one-way traffic barely

wide enough for a bus.

Another example of neglect was last weekend when a portion of Garrett Road was closed at both ends to several families for a day or so. What would have happened if an emergency arose during that time such as a fire or an ill child?

Other roads are in evidence of neglect I witnessed with shock the roads around my child's school one snowy day a month or so ago. These roads were a sheet of ice. I could not believe the bus drivers were expected to drive children on such hazardous conditions.

The road department's "excuses" for not maintaining safe road conditions are not going to keep the school children and residents of Garrett County safe.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Sharon P. Warnick

Dear Editor:

I want to thank everyone who gave blood on Jan. 6 for my late sister Stella Sisler. But what makes me sick is every time I pick up a paper all I see is how many pints of blood were donated. What I can't understand is, where was all of this blood when Stella needed it? It is true people do care. Thank you everyone.

Cindy Detrick
Friendsville, Md.

GCC Offering Real Estate, EMT Courses

A Basic Real Estate course is being offered by the Oakland Center of Garrett Community College. The course began on January 30, but registration is still open through the next evening of class, February 6. The course will run for a total of forty-five hours required for the State licensing examination. Sessions will be held each Monday at the Oakland Center from 7:00-10:00. The registration fee will be \$50.00 plus texts.

Also being offered is an Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT) course. This course, consisting of 84 hours, began on Thursday, February 2, but registration is scheduled on the second evening of class, February 9, at the Accident Fire Hall. Registration may also be done through the Oakland Center. Registration will be on a first-come-first-serve basis with priority being given to Garrett County and Maryland residents. Sessions will be held at the Accident Fire Hall.

Interested persons may register through the Oakland Center of the College.

Baptist Missionary Circle Has Meeting

The Women's Missionary Circle of Mt. Lake Park Independent Baptist Church met January 24 with president Ruth Paugh presiding.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Sandy Weeks and devotion by Cleda Paugh. Missionary letters were received from Brazil, Liberia, Australia, Mexico, Bangladesh, and Chad, Africa.

The circle voted to send needed articles to Shepherd's Home and to refill the missionary chest available for visiting missionaries. Attending were Katie Wagner, Linda Geer, Linda Friend, Jean Dill, Serena Valentine, Holly Doppel, Helen Heath, Joyce Devone, Dorothy Schrimshire, Wilma Helmick, Mrs. Cleda Paugh, Mrs. Weeks and Mrs. Paugh.

Presentence Investigations Are Ordered

Sentences of three have been withheld pending presentence investigations according to records in District Court Tuesday. The charges involve larceny and drugs.

David Patrick Shaffer, RD 1, Swanton, and Gary Allen Ferguson, RD 3, Deer Park, both pleaded guilty of grand larceny and petty larceny of CB radios of Ralph Jacks and Russell Liller at Rosedale in October. Ferguson also pleaded guilty of an additional charge of larceny. Judge Lewis R. Jones ordered a presentence investigation in all cases. Shaffer had also been charged with unlawful possession of marijuana and receiving stolen goods. These were dismissed in plea bargaining.

Galen Everett Beckman, Jr., E. Oak Street, Oakland, pleaded guilty of possession of marijuana in Oakland in August. A presentence investigation was ordered. Steve Bowman, Crellin, pleaded not guilty of breaking and entering the dwelling of Melvin F. Kisner at Crellin in December. He was found guilty and a 10-day jail sentence was given to run consecutively, or following, a term now being served. He also paid costs.

Three cases were dismissed. David Richard Kisner, Crellin, had been charged with assault and battery on Rachel Kisner and she wouldn't testify. Charles E. Sliger, Bradley Manor, Oakland, had been charged with assault and battery on Leota E. DeWitt and she wouldn't testify. Crystal A. Paugh Shaffer, Green Glade Road, Swanton, had been charged with false pretense by passing a worthless check.

Surviving are two sons, Scott Idlemann, Mt. Storm; Raymond Idlemann, Pasadena; a sister, Mrs. Bessie Stein, Cumberland; two brothers, Bernard Reed, Oakland, and Jesse Reed, Delaware.

Friends were received at the Arnold Funeral Home, Petersburg. Services were conducted Saturday in Mt. Storm Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Earl Baker. Interment was in Idlemann Family Cemetery.

Snow And More Snow Falls Here

Snow and more snow has been hampering things on the Mountain Top the past week. Cold and high winds have aggravated the situation. Temperatures have not been above freezing since last Thursday and another foot of snow has accumulated. Because of this, roads have been covered and slick and schools were closed three days.

The snow emergency was finally lifted yesterday afternoon. According to a spokesman of the SHA, primary roads were 90 percent bare yesterday. Cold and high winds caused much trouble. Some secondary roads, Rts. 495, 38, 42, 669 and 546 have been one-way in spots. Routes such as 219 and 50 have been kept open through the use of the SHA's big blower. The cold temperatures have prevented the salt from melting the ice on the highways. County roads have encountered the same problems. Some sections of the County roads were closed temporarily and many were still one-way yesterday. Ice under the snow is a major problem.

Last Thursday morning there was a little sunshine but that did not last long. In the afternoon skies clouded and the winds picked up. More snow fell during the night piling up seven inches. Light snow continued Friday blown by high winds. Saturday was

Obituaries

MRS. LEROY SIRBAUGH

Lucy Jane Sirbaugh, 88, of Tunnelton, W. Va., died Tuesday, January 24, in the Jefferson Memorial Hospital in Charles Town.

She was born May 30, 1889 in Gorman, a daughter of the late James and Alice (Cook) Shroat.

She was a member of the First Christian Apostolic Church of Tunnelton.

Survivors include two daughters, Ida Mae Winston, Kearneysville; and Frances Leasure, Lorain, Ohio; three sons, Charles Shillingburg, Winchester, Va., Clarence Shillingburg of Tunnelton and Kenneth Shillingburg, Summit Point, W. Va.; one sister, Mrs. Vernie Willis Harrison; 19 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Arlie Shillingburg, in 1942 and her second husband, Leroy Sirbaugh, in 1970.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. January 27 at the Kiger-Williams Funeral Home in Kingwood with Rev. Ray Frankhouser officiating. Burial was in the Mt. View Cemetery near Tunnelton.

MRS. ELLSWORTH IDLEMAN

Mrs. Mary Ellen Idlemann, 87, of Mt. Storm, died last Wednesday in Pasadena, Md.

Born in Hardy County, Mrs. Idlemann was a daughter of the late Isaac Reed and Catherine (Van Meter) Reed. Her husband, Ellsworth Idlemann, preceded her in death.

Surviving are two sons, Scott Idlemann, Mt. Storm; Raymond Idlemann, Pasadena; a sister, Mrs. Bessie Stein, Cumberland; two brothers, Bernard Reed, Oakland, and Jesse Reed, Delaware.

Friends were received at the Arnold Funeral Home, Petersburg. Services were conducted Saturday in Mt. Storm Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Earl Baker. Interment was in Idlemann Family Cemetery.

MRS. FRED A. SPOERLEIN

Mrs. Freda A. Spoerlein, 85, of 1205 Mack Drive, Oakland, died Tuesday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born April 25, 1892, in Hoyes, she was a daughter of the late Charles and Emma (Boyer) DeWitt. Her husband, William E. Spoerlein, died Dec. 28, 1976.

Mrs. Spoerlein was a member of the Oak Park Church of the Brethren. Surviving are two sons, Ernest C. Spoerlein, Oakland; Earl Spoerlein, Lakeland, Fla.; one daughter, Mrs. Edward Wakeman, Reno, Nev.; seven grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the John O. Durst Funeral Home from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Services will be conducted at the Oak Park Church on Friday at 2 p.m., with the Rev. J. Rogers Fike officiating. Interment will be in Garrett County Memorial Gardens. The body will be taken to the church at 1 p.m.

The family requests expressions of sympathy take the form of contributions to the Oak Park Church memorial fund.

MRS. EVELYN M. SAUNDERS

Mrs. Evelyn M. Saunders, 62, of Meyersdale, Pa., died Tuesday in Washington County Hospital, Hagerstown.

Born at Jennings, she was a daughter of the late Edward Saunders and Cordellia (Broadwater) Pritts. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Graves, Hagerstown; two brothers, Ellis Pritts, Salisbury; and H. Oney Pritts, Mt. Pleasant; four sisters, Mrs. Blanche Newman, Salisbury; Mrs. Ethel Wahl, RD 3, Meyersdale; Mrs. Ocy Hostetler, Garrett; and Mrs. Beulah Bittner, and two grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the Price Funeral Home today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Services will be conducted there tomorrow at 1 p.m., by the Rev. Douglas Paglia. Interment will be in the Bittner Cemetery.

Committee Finalizes County History Plans

The Bicentennial Committee appointed to create a written history of Garrett County met yesterday, February 1, to finalize plans for publication of the manuscript written by Stephen Schlosnagle.

Mr. Schlosnagle, with the aid of material submitted by persons from various towns and sections of the county in addition to his own historic research, has completed a history of Garrett County.

The book will comprise an estimated 400 pages, which will include seventy photographs, and is scheduled for release in September 1978.

The book, "Garrett County — A History of Maryland's Tableland," will cover a period from Indian times to the present. The printers are the McClain Printing Company of Parsons, W. Va. Price of the book has been set at \$12.50 per copy.

The names of stores and book dealers where the history may be purchased will be made known at a later date.

Homemakers Sessions Planned On Abuse

Family Life chairmen for the Garrett County Homemakers clubs will have information sessions on Child Abuse at the following times and places:

February 6, Oakland, 1 p.m. at the Extension Office.

February 7, Grantsville, 10 a.m., Liberty Trust Bank.

February 7, Accident, 1 p.m., Zion Lutheran Church.

Girl Scout Cookie Sale Continuing

The Girl Scout cookie sale has been extended until February 6, due to the bad weather of the preceding weeks. Scouts offer six varieties of cookies at \$1.25 per box.

Orders may also be placed by phone, by contacting any Girl Scout or by calling Ginny Thayer, 334-9312, or Brenda Butcher, 334-4500.

REMINDER!!!! GED Test to be Given

(General Education Development)

Part I, Saturday, March 11

9:00 - 3:00

Part II, Saturday, March 18

9:00 - 12:00

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Applications may be obtained from the Community Service Division, Oakland Center, 104 E. Center Street.

All applications for March testing must be returned to the Oakland Center by February 16, 1978.

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Maryland Receives Federal Grant For Housing Projects

Housing for more than 1000 limited-income Maryland families will be provided in newly constructed or rehabilitated housing under a grant of \$6 million to the Maryland Department of Economic and Community Development (DECD), by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, DECD secretary Herbert B. Cahan announced this week.

Secretary Cahan said the federal funds, which were received under the Federal Section 8 housing assistance payments program, will be used primarily in tandem with the Department's low-interest rate, long-term loans to non-profit and limited-dividend sponsors of the new and rehabilitated housing. The Section 8 program and other programs to encourage housing construction are administered by the Department's Community Development Administration (CDA).

CDA director Thomas M. Cook estimated that mixing the subsidized units in projects with other units which will rent at market rates should result in a total of new housing units significantly greater than 1000 subsidized units. He also estimated that construction of these new facilities to accommodate limited-income families will create 2000 construction jobs statewide.

The housing assistance payments funds subsidize the difference between a fair market rent on a house and 25 percent of a family's income. For example, if a family of five has a monthly income of \$800 the family would pay only 25 percent or \$200, towards their rent. If they moved into a three-bedroom home renting for \$350 per month, the difference between the \$200 and \$350 rent or \$150 would be subsidized. There are maximum rents for different sizes and types of units which correspond to the fair market value for a modest unit. These rents and the income limits for participating families are established by HUD.

HUD has earmarked all of the funds for non-elderly families and much of the money for substantially rehabilitated units.

Western Maryland, including the counties of Garrett, Allegany, Washington and Frederick, will receive \$429,847 for an estimated 78 units.

In establishing the distribution of funds for this program, one of several housing subsidy programs administered by HUD, the federal agency considered several criteria, including: (1) the desires of local governments to have their fair share of funds allocated for newly constructed or rehabilitated housing (Montgomery County chose to have all of its fund allocated for new or rehabilitated units, and this is the reason for its

large share of the total federal grant); (2) the population of each county (including the percentage of lower income families); and (3) the quality of the housing stock in each county.

CDA has established criteria and procedures for allocating these subsidy funds. Interested persons may obtain further information from the Community Development Administration, Maryland Department of Economic and Community Development, 2525 Riva Road, Annapolis, Maryland, 21401, or from the Garrett County Housing Office at 323 Oak Street, Oakland.

County Vacationers To Hold Dinner

Garrett County vacationers in Florida will hold their annual Garrett County dinner on Saturday, February 18, in the community building at Northgate Mobile Ranch, Mims, Fla. The time of the dinner will be 6 p.m.

UMW To Hold Call To Prayer Day February 8

Next week, the United Methodist Women of the Deep Creek charge will hold a Call to Prayer and Self-Denial program at the United Methodist Church in McHenry.

The program will be held at 11 a.m., Wednesday, February 8.

Major events of the observance include the Quiet Day and description of the mission projects for which a special offering is given. Each woman who takes part is asked to give for others by denying herself, and to pray.

The Women's Division of the Board of Global Ministries of The United Methodist Church sponsors the Call to Prayer and Self-Denial.

Two areas of the large United Methodist mission program are designated for giving this year. In the United States, the offering will be used for Mission Institutions: Maintenance and Improvement of Women's Division-owned property. The women's division owns approximately 95 pieces of property in 30 states, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. Many of the mission buildings have been in service for years, some as many as 75.

Overseas, the offering will be used for "Children and Youth in Today's World," for mentally and physically handicapped children, pre-natal and post-natal care for mothers and babies, nutrition and health care for child and youth advocacy, education, Christian education programs and materials, and other needs.

Service for the Quiet Day was written by Jean Hawk Troy. About 1.5 million women in 35,000 local units in all 50 states will join in the observance. Last year the offering totaled \$792,455. Mrs. Martha Glatfelter is the local reporter for the Deep Creek charge.

Local Foresters, Rangers Recently Attend Workshop

Twenty-four Maryland Forest Service foresters and rangers recently attended a three-day Visual Resource Management Workshop at Patuxent Naval Air Station in St. Mary's County conducted with the cooperation of University of Maryland landscape architect David Pitt, Dr. John Kindt and John Kissada, Extension foresters.

The identification of the components of natural forests landscape was a major concern, such as land form, color, line, texture, plane, light and space.

This training course made the participants aware that each person brings his personal values and attitudes into his assessment of the visual quality of the landscape.

The State forests of Maryland on the Eastern Shore are: Wicomico, Seth and Pocomoke. In Western Maryland they are: Garrett, Savage River, Potomac and Green Ridge, Elk Neck State Forest is in Cecil County, Doncaster State Forest is in Charles County and the Cedarville Natural Resources Management Area is in Southern Maryland.

The following people from Garrett County participated in this workshop: Oscar Cryser, Forestry Supervisor, Savage River State Forest; Raymond DeVone, Forest Ranger, Potomac/Garrett State Forest; Warren Groves, Forest Manager, Savage River State Forest; Stephen Hamilton, Forester, Savage River State Forest; Bob Hershberger, Ranger, Savage River State Forest; Paul Mateer, Forester; Joe Mechem, Forest Manager, Potomac/Garrett State Forest; Ernest Metz, Forester; Robert Warnick, Forestry Sup., Savage River State Forest.

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blessed events

Baby boys dominated the nursery, outnumbering the girls four to two this past week at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

On January 27, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ward, Oakland. The mother is the former Shirley Jean Welch.

On the 28th, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jackson Thomas, Jr., of Accident. The mother is the former Sharon Louise Wolfe.

Dr. and Mrs. William Gordon Savage, Swanton, became the parents of a son January 28. The mother is the former Ruta Dziedzic.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Eugene Anderson, Terra Alta, W. Va., on the 29th. Mrs. Anderson was formerly Joyce Ann Sickles.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lee Clary, Deer Park, on January 30. The mother was formerly Dorene Sue Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Marion Skillman, Oakland, became the parents of a son January 31. Mrs. Skillman is the former Shirley Ann Lowdermilk.

There were 51 admissions and 54 discharges at the hospital in the past week, leaving 61 patients in the facility this morning.

Oakland Personals

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Smouse returned to their home in Ravenswood, W. Va., on Monday after having spent a week with her sisters, Mrs. Karl F. Kahl and Miss Grace Falkenstein on Fourth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Frazier, of Chantilly, Va., spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Maude Browning, on Sanders Lane.

Stolen Vehicle Found In Virginia

A station wagon stolen from the Oakland Equipment Garage January 11 was recovered Tuesday, January 31, in Woodstock, Va.

Word was received that the vehicle had been found but so far it is not known whether the vehicle sustained any damage other than two flat tires. The car was to be pulled from a snowbank today.

Virginia police have arrested a Woodstock juvenile in connection with the larceny. The young man is also wanted on various charges in Virginia.

The car, property of the Oakland Equipment Company, was reported missing on the 11th after a breaking and entering at the company. Oakland police are in charge of the case.

Killer's Foster Father Reflects On Cooper Murder

DAVIS, W. VA. (UPI) — No one is more puzzled by the cold-blooded killing of Ida Mae Cooper in this placid north-eastern West Virginia town than the foster father of the young man accused of doing it.

William Daugherty had gone to the jail only hours before the strange kidnapping occurred to fetch his foster son.

David B. Mills, 19, was being released on probation in a car theft case. By the end of the day, he would be back in custody, charged with kidnapping and killing Ida Mae Cooper, wife of Davis Mayor Martin L. "Red" Cooper.

"Why did he do that?" Daugherty asked.

"We wanted to give him another chance," Daugherty said. "Anyone can steal a car. We thought he would start a new life. But he used us. Everyone of us."

"I can't understand why David would hurt Mrs. Cooper."

Our family always got along with the Coopers. She was a very good lady. I believe David liked Mr. and Mrs. Cooper very much.

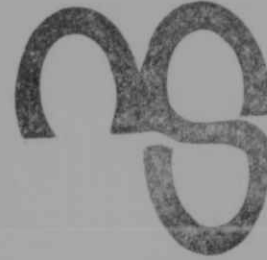
"There was no bad blood between us. David wasn't a bad boy. He wasn't cruel. All I can say is that a very good neighbor of ours is dead. She was so good that he should get the maximum punishment for it."

Mills allegedly abducted Mrs. Cooper at gunpoint, then called the Elkins Inter-Mountain, telling a reporter at the newspaper he wanted police to free a jailhouse chum, Frederick Dean Hamilton, 19, and give them \$750,000 in small bills.

Hamilton allegedly shot to death Trooper Bruce Brown when the lawman tried to book him October 14 at the jail in Davis on an abduction charge.

State Police theorize Mills killed Mrs. Cooper after making that first call around 3 p.m., only hours after Daugherty had patiently waited for Mills to pick up his clothing at the jail.

Mills possibly made his second call around 6:30 p.m.



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while hanging out in The Pub at the Canaan Valley ski resort.

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up to.

"He said he just got out of jail that morning and was waiting for a friend who was supposed to meet him around 9 p.m. He said his friend was getting out of jail that night."

Within an hour after making a collect call to police, Mills was captured when he tried to elude a policeman and drove into a snowbank.

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Library Corner

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Among the new books on the library's shelves are "The Wood-burning Stove Book" by Geri Harrington, "Leader Effectiveness Training" by Thomas Gordon, "Robert

Frost Country" by Betsy Melvin, "Joni" by Joni Eareckson and "The Indoor Garden" by Cynthia Wickham.

Recent novels include "The Girl" by Catherine Cookson, "The Black Marble" by Joseph Wambaugh, "Always Is Not Forever" by Helen Van Slyke, "Close Encounters of the Third Kind" by Steven Spielberg and "Trial Valley" by Bill and Vera Cleaver.

These books may be requested at the main library and any of the branch libraries.

PET POINTERS

by Jim Willis



Fleas are probably the most annoying of the animal parasites. They belong to the order Siphonaptera, and are wingless bloodsucking insects with a hard, laterally compressed body, long legs adapted to leaping, and free-living larvae. With a score of varieties, they infest every mammal, including man.

The humble flea reproduces at the speed of light, transmits blood diseases, carries other parasites such as mites and larval worms, causes itching sores, and as if that weren't enough — they are one of the hardest of animal parasites to eradicate.

Fleas are with us, indoors, all year round, but it is during the summer months that they

become unbearable. These insects are carried into the home on your clothing as well as on your pets.

The first step of extermination is to bathe your animals with a flea shampoo. (Do not bathe young kittens or puppies.) Then place the animals in a room without carpeting, to dry.

Vacuum the entire house, concentrating on the corners, under furniture, couch and chair cushions, and bedding. Any areas that your animals frequent should be given special attention. It is wise to empty the vacuum cleaner bag in an outside garbage can when you have finished.

While your animals are still isolated, spray the carpeting, bedding, closets, furniture and corners with a Malathion mixture. Then take Sevin, a parasite dusting powder, and apply it liberally under your cushions, furniture, between mattress and box springs, and any "hidden" areas. Both Malathion and Sevin are available from your garden center or a veterinarian.

Follow the same cleaning routine as often as needed. Because your carpeting and furniture are a breeding ground for fleas, it may take several cleanings to destroy all of the fleas' life cycles. Check your animals often and if they have been re-infested, treat them with a commercial flea spray or powder. Young puppies and kittens should never be treated without consulting your veterinarian.

Flea collars should be used with discretion and preferably with your veterinarian's approval. Recent studies have shown that some brands irritate mucous membranes,

aggravate chronic sinusitis, cause hair loss, and have been responsible for the death of young animals. When using any cleaning, disinfecting or exterminating compound, check the ingredients for phenol. Although it is found in preparations marked "safe for dogs," phenol is poisonous to felines.

It takes a lot of effort to control the flea population, but the hard work is well worth it. You and your animals will be much happier.

Events Above The Mountaintop

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Paul S. Frank, Jr.

MOON ILLUSION

Have you noticed that the moon appears larger after moonrise or just before moonset at Full Moon? This really is an illusion. To prove it, at next Full Moon compare the moon's size to a coin. Be sure to hold the coin at the same distance from your eye each time you sight the moon with it. The coin should exactly cover the moon at the same distance from the eye no matter which position the moon is in the sky.

MOON

Moonrise varies from 2:20 a.m. today to 7:44 a.m. next Wednesday. New Moon Phase will be at 9:54 a.m. Tuesday.

Sunday at 4:00 p.m. the moon will be 361,350 kilometers (224,580 miles) from earth. This perigee will be the closest the moon is to the earth this month.

VISIBLE PLANETS

Mercury, Mars, Jupiter, and Saturn are visible this week. Low in the southeast shortly before sunrise Mercury may be seen. Mars in Cancer is about halfway up in the east at sunset. Jupiter sets about four hours before the sun rises. It is among the stars of Taurus. Saturn rises near sunset with the stars of Leo.

DAYLENGTH INCREASES Twelve minutes more daylight will be available Wednesday. Sunrise was at 7:24 a.m. Sunset will be at 5:38 p.m. Wednesday sunrise will be five minutes earlier and sunset will be seven minutes later. Daylength will be ten hours 26 minutes on Wednesday.

Bittering-Glades

Church News

Most of the area church services were cancelled on Sunday, due to the weather.

Emmanuel Lutheran, Bittering, held Worship services with about fifty members present.

Holy Communion will be observed in each of the three churches of the Bittering Parish next Sunday. A parish dinner will be held at the Community Center following church services.

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Preston, Lois Preston and Caroline Roden of Columbia were Wednesday guests of Mrs. Jonas Beachy.

During the week visitors of Mrs. Ed Buckel and Ferne Beachy were Mr. and Mrs. Butch Buckel, Vicki, Brian and Holly, of Grantsville; Cindy, Sam and Aaron Stanton, Robert and Phyllis Buckel.

Mrs. Mary Livengood is now a patient at the Goodwill Nursing Home, Grantsville, after spending the past three years in the home of Mrs. Jonas Beachy.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brenne-man and daughter, Faith, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Headings, West Liberty, Ohio for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reckner entertained with a birthday dinner on Sunday, honoring family members who celebrated their birthdays in the month of January. The birthday honorees were Tom and James Glatfelter, Linda Bittering and Lillian Reckner. Others attending were John Reckner Jr., Charee and Cathy Reckner and Stephanie Hunter, Donna and Lisa Glatfelter and Cheryl Harman.

Saturday evening guests of the Reckners were Charee and Gary Reckner and Stephanie Hunter.

Mrs. James Glatfelter was a patient in Garrett County Memorial Hospital for several days last week suffering from tracheal bronchitis.

Homemakers' Club

Hold Meeting

Mrs. Loretta Opel was hostess to the Bittering Homemakers' Club at her home last Tuesday night. Eleven members and three guests were present, two of them becoming new members. Mrs. Agnes Yutzy and Mrs. Linda Buckel. Mrs. Sylvia Beitzel had the topic on the metric

system, also tips on conserving energy. The thought for the month was "The Golden Rule should be lived by all of us, Do unto others as you would have others do unto you."

After the meeting, a surprise birthday party was held for Mrs. Annie Buckel. Refreshments of a decorated cake were served. Those present were Mrs. Opel, President of the club; Mrs. Norma Mitchell, Mrs. Joyce Brenne-man, Mrs. Ethel Buckel, Mrs. Agnes Yutzy, Mrs. Sylvia Beitzel and Sherry, Mrs. Janet Brenne-man, Mrs. Marion Stephens, Mrs. Linda Buckel, Harriet Buckel, Ferne Beachy, Ruth Glatfelter, Annie Buckel and Dorothy Teets.

Goldstein, Spriggs

To Discuss Income

Tax On WMSG

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein will be joined by George H. Spriggs, Jr., Chief of the Maryland Income Tax Division, to discuss 1977 Maryland income tax in two radio programs, to be aired on WMSG in Oakland Sunday, February 5 and February 12, at 6:35 p.m.

Among the major points the two men will discuss are how major changes in the Federal form affect Maryland taxpayers, who must file an income tax return, which form to use, special features affecting senior citizens, and other important features on the 1977 Maryland tax form.

"Remember Federal law concerning the standard deduction has changed. If you are required to take the new 'zero bracket amount' on your Federal income tax return, you must also take the standard deduction on your Maryland return," Mr. Goldstein said.

The Comptroller noted that "one feature on the Maryland income tax form that is important to note concerns estimated tax payments. Maryland law requires taxpayers to file Declarations of Estimated Tax if they earn \$500 or more per year which is not subject to withholding. Line 25, at the bottom of the 1977 Maryland income tax form, offers estimated taxpayers the opportunity to apply part or all of their refund to be applied to their 1978 estimated tax account."

Mr. Goldstein added that taxpayers who want detailed assistance and help in preparing their 1977 Maryland income tax returns should come in person to the State Income Tax Building in Annapolis, to the Baltimore State Office Building at 301 West Preston Street, or to any of the 9 other branch offices listed on the back of the income tax packet.

Maryland taxpayers have until Monday, April 17, 1978, to file their State income tax returns because the normal April 15th deadline falls on a Saturday.

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CRELLIN

Ernest (Pete) Knotts is a patient in the Garrett County Memorial Hospital after suffering a heart attack last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vick Slau-baugh and daughter of near Underwood are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, Saturday guests of the Fosters were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Hebb and daughters, of Valley Point, W. Va. Mrs. Lois Stiles, of Essex, spent last Saturday night with the Fosters.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hebb and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and daughter, Carolyn, attended a surprise birthday party last Saturday evening given in honor of Mrs. Ruth Cosner at her home at Deer Park.

David Tressler and Lori White, near Underwood, spent last Saturday night with their grandmother, Mrs. Anna Lee, who returned home last week after spending a few months with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee in Tampa, Florida.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Stiles were Mrs. Douglas Stiles and son of Essex; Tommy Upole, Deer Park; Donald Stiles, Kitzmiller; Delbert Friend and Gilbert Bowman, of Crellin.

City, Counties Receive

Amusement Revenue

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein said this week that admissions and amusement tax revenue totaling \$2,147,496.18 has been distributed to Maryland's 23 counties, Baltimore City, and the other cities and towns across the state. "This distribution represents taxes collected during October, November, and December 1977, and is about \$190,000 more than the \$1,957,331.39 returned to the subdivisions for the same period of 1976," Mr. Goldstein said.

Admissions and amusement tax revenue for the first six months of Fiscal Year 1978 amounted to \$4,618,369.99 as compared to \$4,360,207.77 for the first six months of Fiscal Year 1977.

Distribution of the admissions and amusement tax revenues for October, November, and December 1977 to Baltimore City and Maryland's 23 counties included a check to Garrett County for \$5,214.17. Allegany County received \$5,722.66.

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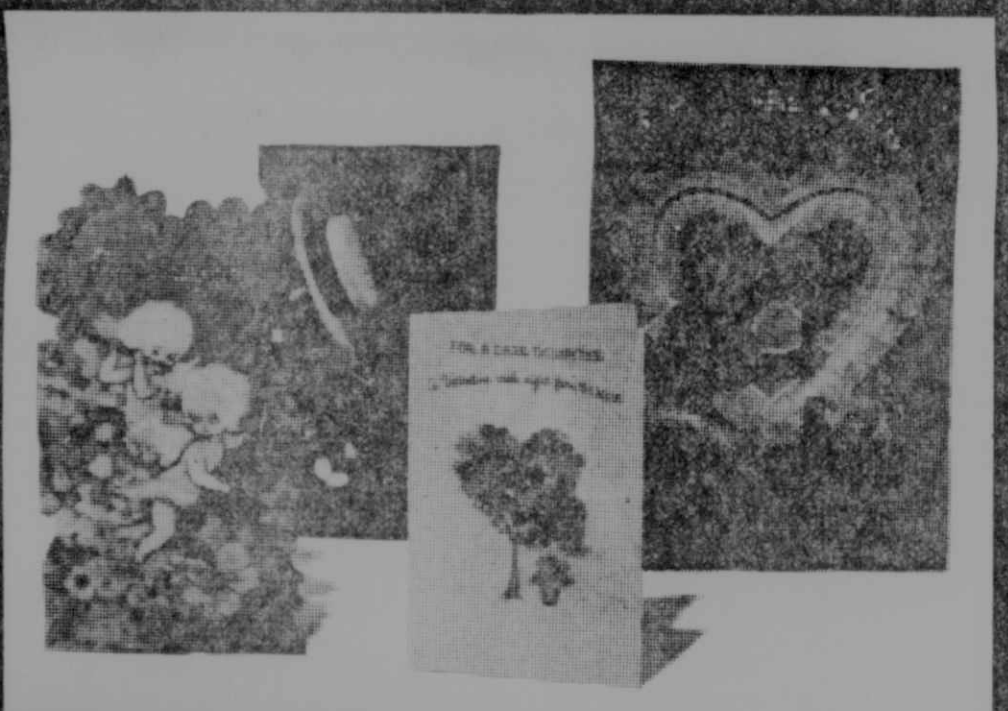
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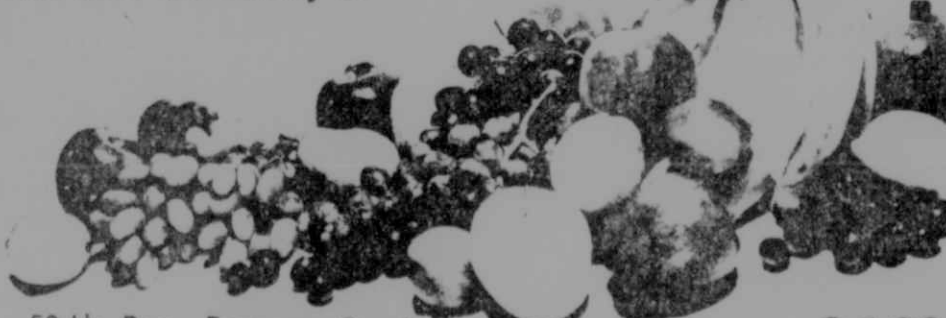
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by Cathy Helbig

It was 1891 and the Garrett County area was digging out from under the snow of the past winter. Spring approached turning a young man's fancy to the finer things: Strike!

"On Monday of this week, the miners in the employ of Mr. R. I. Anderson, at Corinth, struck for an advance in wages of ten cents a ton. They have been receiving forty cents a ton, but thought they should

receive fifty cents a ton, and made the demand for the same.

"Mr. Anderson refused their demand, and a strike is the consequence. The men will be paid in full and discharged at once, and other miners employed.

"We are told that other men were anxious to work as soon as the strikers came out, but were intimidated.

"Every precaution will be taken to prevent trouble at the mines, and it is hoped there will be none."

And so it goes; It doesn't seem as though the miners have changed much since 1891.

As the warmer weather moved in, many more people were spending more time outside, such is the case of an elderly woman found in the middle of the road.

"As a Mrs. Hoff was returning to her farm several miles from town she came upon an aged woman in the road in a helpless condition. Thinking she might be insane and fearful and perish if left out over night, Mrs. Hoff brought the lady into town and gave her over to the town authorities. After she had been placed in the lock-up, she was found to be drunk instead of insane. The woman must have

been at least 80 years old. She gave her name as Richmond but could not tell where her home is."

As the flowers bloomed, the air became filled with the scent that only spring or a skunk provides; "Mr. Pew of Blaine, W. Va. set a trap for a skunk a few nights since, and having a long walk to the trap next morning he was of necessity late in getting there. Upon his arrival he found that it had been visited by two Italians and they knowing no better took the 'cat' out of the trap, and if reports are true have dined sumptuously."

As the end of a Garrett County winter is just cause for celebration, several of the town's citizens over-did it just a little; "A tramp, filled with liquor and swearing he was the great and mighty Sullivan, was arrested and locked up last Friday night. He was released Saturday morning."

"Judging from the number of drunken people on our streets last Saturday night, the 'saloon keepers must have done a rushing business."

"A. J. Hardy, of Terra Alta, who has been in Oakland several days on a 'sneeze', had his 'fun' cut short on Wednesday by being placed in the lock-up."

And area doctor was honored by President Harrison and the story was told in the locals: "One day last week Dr. J. Lee McComas received from the White House a handsome hand painted cup and saucer. The decorating was done by Mrs. Harrison. The doctor was the physician for the President's family during their stay at Deer Park during the summer of 1889. The gift is in kindly

remembrance of the doctor's attentions."

Fraudulent schemes are not new, unfortunately. Even in 1891 residents had to beware of illegal contracts: "Look out! a gang of men traveling about the country making contracts for painting roofs. If they offer to paint your roof for \$5.00, or any price, don't fail to ask them how much they charge for the paint before you close the contract. In the price of the paint, the fraud exists."

The usual mishaps occurred during this time. "Last Thursday as Philip Davis was driving down Third Street with a load of hay, he allowed his team to walk into the glass front of O. Hart & Sons store breaking one of the large windows." Perhaps, a required "Horse Drivers Examination" wouldn't have been too absurd.

Finally, even in 1891, good taste could be seen. "The Republican has greatly improved," said a gentleman from Washington to us the other day. We agree with him.

We're not getting older, just better.

SANG RUN

Mrs. George Tasker and girls were recent overnight guests of her mother, Mrs. Robert Crane, Mt. Lake Park. Mr. and Mrs. Milton DeWitt visited Mrs. Dale Hinebaugh and Tony Monday.

Mrs. Mary DeWitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Owen Frazee Tuesday and Wednesday. Kathy Carr was a Monday overnight guest of Cynthia Carr.

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Holy Communion will be celebrated at St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, on Sunday, February 5 at 9 a.m., followed by the Sunday School session at 10:15 a.m. The mid-week Lenten service on Ash Wednesday, February 8, will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church, Accident, for that congregation as well as for St. John's congregation. The Young People's Society of the church will meet on Thursday, February 9 at 7:30 p.m. Pastor Herbert B. Schae of Sarnia, Ontario, Canada, will be installed pastor of St. John's on Sunday, February 19, at 7:30 p.m.

The mid-week Lenten service for the Accident Lutheran Parish at Ash Wednesday, February 8, will be at Grace Lutheran Church, Friendsville 4 p.m. the following week, February 11, the service will be at St. John's Lutheran Church, LCA.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sines announce the birth of their second child and son, Timothy Douglas, at the Meyersdale Community Hospital on Wednesday, January 25. Mrs. Sines is the former Miss Bonnie Butler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sines, Friendsville, are the paternal grandparents. Mrs. Laura Kamp, Parkleysburg, and Mrs. Ed Butler are the maternal great-grandparents. The infant weighed 8 pounds and 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hockman announce the birth of a son on Friday, January 27, at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland. The infant weighed 8 pounds and 4 ounces and has been named Dean Aon. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman are the paternal grandparents. Mrs. Hockman at daughter, Danielle, spent some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Durkin, Eckert, due to the severe winter weather prior to her admittance to the hospital.

Mrs. Norma Boman, McHenry; Mrs. Donald Inger and Mrs. Twyla Sylvat entertained with a surprise stork shower honoring Mrs. Sharon Thomas Platt on Wednesday evening at the Accident Elementary School. Faculty members were present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bender and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Miller, Grantsville.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Deniker were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Deniker, Deep Creek Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Deniker and daughter. A recent afternoon visitor was Michael Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzpatrick and daughters, LaVale, were Sunday dinner guests of

William Harman remains a patient at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, where he underwent surgery last week. A number of people from this area have visited with him.

Albert Richter and Earl Hanft were both discharged from Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, during the week and have returned to their respective homes here.

The Covenant Players of Los Angeles, California, presented a series of dramas on living and sharing the Christian Faith at St. John's Lutheran Church, LCA, on Sunday morning and at Zion Lutheran Church, Accident, on Sunday evening. Two of the group, Lori Budd and Larry Seppert, were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reichenbecher. They were also Sunday overnight guests, joined by Julia Donaldson and Kathleen Kelly.

The Cove Homemakers' Club met on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Paul Bender. The demonstration "The Metric System" and "Tips on Conserving Energy" was presented by Mrs. Walter Margroff, assisted by Miss Alverta Dillon. A book report on "Snake Temple, An India Diary" by Rev. H. Earl Miller, a Lutheran Missionary to India from 1928 to 1954 and now residing adjacent to Concordia Lutheran Home for the Aged, Cabot, Pa., was presented by Mrs. Walter Hanft.

The next meeting will be on Monday, February 27, at the home of Mrs. Oren Bender with the clothing demonstration being presented by Mrs. Walter Richter and Mrs. Danny Uphold.

Mrs. Ron Hockman and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Wiley, Grantsville, where the fifth birthday anniversary of the twins, Sherri and Terri Hockman, occurring January 30, was celebrated.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Richter were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richter, Silver Springs; and Mrs. Edith Butler. Guests at the 12th birthday anniversary party given for Vivian Richter were Carissa Selby and Lani Dailey, McHenry; Amy Welborn, Accident; Sharon Kolbfeisch, Amy Margroff and Jill Margroff.

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Walter Collier. Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Oren Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Omar Maust, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Maust and family, Salisbury; Mr. and Mrs. Olen Beitzel and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Beitzel and sons, Alice Brennenman, Accident; and Don Brennenman, Grantsville.

Mrs. Wilma Brown was a Tuesday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Brown, McHenry. Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Younklin were Mr. and Mrs. William Rice and family, Finzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glass were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Hetz. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Margroff were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Margroff and family and Miss Amy Margroff.

Ralph Kolbfeisch was a visitor of Edward Hachman and Mrs. Clara McRobie. They were all three visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Dixon, Oakland, on Tuesday.

A weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Everett McClintock was their daughter, Miss Donna McClintock, who is a student at West Virginia University, Morgantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bender and children, Gina and Eric, were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hersherberger, Springs, Pa.

Tax Offices To Be Open Saturday

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein announced this week that all offices of the Income Tax Division of his office will be open on Saturday, February 4, and Saturday, February 11, to offer both telephone and walk-in tax assistance. The offices will be open from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.

"Personnel in all eleven offices of the Maryland Income Tax Division will complete State Income Tax returns free of charge," Mr. Goldstein said.

Taxpayers wishing to take advantage of this service should bring with them a completed copy of their 1977 Federal Income Tax return and all tax withholding forms.

"The location and telephone numbers of all offices of the Maryland Income Tax Division are listed on the back of the State income tax packet and in local telephone directories," Comptroller Goldstein said.

The office closest to Garrett County is on Market Street in Cumberland.

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To a world apparently determined on suicide, to a society tormented by fear and futility, the church proclaims the glad good news of God. Unbelieving man is utterly helpless by himself to turn to God. God awakens the heart and lifts man all the way to him. He comes to humanity floundering in the mire and brings salvation. How far that is from a code of laws!

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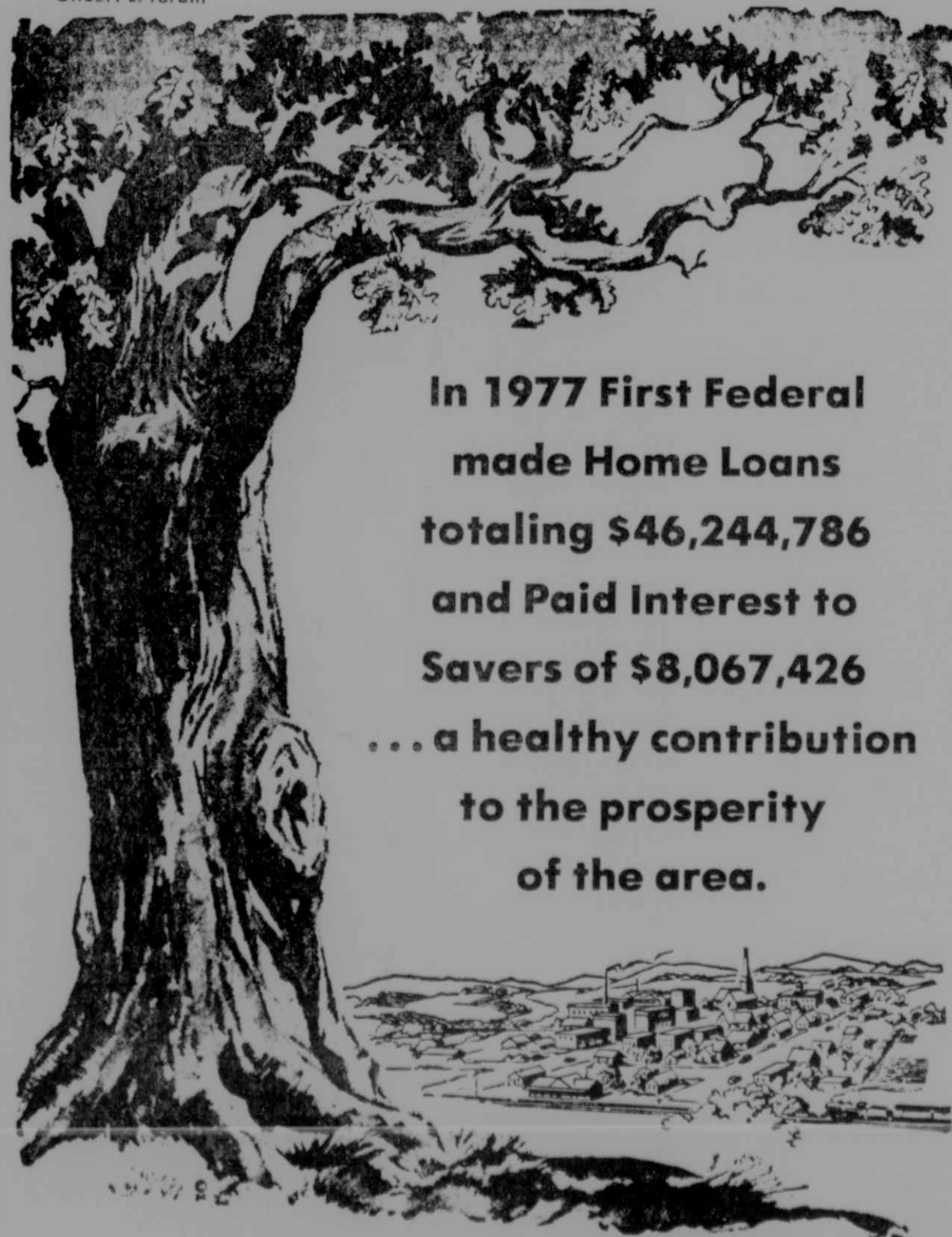
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TOP GCC SCORER — Ken Niner, #34, goes up for 2 of his 24 game-high total for Garrett Community College last night against Allegany Community College. The Lakers lost the game

in the final two seconds of an overtime period, 72-71, for their fifth defeat of the year by a single point. Also in the photo for GCC are Kevin Liller, extreme left, and #30 Ric Phillips.

Huskies Beat Cabin-Fever, Score Three Big Wins In A Row

Northern High's Huskies, snowbound since January 6, made a victorious debut to the delight of coach Harv Speicher, as they turned back Flintstone, 66-54 on the Huskies home court, Saturday night.

Northern led at every quarter with 6-6 junior center, Tony Doerr leading the attack with 18 points, while Jim Spear chipped in with 17 and Bill Bender 10, upping their record to 5-6.

Dropping to 3-8, Flintstone's Tim Helmstetter scored 18 points and teammates Brian Mauzy and Greg Heavner added 14 and 12.

In Monday's contest, Northern's Bill Bender spurred the offense with his 23 points as the Huskies went on to beat Turkeyfoot, 68-64.

Bender scored with nine from the floor and five of six from the stripe as the Huskies left a 18-8 halftime deficit in the dust and evened the scales with a 6-6 record.

Northern led 33-27 at intermission and had 51 points to Turkeyfoot's 44 as they entered the last eight minutes of the game. Tony Doerr finished with 21 points, Jim Spear, 12 and Jamie Workman with ten points and as many assists.

Three's a charm, as proved

by Tony Doer who pitched in 31 points as Jamie Workman added ten assists helping Northern to topple Mt. Savage's visiting team in a 78-56 win Tuesday night.

The Huskies were held at bay, 16-16 at the close of the opening period, but took a 39-28 advantage at intermission.

Doer slapped in ten baskets and 11 of 13 from the line to chalk up another Northern win, upping the Huskies record to 7-6.

Jim Spear chipped in with 21 points and Bill Bender, 17, as the Indians fought back with Dave Growden's 13 points. Dave Miller and Mark Lashly each contributed a dozen points for Mt. Savage, to no avail as the Tribe dropped to 4-9 for the season.

The Northern Huskies are expected to challenge Oldtown on Friday evening.

Turkeyfoot	G	F	P	T
Doerr	7	0	0	14
T. Fike	4	1	3	9
N. Fike	2	0	1	2
Gray	3	2	5	8
Virgil	5	1	4	10
Lytle	2	0	1	4
Younkin	3	0	0	4
Totals	29	8	17	23

Northern	G	F	P	T
Doerr	2	8	10	20
Spear	1	0	2	2
Doerr	7	1	1	5
Spear	5	3	2	12
Bender	3	4	2	10
Totals	24	20	16	48

Turkeyfoot 44-51 Northern 51-48

4-H Skate-A-Thon Set For Saturday

A 4-H Skate-A-Thon and roller skating party will be held this Saturday, February 4 at the Tri-Roller Rink, Oakland, for members, their families and friends, who are invited to skate anytime between 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Cost will be \$1.00 for skaters, \$5.00 for skate rental, and \$1.50 for spectators.

Individuals participating in the Skate-A-Thon are urged to make contacts for their pledges prior to the skating on Saturday, according to Alice E. Hevner, extension agent.

Prizes for the first and second place individuals securing the most money through pledges will be \$15.00 and \$10.00 respectively. All money must be turned into the 4-H Office by 4:30 p.m. on February 21 to be eligible. Ms. Hevner said.

Cumberlander, Joe Riley then scored with a tip-in, following a missed short jumper, handing the win to ACC.

Niner led the Lakers with 23 points and Guadagnino and Liller each scored 16 points apiece.

Lakers Downed By One Point For The Fifth Time This Season

The Garrett Lakers fell to Allegany Community College by a score of 73-72 on the Lakers' home court. The Lakers now stand at 13-8, which doesn't appear to be an impressive record until one considers that those eight games were lost by only a total of 24 points, and that five of those contests were lost by one point.

Ken Niner, John Guadagnino and Kevin Liller urged the Lakers on during an up and down scoring match in the first quarter. Garrett maintained the lead in the last minutes of the second period, ending in a 43-38 half-time advantage.

Early in the second half, ACC caught up to tie the score 50-50 and the battle was on, with regular game time ending in 67 all. ACC led 71-70 with 55 seconds left in the overtime period when Kevin Liller connected with a lay-up which gave the Lakers 72 points to ACC's 71.

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The Lakers, who stand at seven losses, 12 victories, had recently totalled the Titans, 65-55, for the championship of the Lakers Rotary Christmas Tournament.

Garrett trailed 34-28 at the half to the much improved Titans, but began to peak, closing the gap to 61-59. Kevin Liller, 6-2 star sophomore, advanced to the foul-line for a one-on-one situation, with 20 seconds on the clock.

Liller clicked with the first shot, but missed the second as Beaver took the rebound. However, Garrett recaptured the ball and Liller fired a shot from the corner as the buzzer sounded. The shot would have won the game for the Lakers if it would've connected. Unfortunately it didn't and Garrett endured its second narrow

loss of the week. On Wednesday the Lakers absorbed a 72-70 loss to Baltimore in McHenry.

Ken Niner lead the Laker scorers with 16 points, followed by Liller with 13 and Neil Rice with 12.

The Titans' Mike McCombs carried 14 points with Bill Shepherd and Mike Lindsey adding 12 each. Beaver has developed into a formidable opponent, despite their 9-7 record, as they dealt Allegheny-Boyce Campus their first loss of the season last week.

Beaver County G F P T
Lindsey 6 0 2 12
Shepherd 5 2 5 12
McCombs 3 8 9 14
Jackson 2 5 3 7
Proppies 2 4 5 10
Cashaw 3 0 0 2
Stephens 1 0 0 2
Totals 22 17 27 61

Garrett CC G F P T
McPherson 4 0 0 8
Guadagnino 3 0 0 6
Liller 5 3 5 13
Rice 6 0 1 12
Niner 6 2 2 8
McPherson 3 1 2 7
Broshman 4 4 7 14
Phillips 1 0 0 2
Totals 30 10 23 70

Beaver (Penn St) G F P T
Ross 13 3 5 29
Freeman 5 0 4 10
Hann 1 0 2 2
Terovich 2 1 4 5
Hann 6 2 4 14
Mangle 0 0 0 0
Jennings 0 3 4 5
Harriet 4 0 1 8
DeChew 1 1 0 3
Totals 32 10 21 74

Jarrett 48 79
Beaver 37 74

Southern JV Rally Foiled By Valley

Southern's JV Rams rallied from a 15-point deficit in the third period, but fell to the Valley JVs by 49-42, at Lonaconing on Saturday night. It was only the third loss of the season for the Rams.

Dave Hershman led a deadlocked 12-12 first period, with ten points. Southern could muster little offense in the second period and fell behind 29-23 at half-time.

The third period was the Ram's worst offensive quarter of the season shooting 0-15 as they trailed 39-24. There appeared little hope for victory, but Andrew Fike, Delbert Liller, Scott Winters and Doug Devlin managed to trim the Valley lead to 45-42.

Dave Hershman emerged the game's high-scorer with 20 points, but Valley's final two baskets neutralized his efforts as the Black Knights went on to win 49-42.

Southern JV	G	F	P	T
Dave Hershman	9	5	5	20
Doug Devlin	1	0	2	2
Delbert Liller	3	4	3	6
Scott Winters	3	1	2	7
Andrew Fike	3	1	2	4
Bart Switzer	0	0	1	0
Totals	19	4	16	42

Valley	G	F	P	T
Kovan	6	1	2	12
Smith	3	4	1	10
Johnson	4	0	0	8
Winters	0	4	3	5
Miller	0	2	0	2
Lewis	3	3	4	12
Totals	18	13	13	49



Delbert Liller, #13, cheers on teammate Dave Hershman as he takes careful aim and shoots to a career-high, record-breaking 32 points during Southern JV's win over Allegany, Tuesday evening.

Wisp Ski Club Plans Races, Trips

Members of the Wisp Ski Club met in the Crow's Nest at the Village Inn after Sunday's skiing. The club plans to sponsor an overnight trip to Snow Shoe Ski Area at Slatyfork, W. Va. for the Killy Cup race, February 13. Additional plans are underway for the Wisp Cup Race, February 19 with a rock dance to follow that evening at the McHenry House.

Jon Umbel returned from Seven Springs, placing third in his division in the Giant Slalom race. Ms. Ruth Umbel, ski club president, announced plans to take the junior racers to the Eastern Pennsylvania Ski Council Race at the Jack Frost Ski Area, Gulp Mills, Pa. on February 14. Jerry Geisler, racing co-ordinator, will be taking interested racers to Seven Springs on February 5.

The next meeting of the Wisp Ski Club is scheduled for Wednesday, February 15, at 9:30 p.m. in the McHenry House following skiing.

JV Ram Hershman Hits 32 Points In Win Over Allegany Campers

Dave Hershman scored a career high of 32 points in leading the Southern JV Team's win over Allegany, 59-56, Tuesday evening at Southern. Allegany entered the contest with a 10-1 record and had beaten the Rams, 45-29, in a previous meeting. Hershman's game total is believed to be a new JV scoring record.

From the beginning it was catch-up basketball for the Rams with the Campers leading 18-11 at the close of the first quarter. Southern rallied to tie the score behind Bart Switzer's steal and bucket which brought the score to 23 all. Allegany bristled and fought to a 38-29 half-time advantage. The back-court duo of Doug Devlin and Delbert Liller enabled the Rams to cut the Campers' third quarter lead to 50-43.

The fourth quarter started Dave Hershman who connected with all six of his shots and gave Southern their first

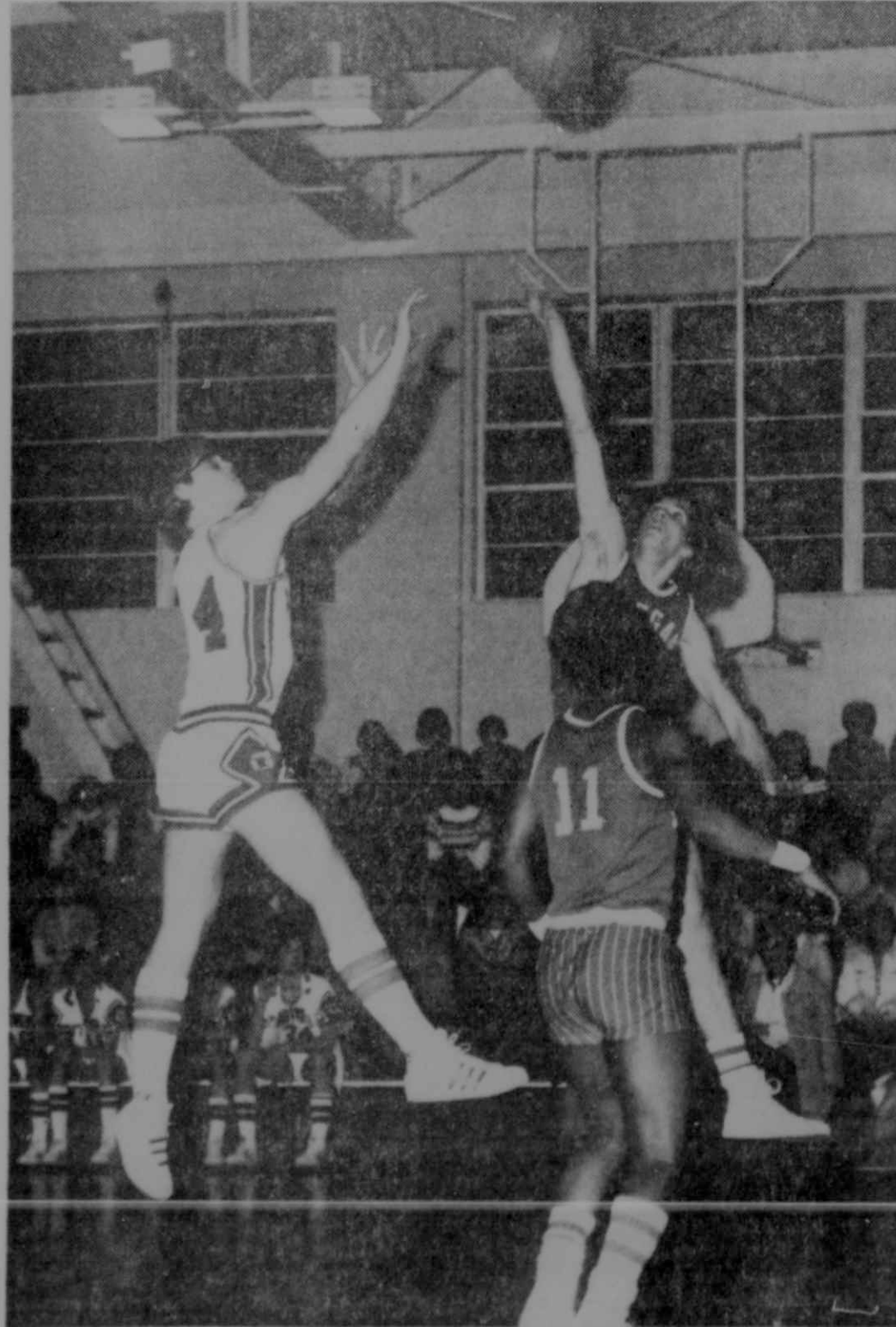
lead, 57-56, with 41 seconds of play left. Allegany shot but Scott Winters grabbed the rebound and passed to Devlin, who was then surrounded by Campers. Delbert Liller took the tip-off, was fouled and then calmly sank both free-throws to maintain the lead.

Andy Fike held Allegany's 6-5, high-scoring center to two points in a key defensive job ending in an impressive win for the JV Rams which raised their standing to 8-3.

The Rams host Petersburg JVs next Tuesday evening.

Southern JV	G	F	P	T
Dave Hershman	14	4	8	32
Doug Devlin	2	1	2	3
Delbert Liller	3	2	1	12
Scott Winters	2	0	2	4
Andy Fike	1	0	0	2
Bart Switzer	2	0	0	4
Link Bennett	0	0	1	0
Jeff White	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	7	14	56

Allegany G F P T
Blackburn 1 0 0 0 2
Barrow 1 0 0 1 2
Chapman 0 2 4 4 2
Martin 2 0 0 4 4
Nunnally 3 2 5 1 13
Davis 4 1 10 3 15
Innes 2 0 4 2 17
Wayland 0 1 2 0 1
Totals 18 20 29 15 56



Southern's Dave Kahi straddles the air as he reaches for the ball that rolled to a 73-63 win over Allegany. The Rams charge Petersburg at Southern, next Tuesday evening.



Todd Liller goes up for the shot as he proves that basketball runs in the blood — Todd contributed 16 points to the Ram's win over Allegany, as cousin Steve shot his way to a 29-point game high. Cheering Southern fans weren't sure if this was basketball or "All in the Family."

Steve Liller Hits 29 Points As Rams Defeat Allegany, 73-63

Steve Liller shot his way to a 29-point game high on his home court, as Southern quelled a third quarter Allegany comeback to a 73-63 win for the Rams, Tuesday evening. Both of the season's contests between the two teams have ended in Southern victories.

The 75-68 victims of their first clash, the Campers trailed 26-6 in the opening quarter and again 42-24 at intermission. Allegany eased their way to a 57-41 deficit, but were overcome by the charging Rams who evened their record to 7-7. Liller clicked with 11 baskets, and was seven for nine at the 15 foot mark to lead three Rams in double figures.

Steve's cousin Todd Liller contributed 16 points and Brad Bittinger added 11 for Southern.

Allegany's Jim Matthews led

his team with 17 points and three of four from the line. Todd Downz finished with 16 and Ken Brant 12.

This was the tenth loss in 13 games for Allegany.

In the preliminary game, Dave Hershman was good for 32 points as the Rams presented the Campers with a 59-56 loss and their second defeat of the season.

Allegany	G	F	PF	T
Erich	0	0	1	0
Sullivan	2	0	3	4
Downz	7	2	3	16
Matthews	7	3	4	17
Puhalla	1	0	0	1
Thom	1	2	3	4
Brant	5	2	0	12
Baker	4	0	2	8
Totals	27	9	16	63
Southern	G	F	PF	T
Liller	11	9	4	29
Bittinger	6	1	2	11
Liller, T.	6	4	2	16
Kahl	0	2	1	1
DiSimone	4	0	1	4
Messenger	4	0	1	8
Totals	31	13	14	73
Allegany	6	24	41	63
Southern	26	42	47	73

Liller Stars In Rams' Victory

Steve Liller led Southern's dazzling attack on Valley Saturday night at Lonaconing, which enabled the Rams to come from behind and halt Valley's six-game winning streak with a score of 72-66.

Liller sunk 35 points on 11 field goals and 13 of 17 at the line as the Rams overwhelmed a 33-38 deficit in the third quarter. Southern led by 11 in the first four minutes of the third quarter and Valley vainly attempted to move up throughout the remainder of the game.

Twenty-two of Liller's points were scored when he hit six times from the court and succeeded with ten of twelve free-throw attempts in the first half.

Dave Kahl and Todd Liller co-starred Southern's offense with 12 and 11 points. The

victory marked the sixth in 13 starts for the Rams.

Valley, the WMI League leaders, were led by Jeff Rhodes who had 20 points. Steve Metz and Mike Lewis contributed 11 while Terry Broadwater had ten. The loss was the third for the Black Knights who have won 12 games.

Southern	G	F	PF	T
S. Liller	11	13	4	35
Brad Bittinger	6	2	4	2
DiSimone	2	0	0	4
T. Liller	5	1	0	11
Messenger	3	0	0	4
Kahl	4	2	4	12
Stover	1	0	0	2
Totals	28	20	20	72
Valley	G	F	PF	T
Hobel	4	1	2	4
Rhodes	7	6	2	20
Preston	0	0	0	0
Metz	5	1	2	11
P. Nolan	2	1	2	5
Lewis	4	4	3	11
Broadwater	2	6	1	10
M. Nolan	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	18	22	66
Southern	18	32	10	72
Valley	15	38	46	66

Par-Matt Lanes Games Activities

In the Skirts League, Unpredictables were in first place, followed by Alley Cats and Leftovers. High team series was won by Head Pins with a 2196. Lucky 4 was second with a 2148 and Alley Cats were third with a 2102. The Head Pins took the high team game with a 791, followed by Lucky 4 with a 787 and

Head Pins were also third, rolling a 762. Sue Kissner rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 526. Erma Stephens was second with 499 and Dolores Hayden was third with a 486. High individual game was also won by Sue Kissner with a 196 and 190, followed by Beulah Crabtree with a 188, and in third place was Erma Stephens, who rolled a 187.

In the Thursday Early Mixed League, Island Creek Early Birds were in first place,

followed by Road Runners and Oakland Coin Laundry. High team series was won by Island Creek Early Birds with 3104. Road Runners were second with 3046 and Clippers were third with 3011. The Clippers took the high team game with 1089, followed by Road Runners with 1060 and Island Creek Early Birds were third, rolling 1042. Jim Matthews and Bob Llewellyn rolled the high individual series for the week, each scoring 589. Buddy Tasker was second with 573 and Willard Donham was third with 565. High individual game was won by Don Butler with 231, followed by Jim Matthews with 222 and in third place was Buddy Tasker, who rolled a 214. In the ladies' action, Chris Fischetti rolled the high individual series with 523, followed by Eleanor Beckman with 520 and Mary Lou Polce was third rolling 489. High individual game was won by Mary Lou Polce who rolled 207, followed by Louise Schrock and Ruby Sylvester in second place with 202's and in third place was Cheryl Coddington who rolled 190.

In the Mt. Top Men's League, Tail Ends were in first place, followed by Beachy Lumber Co. and Lewis Building. High team series was won by Beachy Lumber Co. with 3022. Lewis Building was second with 2966 and Reeves Fence was third with 2947. Tail Ends took the high team game with 1064, followed by Big Tee with 1030 and Beachy Lumber Co. was third, rolling 1029. Don Parsons rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 622. Randy Donham was second with 590 and Ken Sisler was third with 589. High individual game was won by Jeff Friend with 237, followed by Roger Parsons with 234 and in third place were Don Parsons, Ken Sisler and Ed Peck, who each rolled 233.

In the Sunday Mixed League, Par-Matt was in first place, followed by Island Creek and Rock 'n' Rollers. High team series was won by Jolly Five with 2953. Steamrollers were second with 2933 and Country Box was third with 2925. Jolly Five took the high team game with 1020, followed by Smith's Family with 1018 and Winter Foul was third, rolling 1008. Jesse Gnegy rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 610. Ron Michael was second with 607 and Gene Estill was third with 551. High individual game was won by Ron Michael with 237, followed by Harold Fike with 224 and in third place was Jesse Gnegy who rolled a 214. In the ladies' action Bertha Sanders rolled the high individual series with 520, followed by Marilyn Johnson with 519 and Deloris Murphy was third rolling a 501. High individual game was won by Florence Estill who rolled a 202, followed by Bertha Sanders in second place with 196

and in third place was Marilyn Johnson, who rolled 194.

In the Civic League, Army-Navy was in first place, followed by Little Seven and 135 Meat Market. High team series was won by Bayard Fire Department with 3065. Army-Navy and Ben's Plumbing and Heating were second with 2954's and Oakland Electric was third with 2900. Bayard Fire Department took the high team game with 1037, followed by Gtiffelty Lumber with 1032 and Ben's Plumbing Heating was third, rolling a 1016. Dave Parsons rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 601. Jeff Murphy was second with 580 and Rocky Smith was third with 568. High individual game was also won by Dave Parsons with 223, followed by Don Gtiffelty, Sr. with a 220 and in third place were Bill Stewart and Mike Collins, who each rolled a 216.

In the Ladies' Merchant League, Walt's General Store was in first place, followed by Village Inn and Farmers' Fruit Market. High team series was won by Farmers' Fruit Market with a 2334. Walt's Store was second with a 2233 and Teets' Travelers was third with a 2215. The Farmers' Fruit Market took the high team game with a 829, followed by Teets' Travelers with a 818 and Walt's Store was third, rolling a 814. Shirley Patterson rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 542. Sue Evans was second with 526 and Sylvia Beeghly was third with a 515. High individual games were won by Pat Felsing and Sue Evans with 208's, followed by Janet Tichnell and Shirley Patterson with 199's and in third place were June Bray and Pearl Parsons, who each rolled a 191.

In the Monday Late Mixed League, Ollie's Body Shop was in first place, followed by Cee Dee and Humberson Homes.

High team series was won by Bandit and The Outlaws with 2211. Humberson Homes was second with 2156 and Ollie's Body Shop was third with 2106. The Bandit and The Outlaws took the high team game with 741, followed by The Lakers with 740 and Humberson Homes was third, rolling 729. Paul Viragh rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 548. John Skipper was second with 528 and Mike Collins was third with 512. High individual game was won by Frank Perry with 204, followed by John Skipper with 201 and in third place was Bill Gindlesberger, who rolled 199. In ladies' action Sue Collins rolled the high individual series with 472, followed by Eleanor Beckman with 464 and Anna Matthews was third rolling 454. High individual game was won by Doris Zacheis who rolled 180, followed by Eleanor Beckman in second place with 169 and in third place was Sue Collins, who rolled a 167.

Snowfall Record Set In January

Snowfall for January set two records, one for the month itself and also for an all-time record for any month. During the month snowfall amounted to 65.3 inches. January was

also one of the wettest on record with seven inches of precipitation falling as rain but mostly snow. Temperature-wise the month was about ten degrees warmer than the same month last year.

A trace or more of snow fell on 22 days during the month. The heaviest single daily fall was ten inches, which fell on the 20th. Seven inches fell on each of two other days. The greatest lapse of time between continuous snow storms was three days. Some snow fell every day from the 13th through the 22nd. On the 25th there was an inch of precipitation which fell as rain. From that time to the end of the month all precipitation fell as snow. Precipitation for the month totaled 7.08 inches or 2.7 above normal.

The 65.3 inches of snow topped the previous January record of 32.5 inches by 32.8 inches. The same top figure also exceeded the greatest record monthly of 42.4 inches set in February 1960 by 22.9 inches. Snowfall in January 1977 was 27.5 inches.

Temperatures for January averaged 10.9 degrees below normal. This is somewhat 'warmer' than the 16.5 degrees below normal experienced in January of 1977. Highs averaged 27.9 degrees or 11.1 below normal. The high was on

the 9th with 50 degrees. Only on 12 days did the mercury rise above the freezing mark. On the 24th the high was a frigid 3 degrees a drop of 47 degrees from the day before. Lows averaged 8.6 degrees or 10.8 below normal. The low for the month was a quite frigid minus 20 degrees on the 23rd. It was a minus 14 the following morning. The mercury dropped below freezing every day. The mildest low reading

was 30 degrees on the 25th. The total 1977-78 seasonal snowfall through January stands at 87.9 inches.

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MVA Sets Dates For Tag Renewal

The Motor Vehicle Administration will begin mailing 1978 license tag renewal applications to Maryland's 1.9 million passenger car and motorcycle owners Friday, February 10. Validation stickers will be available at all MVA offices beginning Tuesday, February 14.

The MVA reported, however, that about 80,000 motorists will not receive their tag renewal applications because they either failed to pay parking tickets or comply with safety

equipment repair orders by December 5.

Instead, motorists holding outstanding parking tickets will receive a "flagging" letter, similar to a warning letter they previously received, informing them that their tag applications have been withheld, or "flagged," and spelling out the procedure for making payment. Motorists with unsatisfied repair orders already have been notified.

Only after a motorist has cleared up all outstanding parking tickets and repair orders will the MVA issue him a tag application.

MVA also wishes to remind

Maryland motorists that under the state's compulsory insurance law, every motor vehicle registered in the state must be insured in the minimum amounts of \$20,000/\$40,000 for bodily injury, \$5,000 for property damage, uninsured motorist coverage in the same amounts, and \$2,500 for economic loss. For motorcycles, however, economic loss coverage is not compulsory.

Motorists who have had their policies cancelled or whose insurance applications have been rejected by at least two private companies may apply to the Maryland Automobile Insurance Fund (MAIF), but in any case, they must have the necessary insurance coverage before they can receive their validation stickers.

Noting that the vast majority of Maryland motorists return their tag renewal applications and receive their validation stickers by mail, Ejner J. Johnson, MVA Administrator, pointed out that many others fail to heed this advice and find themselves standing in line at an MVA office as the tag expiration deadline approaches.

"Motorists," he said, "need only complete the application form and return it by mail with the required fee and insurance information to receive their stickers within a week or two, and without inconvenience." But he cautioned that applications received later than March 20 may not be processed in time to meet the March 31 deadline.

Vehicle owners who do not receive their tag applications by the end of February should contact the MVA immediately, giving their present tag number, the vehicle title and vehicle identification number (serial number), full name, and present address.

This information is necessary to enable the computer-printer to print correct applications. For further information motorists should contact the MVA branch office in their vicinity or call the Glen Burnie tag renewal information number 768-1800.

Validation stickers may be purchased from MVA Headquarters in Glen Burnie or at any MVA branch office from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. weekdays. Motorists are reminded, however, that most state offices, including the MVA, will be closed in observance of Lincoln's Birthday, Monday, February 13; Washington's Birthday, Monday, February 20; and Good Friday, Friday, March 24.

MVA branch offices are located at: Baltimore City, Metro Plaza Building, Mondawmin Shopping Center; Chesapeake City, Route 213, South Chesapeake City; College Park, 5112 Berwyn Road; Cumberland, Route 53, Winchester Road; Forestville, 7801 Parson Drive; Hagerstown, 237 E. Franklin Street; Rockville, 601 Southlawn Lane; Salisbury, Route 50 and Cypress Street; and Waldorf, Route 301 and Garner Road.

For the convenience of Maryland motorists, validation stickers may also be purchased from County Treasurers in Anne Arundel, Calvert, Caroline, Cecil, Charles, Dorchester, Garrett, Harford, Kent, Montgomery, Prince George's, Queen Anne's, St. Mary's, Somerset, Talbot and Worcester County.

Motorists are cautioned against displaying validation stickers before March 1 and reminded that the stickers must be displayed in the upper right-hand corner of all passenger vehicle tags and the lower right-hand corner of all motorcycle tags by midnight, March 31.

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Sheriff John Evans Files For Re-election



John Evans, Jr., Sheriff of Garrett County for the past three years, filed this week with the Supervisor of Board of Elections to run as a Democratic candidate for that office in the up-coming election this fall.

Sheriff Evans began his career in law enforcement in Garrett County in 1960 where he served as Constable until 1967.

From the years 1967 thru 1971, he served as a deputy with the Garrett County Sheriff's Department.

In 1971, he was hired as a special investigator for the county where he remained in this position until he was elected Sheriff in November, 1974.

Sheriff Evans began his duties as Sheriff on December 15, 1975.

ARMED SERVICES REVIEW

Airman Duke R. Prentice, son of Mrs. Martha G. Prentice of 416 Bradley Manor, Oakland, has graduated at Lackland AFB, Tex., from Air Force basic training.

The airman, who is remaining at Lackland for specialized training in the security police field, studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations. Completion of this training earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Prentice is a 1976 graduate of Southern High School. His father, Samuel R. Prentice Jr., resides at 5312 Taylor Road, Riverdale, Md.

Private Rodney L. Durst, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Durst, Swanton, recently was assigned as an infantryman with the 3rd U. S. Infantry (The Old Guard) at Ft. Myer, Va.

Pvt. Durst entered the Army in August of last year. The private is a 1977 graduate of Southern High School in Oakland.

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DNR Advisory Board Chairman Named, Succeeds R. T. Thayer

An Eastern Shore conservationist is the new chairman of the Advisory Board of the Secretary of Natural Resources.

V. Edwin Unger, of Federalsburg, succeeds R. Thomas Thayer, of Oakland, as chairman of the 18-member board.

Announcement of the appointment was made by James B. Coulter, Secretary of Natural Resources.

The secretary praised the leadership the board received over the past six years from Mr. Thayer.

Mr. Coulter described the board's contributions to the operation of the department while Mr. Thayer was chairman as "significant" and "beneficial."

Mr. Unger said he has a "big job ahead if I am to equal the performance of my predecessor."

Mr. Unger is retired from a retail-wholesale oil business based in Federalsburg. He has an active interest in the environment and conservation of natural resources.

The Secretary's Advisory Board examines current issues facing the department and suggests positions the Secretary may take on them and advises on any possible decision he may make.

Mr. Unger, also a member of DNR's Wildlife Advisory Board, is an avid birder, having served for six years as president of the Maryland Ornithological Society.

Earlier Hours, New Equipment Earns Interest For State

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein announced this week that a combination of earlier working hours and four new pieces of equipment in the State Income Tax Division are expected to produce an additional \$100,000 in interest for the State over the next year.

"By changing the working hours of deposit clerks in the State Income Tax Division and replacing our old deposit machines with new automatic encoder-proof machines we are able to get a full day's interest on deposits made during the day," Mr. Goldstein said.

The new machinery automatically endorses all checks received by the Income Tax Division and enters a coded amount on each check. This process saves an additional step at the bank when the checks are deposited.

"This faster process, combined with the earlier hours for our deposit clerks, enables us to get credit for deposits much earlier than previously and generates more interest for the State Treasury," Mr. Goldstein noted.

The Comptroller also stated that the higher interest earnings would pay for the annual cost of the machinery within six weeks.



the bookshelf

By Kristin Milne

Featured this week is *Mauve Gloves & Madmen, Clutter & Vine* by Tom Wolfe (1976 Farrar, Straus and Giroux, New York) — not to be confused with Thomas Wolfe, another American great. Santa Barzanza! It's the 1970's — and no one, but no one, can capture the idiosyncrasies thereof quite like Tom Wolfe. A social satirist (is there any other kind?), Wolfe leaves no stone unturned and exposes all at the expense of everyone. But it's okay. You'll be laughing so hard that you may not notice his jabs at, yes, you too.

Three favorites: "The Truest Sport: Jousting with Sam and Charlie" is a sketch portraying two Navy pilots trying to survive the Vietnam ordeal. From the atmosphere of crisp linen in the officers' quarters, our boys fly off, risking life and limb in the destruction of North Vietnam, to return once more to Earth and polite society. It is a bit like jousting indeed and addresses the modern-day knights among us: "Funky Chic" brings to mind of his earlier treatises called "Radical Chic", the rage among the Upper Crust to throw terribly mmaarrvvveelllooosoores in the name of radical leftist affiliations. So we meet "Funky Chic" in the same light. The rich, the snobbish, the elite — all gather together and declare war on fashion, good taste, and even tradition. Picture, if you will, last year's debutantes turning out in French jeans, peasant blouses, and sandals. A glint of gold hoop earrings adds a touch of class. Who are they kidding? Any of you secretly longing to thumb your

St. Paul's Plans

Country Bazaar

The women of St. Paul's United Methodist Church are planning a Country Store Bazaar to be held in the church Thursday through Saturday, August 3-5.

General chairman for the event is Mrs. Ralph Cross. Others attending an organizational meeting at the church on Monday evening were Mrs. Douglas Malone, Mrs. Eve Pelton, Mrs. Martha Lou Ashby, Mrs. Helen Kight, Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Janice Hutchinson, Mrs. Dorothy Morris, Mrs. Ruth Mateer and Mrs. Ruth Durst.

Additional details will be announced later. Another meeting for committee chairmen will be held in April.

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- 2 Chevettes: 1 2-Door, 1 4-Door.

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- 78 Chev. 1/2-T, 8', 2WD, V8, Auto., PS, Brown.
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- 78 Chev. 4WD, 8', V8, 4-Speed, PS, Cust. Dlx., Silver.
- 78 Chev. 4WD, 8', V8, Auto., PS, Dark Blue.
- 78 Chev. 4WD, 8', V8, Auto., PS, Silverado, Russet and Buckskin.
- 78 Chev. Blazer 4WD, Cust. Dlx., 400/4, V8.
- 78 Chev. Blazer 4WD Cheyenne, 2 400/4 V8's.
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- 74 Chevrolet 1/2-Ton 8' Fleetside, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, Custom Dlx., and new paint.

Used Cars & Trucks

72 Chevelle Malibu Classic 4-Door, V8 with automatic trans., power brakes and steering, AM/FM radio, cruise, and many other extras.

75 Vega 2 Door Hatchback Coupe, 4 Cyl. with automatic trans., GT equipment, tinted glass, swing-out rear windows, radio and heater, low mileage.

74 Chevrolet Monte Carlo Landau Coupe, V8 with automatic trans., power brakes and steering, factory air, AM/FM radio, and tinted glass.

74 Chevelle Malibu Classic 2-Door Hardtop, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, AM/FM radio, vinyl roof cover, and wheel covers.

74 Plymouth Satellite Custom 2-Seat Station Wagon, V8 with automatic trans., power brakes and steering, radio, heater, and luggage rack. Light blue.

74 Chevrolet Nova, 4-Door, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, and heater. Bright blue. One owner!

73 Chevrolet Caprice 4-Door, V8 with automatic trans., power brakes and steering, factory air, AM/FM radio, and vinyl roof cover. Low mileage and one owner too!

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73 Chevrolet Impala 4-Door Sedan, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater. Clean and low mileage too!

73 Chevrolet Impala Custom Coupe, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater. Clean!

72 Chevrolet Monte Carlo Coupe, V8 with automatic trans., power brakes, power steering, radio, heater, vinyl interior. New paint!

72 Plymouth Scamp 2-Door Hardtop, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater. Red with black vinyl roof cover.

72 Chevrolet Station Wagon, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, and heater. Blue.

72 Chevelle Malibu 2-Door Hardtop, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, factory air, radio, heater. Medium green with white vinyl roof.

72 Ford Gran Torino 4-Door Sedan, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater.

71 Chevrolet Impala 4-Door Sedan, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater. Green.

71 Ford Torino 4-Door Sedan, V8 with automatic trans., power steering, radio, heater. Medium blue.

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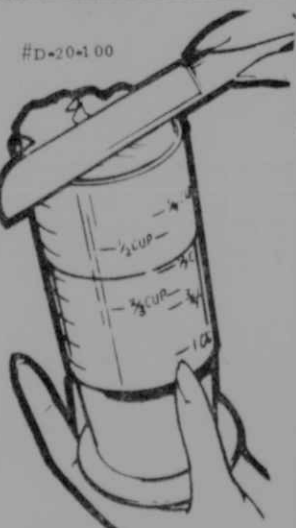
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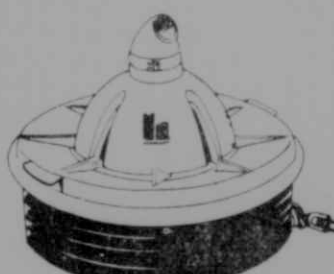


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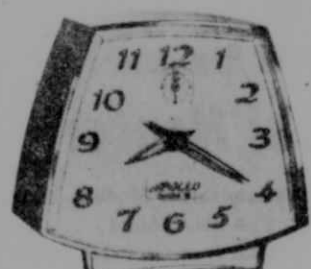


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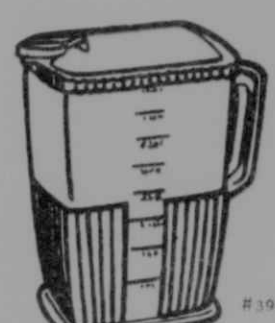


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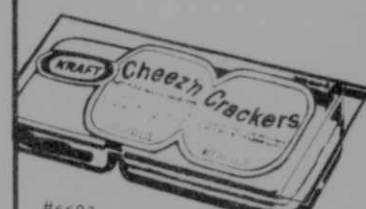


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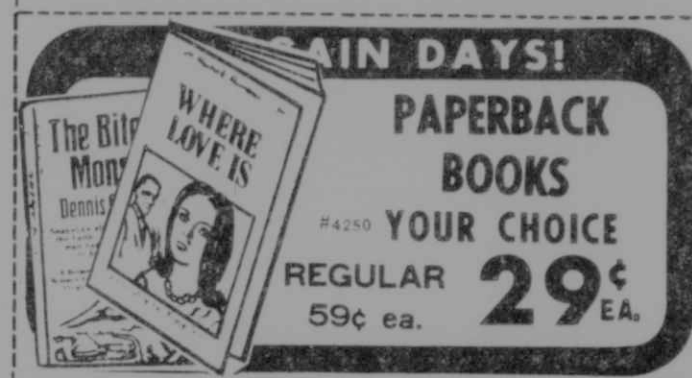
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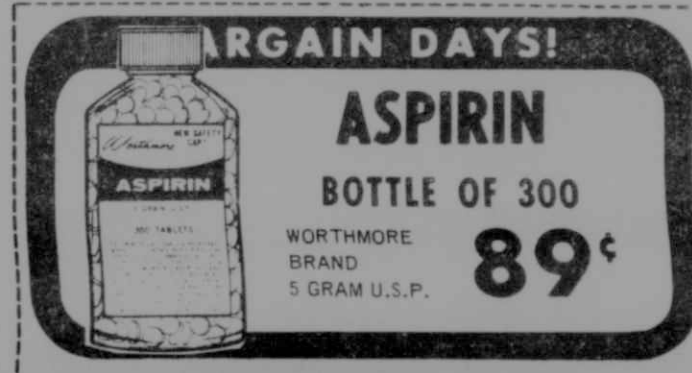
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Editor's Note: This is the third in a series of 15 articles exploring "Popular Culture: Mirror of American Life." In this article, George Gerbner, Dean of the Annenberg School of Communications at the University of Pennsylvania, discusses the economic interrelationships between the popular culture industries and

their publics. This series was written for COURSES BY NEWSPAPER, a program developed by University Extension, University of California, San Diego, and funded by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

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MIRROR OF AMERICAN LIFE III: WHO PAYS?

By George Gerbner

Popular culture is the stories we share every day. Call it news, fiction, education, mythology, or just media, that great and uniquely human process governs much of what we do.

Who is the most prolific and tireless story-teller in your home? It used to be the parent, grandparent, or older sibling. Today in most homes it is television — by far. Television has achieved what all emperors and popes could only dream about: a pulpit in every living room, with a charismatic messenger providing the common ritual of entertainment and information with a central underlying sales message for all.

The story behind this great transformation of society is the story of how we allocate and use our popular cultural re-

sources. Who pays for what to whom?

For most of human existence, public story telling was a handicraft process, conducted face-to-face and administered by a priestly or noble hierarchy. Payment for it was extracted in the form of tribute or tithe and justified in terms of cosmic order. Tradition, memorization, incantation, and authoritative interpretation of scriptures ruled the day.

Cultural Mass Production

The industrial and electronic revolutions changed all that. One of the first machines — the printing press — began mechanized story telling and cultural mass production. The Bible could now be put into the hands of ordinary people to interpret as they saw fit, paving the way to the Reformation and the secular state.

"Packaged knowledge" could now cross boundaries of status, space, and time and break the bonds of family and caste. The old hierarchy gave way to the new corporate owners and governors of the industrial society. Their power rests largely in their freedom to manage the industrialized process of story telling and to build mass markets for mass production through the mass distribution of symbols and advertising messages.

Eventually advertisers replaced nobility, church, and state as the patrons of the arts, particularly radio and television. The public's monies (included in the price of advertised goods) are channeled through them to support corporate aims, sales, and powers.

The electronic wave that gathered strength with radio hit hard with television, engulfing and changing the contours of all aspects of popular culture. The chief characteristics of television are cradle-to-grave and nearly universal coverage; centralized, standardized, and ritualized production; and non-selective use. In addition, most elements of program production are centralized so that

news, fiction, drama, documentary, talk, game, and other shows serve the same basic institutional purposes.

The First Amendment to the Constitution, designed to protect the public from an oppressive state government, became the principal shield of new "private governments" — the three major broadcasting networks and their corporate sponsors — protecting them from public (as well as government) control of programming.

Television has become the functional equivalent of pre-industrial religion, preaching its corporate message in every home. The modern nexus of power is not Church and State, but Television and State.

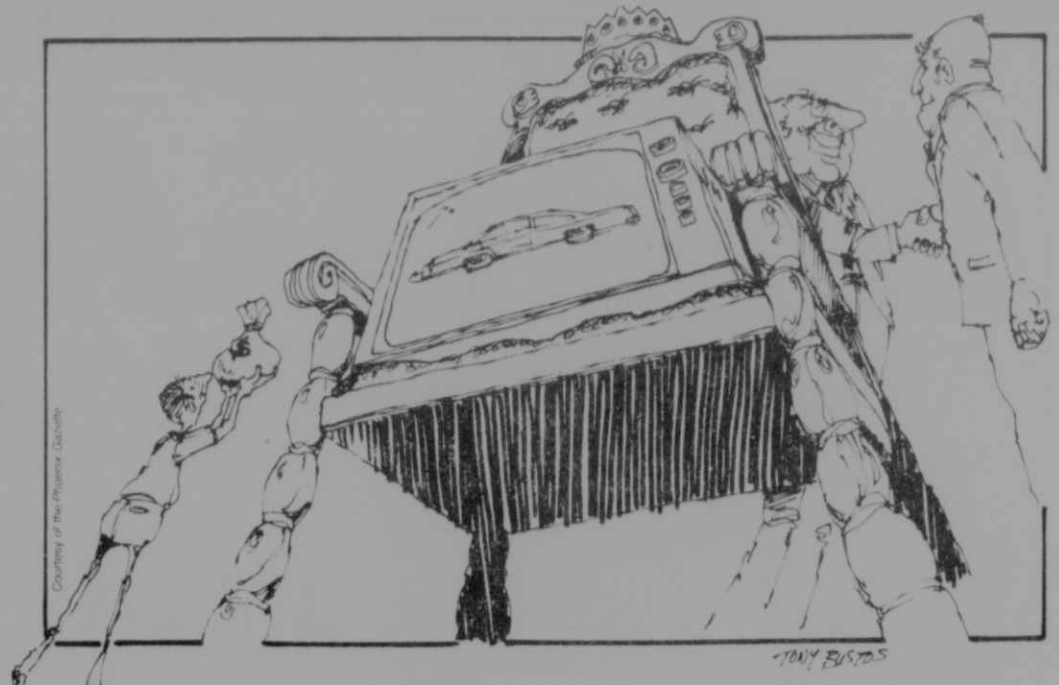
Paying For Our Programs

How do we pay for this? Advertising costs, which are passed on to the American consumer, total \$36 billion annually — 100 times the total gross budget of the United Nations.

Some 1,762 daily and over 7,500 weekly newspapers absorb nearly one-third of that amount. Television uses 20 percent of the total, and its share keeps rising, gradually squeezing older media out of the business. Radio now gets less than 7 percent of the total advertising support and magazines less than 6, with outdoor, direct mail, and other outlets accounting for the rest.

TV programming is run by a few largely anonymous network executives who regularly assemble over 100 million Americans a day and extract from their pockets over \$30 million a day to pay for the advertising that supports the programs, the agencies, the broadcasters, the television set manufacturers, the repair people, and the electricity needed to run the set.

The power of television enables it to charge an average of \$100,000 per prime time commercial minute and up to a quarter of a million dollars for a one-minute commercial inserted into a movie like "Gone With the Wind" — and advertisers stand in line for the privilege. Divided by audience size, these astronomical prices add up to an attractive "cost per thousand" (viewers) compared to other more selective — and selectively used — forms of mass communication



The old hierarchy gave way to the new corporate owners and governors of industrial society.

and advertising.

Television also leads popular culture in terms of its concentration. It takes a big network to produce expensive shows and to take big risks. The top 25 network advertisers pay over half of the three major networks' bills, with three giant soap companies alone paying some 14 percent of the total.

The rest of the money we spend for popular culture goes for books, movies, records, and sports, all of which now depend on broadcasting for transmission or promotion or both, but most of which — unlike broadcasting itself — can also be bought directly by the consumer.

Public Monies, "Private" Media

Advertising-supported media create the bulk of popular culture. But their principal products — the products they sell for profit — are not culture; they are people, called audiences and sold to advertisers for a price.

The direct price the public pays for newspapers and magazines covers the cost of delivery. The advertisers pay the rest, but from money that, if not for special legislation, would have gone to the public treasury.

In other words, the public's own money is used to sell public audiences to the highest bidders. This is done in three principal ways.

1. All broadcasting stations

are licensed by the Federal Communications Commission to operate the airways in the "public interest, convenience, and necessity" according to the law. In fact, they operate as businesses to make a profit, but the enormously profitable license to broadcast in the public domain is given away free of charge.

2. The advertising subsidy that supports and guides the cultural industry is extracted through a levy on the price of all advertised goods and services. Some call this private taxation without representation. The tax is hidden in the price of soap; I pay when I wash, not when I watch TV or read a magazine.

3. Congress made advertising a tax-deductible business expense, subsidizes the postal rates of printed media, and provides certain advantages for "failing" newspapers.

Without these direct contributions from the public treasury, "private" media would not be profitable, and probably could not exist at all.

Cultural Service

Stripped of mystification, the "new religion" and other forms of mainstream popular culture operate on legislative and market mechanisms that channel public monies to private corporations to support "cheap" or "free" media as the cultural arms of business and industry. Since the marketing mechanism is concerned not just with popularity but with persuading large audiences to buy the goods and services advertised, the quality and diversity of the cultural service, and its relevance to the needs of many specific publics that make up the total community, cannot, therefore, be the chief criteria of most mass cultural production.

What of the future? There are signs of tension and of pressure to loosen the hold of the corporate giants and the networks and to diversify the mainstream of popular culture, especially

television. Citizen groups and public organizations are demanding greater responsiveness and protection of the public interest from all government — private as well as public.

Such broadening and democratization of popular cultural production would have the additional advantage of not selling the same fears, hopes, and styles of life to practically all of the people practically all of the time.

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NEXT WEEK: Ray B. Brown, Director of the Center for Popular Culture at Bowling Green State University in Ohio, discusses the development of popular culture throughout American history.

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Birth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hoag, owners of the Route 219 Drive-In, became the parents of a daughter, Kelli Lynn, on January 20 at St. Clair Memorial Hospital, Pittsburgh.

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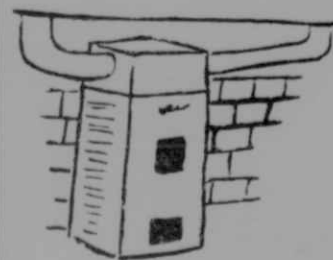
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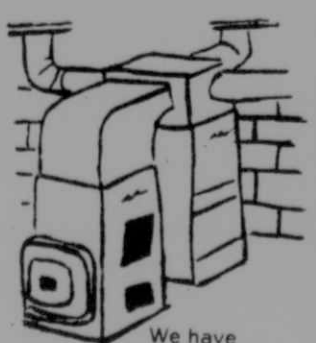
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Grantsville 4-H Club Reports

The Grantsville 4-H Club held its annual club achievement night in conjunction with the January meeting. The meeting was preceded by a covered dish dinner served by the members to their parents and diners. Music was provided by Perry Kamp at the organ.

The meeting was called to order by Dwayne Wilhelm, Vice-President and Patty Wiley led the pledges. December's minutes were given by Secretary, Kim Bruner. Treasurer's report by Rosemarie Wiley and Chippy Broadwater, and December's recreation report, covering an outing to Tri-Roller Rink, was contributed by Patty Wiley.

Club emblems and pencils were awarded to all members in recognition of the past year's performance and special awards were as follows: Record Books — Gary Broadwater, Roger and Dwayne Wilhelm, Pam Butler, Stephanie Durst, Patty and Rosemarie Wiley, and Mervin, Darrin, and Galen Kamp. Public Speaking — Kim Bruner. County 4-H Camp Attendance — Kim Bruner, Rosemarie and Patty Wiley, Kevin McKenzie, Pam Butler and Stephanie Durst.

Patty Wiley was chosen to represent Garrett County at the Somerset County 4-H Camp. Stephanie Durst and Chippy Broadwater were recognized for their extra efforts in club work.

Club Leaders, Harold Butler and Mrs. Randall Wiley were presented with gifts of appreciation. Booster awards were given to the parents for their supportive efforts.

A demonstration on sign language was given by Pam Butler and Dwayne Wilhelm also conducted a demonstration on "How to clean your gun."

The serving and set up committee for the evening consisted of Galen, Mervin and Darrin Kamp, Patty Wiley and Barb Brennenman.

Recreation for next month is a sled-riding social hosted by Mrs. Wiley. Demonstrations for the February 6 meeting at the Sportsman's Club will be given by Stephanie Durst and Chippy Broadwater.

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This column serves as another vehicle to keep in touch with my fellow residents of central and western Maryland. Send your questions or comments to me C/O U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C. 20515. While I'll be unable to print all replies, I will answer each of you who contacts me.

The following questions were typical of the kind asked of me in recent weeks.

Are the automobile gasoline ratings published by the Environmental Protection Agency accurate?

Many people today are puzzled by generous gas mileage ratings which seem impossible to get in actual everyday driving. However, according to a government survey, over half of all drivers report achieving gasoline mileage within two miles per gallon of EPA estimates. The remaining ten percent report that they are getting five or more gallons per mile less than EPA ratings.

The new edition of the 1978 gas mileage guide is out now and, in addition to giving you mileage ratings to compare the fuel economy of new models, it also tells how and why your actual mileage can vary from the results of the tests conducted by the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency. For your free copy of the 1978 Gas Mileage Guide, send a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado.

Do you know of any youth employment programs which I might apply for?

If you are a young man or woman, aged 16 through 23, out of school but jobless, doing conservation work on public lands may be for you. Interior Secretary Cecil Andrus has announced Interior's goal is to provide about 12,000 young people with employment this year in national parks, fish hatcheries, recreation areas and wildlife refuges. These jobs will last up to 12 months.

I supported legislation that created the Young Adult Conservation Corps, and this is the program which will employ thousands of young people this year. Prospective candidates should make application for the Young Adult Conservation Corps through their Maryland State Employment Office.

Has there been any progress in your efforts to expand the Carroll County General Hospital?

First, let me explain the situation. Maryland's Health Services Cost Review Commission recently rejected the hospital's 8-million dollar expansion program. I have asked Governor Lee to override that decision so Carroll Countians can have the health care and services they need and deserve. Carroll County General

is full 98 per cent of the time and half the time emergency cases, including heart patients, must be sent to other hospitals. Carroll Countians deserve expanded health care facilities.

Several days ago I toured Carroll County General Hospital with the chief of staff, Dr. Madrinan, and saw the overcrowding for myself. The admitting secretary works in a broom closet and your personal affairs must be discussed in busy, crowded hallways. Doctors, Nurses and Technicians must work in shifts because of limited laboratory facilities. In spite of these conditions, the staff of Carroll County General turns out work of the highest quality.

These conditions must not continue and that is why I toured the hospital and why I continue to urge Governor Lee to override the rejection of the hospital's expansion program.

"Early Bird" Filers Are Reaping Refunds

Too early to be thinking about filing your income taxes? Not so says Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein who reported today that 26,158 refund checks had been mailed out as the month of January 1978 drew to a close, a dramatic increase in the number of early filers.

"We've seen more than a 100 percent increase in the number of Maryland income taxpayers who have filed and received their refund checks by the end of January," Mr. Goldstein said, noting that only 12,317 refund checks had actually been mailed by the same date last year.

"Maryland taxpayers should receive their W-2 forms by January 31st. That's the time to get out the tax packets you received in early January and file those returns," the Comptroller said.

Early filers have a shorter wait for their refund checks than those who put off filing out the tax returns until deadline time.



trends

by jim willis

Being a bachelor, and having to shop by yourself can be an unnerving experience. I was surprised when I moved to Oakland and found that grocery shopping here can be a pleasant experience. The stores deliver, have fresh meat and produce, are clean and spacious, and they accept checks — not so in the "big city." The following is a humorous account of my trials and tribulations in grocery stores I have known.

Grocery shopping has always been an ordeal for me. I've just never been able to compete with a 200-pound housewife in a shift, curlers and bedroom slippers, accompanied by a three-year-old child that throws bottles, who is reaching for the same package of ground chuck I had my heart set on.

I learned not to shop during peak hours on sale days. I've been trampled by the Ladies Aid Society too many times. . . I've stared at the grill work of a shopping cart approaching me at 40 m.p.h. as they charged, outfitted in support hose, sporting blue hair, and chanting "Double Coupon Savings Offer!"

Experience taught me to

choose only those items that were priced. Otherwise the girl at the checkout counter would hold your purchase up in the air for all the world to see, and bellow, "Harry, is Preparation H still on special?"

The stock boys of those grocery stores are thorough. Have you ever noticed how they've pre-opened your boxes of laundry detergent, breakfast cereal and stove-top stuffing, just so you won't have to bother.

My local grocery store was dedicated to the proposition that you will never get any change back. The cashier totaled your purchase and you handed her a bill. Then she pressed a button which sent your change down that little metal chute — right into the Red Cross container!

One final word of caution. Never attempt to cash a check at a big city grocery store. You are expected to present last year's tax return, five proofs of identification (birth marks and dental charts are not acceptable), three character references, two Tide box-tops and a paid utility bill. God help you if you pass their credit check — they tattoo a check-cashing courtesy number on your forehead.

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Deer Trapping Tagging Program To Get Underway

The Maryland Wildlife Administration plans to conduct a deer trapping and tagging program at several sites in Garrett County this winter.

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County, according to Ed Golden, District Wildlife Manager for Garrett County, who will be supervising the trapping program.

Mr. Golden said that public cooperation is sought as to not disturb any traps observed or to report any persons seen disturbing the traps.

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AMC May Merge With Other Firms

SOUTHFIELD, Mich. (UPI) — Financially beleaguered American Motors Corp., which has consistently denied it might pull out of the passenger car business, now admits it is discussing a merger with other firms.

Gerald C. Meyers, president of the small car specialist, said Wednesday the company would consider a merger or some other form of association if it is advantageous to AMC, its employees and shareholders. "The door is open when the right opportunity comes along," Meyers said, in his first speech as AMC chief executive, to stockholders.

"It hasn't yet. Nothing has matured to a point that warrants further discussion now."

Rumors have circulated since last year that AMC might cease car production and rely instead on its profitable Jeep and AM General operations. Executives have denied the speculation, citing plans for new models into the 1980s.

But at a news conference after the stockholders meeting, Meyers said talks have been conducted recently and hinted more than one company was involved.

"Talks have been going on for a long time," he said. "I assume they will go on for the time being. Some firms on our list fit us better than others. But we will consider all possibilities that might suit our needs."

He would not name companies courting AMC, or even whether they were foreign or domestic competitors.

To stockholders, however, he painted a picture of a reviving company that had lost its way in the car market.

"It may sound strange to say this," Meyers told shareholders, "but the fact is we got off the product track a while ago. We'll correct the situation."

Public confidence in AMC's ability to stay in business was a concern of executives, Meyers said, but "the concern is not showing up in our dealer showrooms."

For evidence of a revival, he recited strong sales of the luxury compact Concord and profits of \$3 million last fiscal year and \$1.9 million in the most recent quarter. He also announced another production increase for Jeep, the 14th since 1970.

Meyers also discounted the current dip in industry car sales, saying most of it was due to bad weather.

AMC at the same time announced new financial agreements with banks designed to show long-term confidence in the company by lenders. But the board of directors authorized no dividend because of a prohibition imposed by AMC's creditors.

Child-Rearing Quite Costly in Northeast

NEW YORK (UPI) — It costs about \$54,000 to raise a child to the age of 18 while maintaining a moderate standard of living in the northeastern United States, this estimate by the Population Reference Bureau covers only direct costs, says Hada Iris Lugo-Pagan De Slosser of Cornell University's Co-operative Extension Service. For a rural non-farm child in the same region, the cost is estimated at more than \$57,000, and for a farm child, nearly \$46,000.

FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

Lutheran News
Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and Worship Service with Holy Communion at 11:30 a.m. for Sunday, February 5, at Grace Lutheran Church.

Lutheran Church Women will meet on Tuesday, February 7, at the home of Mrs. Lillian Bates at 7:30 p.m. if weather permits. Mrs. Bernadine Friend will have the topic.

Methodist News
The Friendsville United Methodist Women meeting for Tuesday, February 7, has been cancelled due to weather conditions and illness of several members.

The United Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet on Sunday evening, February 5, from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Blooming Rose Methodist Church, if weather permits. Miss Jana Harshman will have the program and Shelley King will serve refreshments.

Society To Meet
The Rush Baptist Missionary Society will meet on Tuesday,



MILK IS GREAT, but I need a home even more, is what the pensive feline at left appears to be thinking while awaiting a new owner at the county animal shelter. As for the "Morris" type at right, he combines lapping milk with purring, confident that someone needing an affectionate pet will come along. Both were strays picked up during the bitter winter weather recently, and are available for adoption at a very small cost.

Boyle Named As Leader of UMW Rival's Slaying Eight Years Ago

MEDIA, Pa. (UPI) — A once-trusted friend of W.A. "Tony" Boyle broke an eight-year silence Wednesday and named the former United Mine Workers president as the man who demanded the 1969 slaying of a bitter union rival.

Albert Pass, former secretary-treasurer of UMW District 19, who is serving a life sentence for the Yablonski slayings, testified for the prosecution at Boyle's murder retrial. He said the defendant twice stated that Joseph "Jock" Yablonski should be killed.

Boyle, 76, is accused of plotting the slayings of Yablonski, his wife and daughter by three hired gunmen. The Yablonskis were shot to death in their Clarksburg, Pa. home Dec. 31, 1969, three weeks after Yablonski lost the UMW presidential election to Boyle.

Called to the stand by special prosecutor Richard Sprague, Pass gave testimony similar to that offered by a previous witness, William Turnblazer, former District 19 president; that Boyle told Pass and Turnblazer at the UMW headquarters in Washington, D.C. on June 23, 1969 Yablonski had to be killed.

"Mr. Boyle said either that 'Jock Yablonski had to be killed' or either 'Something had to be done to Jock Yablonski,'" Pass testified, "and I said, 'We'll do it,' or something like that."

Pass said he has known Boyle since the mid 1940s and their relationship was "very good, very friendly."

Pass said that on July 14, 1969 he met with Boyle in Boyle's office.

Pass quoted Boyle as saying, "If Yablonski gets control of the union, the oil companies will take over."

Pass testified Boyle told him Yablonski was going to cause trouble and "we'll all go to jail."

Pass said Boyle again stated Yablonski had to "be taken care of." Pass said he asked, "You mean killed?" and Boyle replied: "That's just what I mean."

Pass said he and Boyle discussed bringing in William Prater, a UMW field representative also been convicted of first-degree murder in the case.

Pass said he told Boyle, "I'll carry out your instructions and

get back to you.

"Then he said to me: 'You be sure to tell Bill Prater that I don't know of any plans to kill Yablonski.'"

Pass said he agreed to go along with the plot "because of my fierce loyalty" to Boyle and "my belief in the union and because Mr. Boyle convinced me Jock Yablonski and the oil companies were going to destroy the union."

Government Rules On State College Integration Plans

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The federal government today rejected state college system desegregation plans in Georgia and Virginia, but approved plans for Arkansas, Florida, Oklahoma and part of North Carolina's system.

Civil rights groups said they would immediately file a motion in U.S. District Court to cut off federal higher education funds to Georgia, Virginia and North Carolina within 30 days.

Acting under a federal court order, the Department of Health, Education and Welfare rejected a portion of the plan submitted for North Carolina and the complete plans proposed by Georgia and Virginia.

The announcement was made by HEW Secretary Joseph Califano at a morning news conference. He praised Arkansas, Florida, Oklahoma for making "a firm commitment to increase educational opportunities for their black citizens."

Califano also said HEW will soon check with eight other states to see if they are complying with federal desegregation guidelines issued last year.

Those states are Alabama, Delaware, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio, South Carolina, Texas and West Virginia, he said.

Califano said the plans accepted from Arkansas, Florida and Oklahoma demonstrate that "difficult civil rights controversies can be settled by thoughtful and good faith negotiations between state and federal officials."

In addition to rejecting the plans for Georgia and Virginia entirely, HEW told North Carolina its plan for desegregating part of the state college

system was acceptable: the part involving the state's 57 community colleges.

North Carolina was told that the rest of its plan "does not meet the desegregation criteria" issued last July as guidelines for college desegregation.

Califano said HEW would launch administrative proceedings against the three states shortly and that could lead to a cutoff of federal aid to their public colleges.

If no settlement is reached, he said, he will hold up approval of new applications for federal funds from those colleges only if the new funds would contribute to continuing segregation in the states' college systems.

In no case will student financial aid, such as scholarships, be affected, HEW said.

Today's HEW action was taken under a court order issued as a result of a 1970 suit filed by civil rights organizations on behalf of students in the affected states alleging HEW failed to enforce Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act.

That law prohibits federal aid to schools and other programs that discriminate on the basis of race or national origin.

Today, a spokesman for the coalition said a petition will be filed immediately in U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia to cut off federal aid to colleges in Georgia, Virginia and North Carolina in 30 days.

Califano did not accuse eight other states mentioned today of maintaining segregated higher education systems. He noted, however, that they had been guilty of that in the past.

Mice Take Their Cut Of Donations

ST. LOUIS (UPI) — The wishing well at the Jewel Box in Forest Park is losing money to mice.

Dollar bills thrown into the well have been gnawed into bits by mice who live at the bottom.

A yearly cleaning recently turned up four bags full of money, including 10,833 pennies. The total haul came to \$397.80, including \$10 in foreign money, which is divided among several local charities.

The total would have topped the \$400 mark, but at least two dollar bills were not included.

After the mice were finished, only George Washington's face was left on one bill, and another had been nibbled into shreds.



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Government Will Not Retry Nurses For Poisonings

DETROIT (UPI) — The government will not retry two Filipino nurses on charges of poisoning their hospital patients, officially ending one of the longest and most controversial cases in Michigan federal court history.

U.S. Attorney James Robinson filed a 20-page court memorandum Wednesday dropping all charges against Filipino Narciso, 31, and Leonora Perez, 33, who worked in the intensive-care unit at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Ann Arbor, Mich.

Judge Philip Pratt, who presided over the marathon trial last summer and later overturned the guilty verdicts, accepted Robinson's dismissal motion. It meant the nurses were free for the first time since their indictment two years ago.

Miss Narciso and Mrs. Perez had been held under \$75,000 each and had been jailed twice for a total of eight weeks, once at a women's prison in West Virginia for pre-sentencing tests.

Robinson said he gave "careful consideration" to the ramifications of a second trial and determined that another guilty verdict was unlikely because there was no hard evidence to link the nurses directly with the crimes. He also cited public opinion, both in the United States and the nurses' native Philippines.

A jury, after 15 days of deliberations, found Mrs. Perez and Miss Narciso guilty on July 13, 1977, of five nonfatal poisonings at the hospital during the summer of 1975. Prosecutors said the nurses injected Pavulon into intravenous tubes, causing the patients to suffer breathing lapses.

In all, more than 50 breathing failures were reported at the hospital during July and August of 1975 when the FBI was called in to conduct a major investigation. A dozen of the breathing failures were fatal, but the nurses were not charged in any deaths.

Last Dec. 19, Pratt set the guilty verdicts aside and said in a lengthy ruling the defendants

were the victims of prosecution misconduct and circumstantial evidence during their 3-month trial.

Robinson's decision was a bittersweet finale for the nurses, whose nearly two-year legal battle gained them worldwide attention.

"Our faith in the American justice system has been restored," Mrs. Perez said at a brief news conference in Ann Arbor. But her co-defendant and close friend, Miss Narciso, said, "We shouldn't have been tried in the first place."

A victory celebration was scheduled in Ann Arbor Friday night. After that, the two women said they wanted to take long vacations with their families and decide whether to pursue their nursing careers.

"Killer Bees" No More Dangerous Than Other Bees

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Agriculture Department had a comforting word recently for anyone fearing an invasion of the so-called killer bees. Two words, in fact: "Don't worry."

Department spokesmen said the insects — pictured as monsters in some movies and other media — are fictional.

The real Africanized hybrid bees that inspired the fiction may be scarier and their stings may hurt more, but they are no more dangerous than any other bees, the department said.

The spokesmen said the killer bees "are not that ferocious, and they've not been seen closer than 2,500 miles from the U. S. border."

The strain is a hybrid of imported African and native Latin American bees bred to produce more honey. It is far more aggressive than ordinary bees, the department said, stings longer and chases intruders farther.

"The attack of an Africanized swarm is definitely more frightening and painful — but not more deadly," officials said.

Spokesmen said it may take 10 to 15 years for the hybrids to reach the United States by normal migration. Federal inspectors are keeping watch to prevent the bees from "hitchhiking" into the country prematurely on planes or ships.

House Halts Try to Add Abortion To Pregnancy-Related Disability Benefits

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A House subcommittee today beat back an attempt to add anti-abortion language to a bill protecting maternity benefits of working women.

The equal employment opportunities subcommittee voted 5-3 against the amendment by Rep. Edward Beard, D-R.I., to exempt abortion — except when the woman's life is at stake — from the pregnancy-related disabilities women would have to get under the bill.

The bill, which passed the Senate last year, would overcome the effects of a 1975 Supreme Court ruling allowing companies to deny medical benefits or paid leave to pregnant women even though disabilities suffered by men are covered.

It would do so by adding pregnant women to those

covered by Title VII of the 1964 Civil Rights Act, which bans discrimination on account of sex. It would not, however, force a company that does not have a medical plan from having to start one for the women.

Beard said he will press for his amendment again when the bill comes before the full Education and Labor Committee later this month.

Rep. William Clay, D-Mo., said the Beard amendment was just another attempt to saddle various pieces of legislation with anti-abortion language. "This is an albatross placed around the neck of every bill that comes here."

After the Beard amendment was defeated, the subcommittee reported the bill to the full committee without dissent.

Groundhog Predicts More Winter

A snowstorm spread today from the Ohio Valley to the middle Atlantic Seaboard, glazing highways and closing hundreds of schools, and nasty winter weather plagued most of the nation on Groundhog Day.

The National Weather Service ventured the assumption that "the groundhog probably did not see his shadow." But chroniclers of two well-known groundhogs — Punxsutawney (Pa.) Phil and Sun Prairie (Wis.) Jimmy — reported their tummy prognosticators did indeed see their shadows.

That, tradition has it, forebodes six more weeks of winter.

Up to 5 inches of snow fell in the Appalachians of southwest Virginia and lighter snows spread across much of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee.

A 1-inch snowfall whitened Colonial Williamsburg.

Hundreds of fender-bender accidents crippled traffic on Virginia highways. An estimated 20 vehicles were involved in one chain-reaction pileup at Richmond, and traffic came to

a mid-morning halt on Interstate 64 west of Richmond.

North Carolina state employees were given 'til 10 a.m. to report to their jobs in Raleigh. Hundreds of schools in Tennessee, North Carolina and Virginia called off classes.

The storm moved into the East from the Midwest, where at least 3 inches of new snow blanketed Chicago, slowing workers' efforts to clear side streets still bogged by snow from last week's blizzard and turning unsalted expressways into slippery messes. The city is running short of salt.

South of the Midwestern and Eastern snow belt, rain and drizzle spread across the Gulf states to the Atlantic Coast. Heavy fog blanketed much of the South and Southeast.

Bitterly cold temperatures followed the storm system into northern and central Plains, mid-Mississippi Valley and western Great Lakes region. Below-zero readings were reported as far south as Kansas, and it was 34 below at International Falls, Minn.

Sadat Beginning Eight-Nation Tour

CAIRO, Egypt (UPI) — Egyptian President Anwar Sadat is beginning a tour of eight nations including the United States to build up support for his Middle East bargaining position.

Israel and Egypt adjourned their military talks last Wednesday and there was no indication a breakthrough had been reached on the issue of Israel's withdrawal from the Sinai Peninsula.

The adjournment brought a temporary halt to the face-to-face dialogue between the two countries that began with Sadat's precedent-shattering trip to Jerusalem last November.

Parallel political talks broke down in Jerusalem Jan. 18.

Sadat's 13-day tour is aimed in part at softening Israel's refusal to meet his demands for withdrawal from captured Arab lands and the creation of an independent Palestinian state.

Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan said Wednesday Israel intended to continue establishing settlements on the West Bank of Jordan, but would limit them to military camps.

Sadat's tour also amounts to a challenge to hard-line Arab critics who were beginning a conference today in Algiers, Algeria to plot anti-peace moves.

Sadat's first stop was Morocco to meet with his strong supporter King Hassan. He will arrive Friday in the United States and spend the weekend in talks with President Carter at Camp David, Md., and then return to Washington to meet congressional leaders and cabinet ministers.

On the way back from the United States, which he leaves Feb. 8, Sadat will stop in Britain, West Germany, Austria, Romania, France and Italy before returning home.

U.S. Assistant Secretary of State Alfred Atherton was traveling back to Washington Thursday, ahead of Sadat, with Egyptian "ideas" about a draft declaration of peace. Atherton had visited Jerusalem and then Cairo, attempting to narrow their differences on the key issues of Israeli withdrawal from Arab lands and the rights of the Palestinians.

Speaking to a Jewish-Christian "peace delegation" from America, Sadat said the United States is a friend of both Egypt and Israel. "It is time that this friend, in whom we have confidence, should come in for a final touch to the whole thing."

A recent Egyptian request for American military assistance also may be raised at the Sadat-Carter summit.

Five earthquakes shook remote sections of Turkey, Italy and Japan recently.

Mrs. Kermit Gribble and family, Somerset, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kreger, Mrs. Martha Lemmon, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gribble, Gary and Melinda Jo, Rockwood, Pa.; bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary R. Friend, and her aunts and uncles and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Gary E. Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Friend and Mr. and Mrs. William Burow, all of Friendsville.

W.O.W. To Meet
W.O.W. Grove 6043 will meet on Wednesday, February 8, at 11 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Gary E. (Leota) Friend, weather permitting. Members plan to complete the project of making lap robes to be presented to nursing homes. The hostesses will serve lunch.

Rangerette Unit 135 of W.O.W. will meet at Blooming Rose Church social room at noon on Saturday, February 11.

School News
Friendsville Elementary School Principal, Mrs. Jane Fox, announces the appointment of Mrs. Patricia

Gales to the Kindergarten staff following resignation of Mrs. Stanton.

This semester the school has three student teachers from Frostburg State College. They are Douglas Stanton, Kindergarten and Grade 1 under Miss Karen Carney and Mrs. Pat Helmick; Kent Huber, Grade 1 under Miss Connie Higgins, and Miss Mary Jane Fike; Grades 4 & 5, under Mrs. Eleanor Teets.

Honored On First Birthday
Mrs. Jessie Sines entertained at a turkey dinner on Sunday, January 29, honoring the first birthday of her granddaughter, Jennifer Lininger. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Swauger and family, Uniontown, Pa.; Betty Vitez, Mrs. Leona Ross and Carol Jean and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lininger and Adam.

On Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lininger and Adam served a Lasagna dinner honoring their daughter, Jennifer, on her first birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Umbel and sons, Mrs. Margaret Umbel and grand-

daughter, Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Swauger and family, Mrs. Jessie Sines, and Betty Vitez. Later in the evening, ice cream and cake were served with Mrs. James W. Lininger and Glenda attending.

Attend Funeral
Mr. and Mrs. Glen E. Frazee and son Lynn attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Staub, 91, at Thomas Funeral Home, Salisbury, Pa., on Monday, January 23. She passed away in Somerset, Pa. Hospital on Friday, January 20. Surviving are four children in Salisbury and Windber, Pa. area; two granddaughters, Mrs. Frazee and Mrs. Margaret Hinebaugh, both of Friendsville; a brother, Roy Reel, Salisbury, Pa.; a sister, Mrs. Nellie Byrnes, Markleysburg, Pa. Burial was in St. Paul's Cemetery, near Salisbury, Pa. There are many other relatives in Garrett County surviving.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Swauger and children, Uniontown, Pa., were Sunday and

Monday guests of her mother, Mrs. Jessie Sines.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones and David, Herrington Heights, were Friday luncheon guests of her grandmother, Mrs. Julia Skidmore. Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Skidmore were Mrs. Joyce Skidmore and Mrs. Anita, McHenry; Denny Delaney, Grantsville. Callers were Alan Skidmore and Miss Teresa Hinebaugh.

A Donald Frazee returned on Saturday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Vitez, after being a patient in Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Mrs. Ross Selby returned home Thursday after a 10-day vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Ross J. Selby and Michael at Edgewater, and with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fike and family, at Mt. Airy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Hoff and daughters, Pt. Marion, Pa., were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Friend. Other visitors during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sisler and sons, Bruceton, W. Va.; Stanton

Friend, Frazee Ridge; Amos Friend and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Humberson.

Little Miss Rebecca Selby, Valley Pt., W. Va., spent the weekend here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Selby. Mrs. Selby and Rebecca and Brenda, Ray and Jamie Kiser were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Rush, Saturday.

Mrs. Cecil (Evelyn) Schroyer was admitted to Garrett Memorial Hospital, Oakland, on Sunday and remains a patient at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. David Davis and family, Accident were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Fike. Callers were Mr. and Mrs. Winston Teets.

Mrs. Kathleen Fratz, Kathy Hines, Mr. and Mrs. James Fratz and family, Accident, were Sunday afternoon visitors of the former's mother, Mrs. Margaret Rush.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Shoemaker were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. James Spear and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Muse and Carla Sue, Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Terry Wakefield, Oakland, Ralph Thomas and Mrs. Alletta Thomas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Thomas during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Martin, Oakland, were Saturday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friend. Tonya, Adrian and Tyler Cowen, Accident, were weekend guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas returned home Monday after a week's visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hickerson, Gainesville, Va.

Amos (Bud) Friend visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Couch, Rt. 40, on Saturday.

Visitors during the week of Mrs. Thelma Frazee and family were Lewis Hare, Mt. Pleasant, Pa.; Mrs. Arlie Kiser and Danny, Damon Bishoff, Mrs. Larry Kiser and children, Cuzzart, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Livengood and daughter, Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Livengood and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupp.

Sisler-Brenneman Nuptials Recited December 3 At Mennonite Church



Miss Brenda Lee Brenneman became the bride of Eddie Glenn Sisler in a double ring ceremony performed at the Glade Mennonite Church, Accident, on December 3, 1977.

Brenda is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Brenneman, Bittinger, and Ed is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sisler, Friendsville.

The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. Walter C. Otto before an altar decorated with palms and baskets of gladioli, daisies, pompons, carnations, and baby's breath tinted to match the colors worn by the bride and groom.

Escorted to the altar by her father, and given in marriage by her parents, the bride was attired in a white, floor-length princess-styled gown of delustered satin and Venice lace. The groom wore a tuxedo with a white shirt and a blue bow tie.

Her tiered veil of bridal illusion was affixed to a demi Camelot head piece of Venice lace and pearls.

The bride carried a short cascading bouquet of blue and burgundy tinted daisies, carnations, pompons, and baby's breath. Her only jewelry was a pair of pearl earrings.

The maid of honor was Miss Lois Bittinger. She wore a floor-length burgundy gown with a cape overlay featuring a beige lace bodice. She carried a long stemmed blue tinted carnation with blue streamers. Blue tinted daisies and baby's breath adorned her hair.

Misses Shelby and Natalie Brownlee, cousins of the bride, and Mrs. Connie Brenneman, sister-in-law of the bride, served as bridesmaids. Their gowns of medium blue were fashioned identical to that of the maid of honor. They carried long stemmed red roses with burgundy streamers and wore burgundy tinted daisies and baby's breath in their hair.

Honoring their sister as flower girls were Misses Pamela and Tamara Brenneman. They wore identical floor-length blue gowns featuring a beige lace bodice and tiers of lace repeated on the skirt. They carried baskets of blue and burgundy tinted carnations, daisies, and pompons and wore matching flower headpieces.

Tim Frazee served as best man. Ushers were Randy Slagle, Joe Landon, and Larry Harding. The groom and groomsmen wore navy blue tuxedos with shirts matching the bridesmaids gowns.

Linda Bittinger provided organ music prior to the ceremony and accompanied Mrs. Linda Buckel and Miss Lana Brenneman, soloists.

Mrs. Brenneman selected a floor-length green gown with a matching lace overdress and black accessories for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Sisler was attired in a light blue floor-length gown with silver accessories. They both wore corsages of blue, green and yellow tinted carnations and daisies.

Mrs. Donna Brenneman, sister-in-law of the bride, registered guests.

A reception was held in the

Bittinger Community Building. Mrs. Gay Brownlee, aunt of the bride, served the wedding cake. Mrs. Donna Brenneman and Mrs. James Killius, aunt of the bride, served punch. Music was provided by the Maple Valley Boys. The reception was catered by Bittinger Firemen Ladies Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sisler entertained with a rehearsal dinner, December 2, at Will o' the Wisp.

For travel to West Virginia, the bride wore a beige pantsuit with brown accessories.

The couple is presently residing in Memphis, Tennessee, where the groom is attending school.

Licenses To Wed Are At Low Point

Marriage licenses were at a low point for the week ending January 31 with only eleven being issued.

Of those issued, three were not to be published. Where a person is under 18 years old, parent's consent was given. Information is from records in the office of Richard L. Davis, clerk of the Circuit Court.

Daniel Byron Smith, 30, and Theresa Joan McKenzie, 28, both of Wilmington, Del.

David Wayne Evans, 17, and Tammy Lynn Adams, 16, both of Elk Garden, W. Va.

Gary Lee White, 21, and Deloris Dean Dalton, 16, both of Morgantown, W. Va.

James Ellsworth Brown, Jr., 22, Oakland, and Karen Lynn Tasker, 20, Deer Park.

Allen Bernard Clark, 29, Maysville, W. Va., and Barbara Jean Mongold, 28, Petersburg, W. Va.

Richard Roy Kitzmiller, 21, and Betty Lou Mayhew, 18, both of Mt. Storm, W. Va.

Joseph Matthew Raddish, 19, and Nancy Darlene Cunningham, 18, both of Four States, W. Va.

Ted Neal Thorne, 29, Akron, Ohio, and Maxine Addie Richards, 31, Crellin.

Mortgage Loans Still Available

The Garrett County Housing Office will continue to accept completed applications for the Maryland Home Financing Program through February 28, 1978. The application period was extended as all of the funds have not been expended.

Completed applications will be reviewed on a first-come, first-served basis. The maximum mortgage loan amount is \$35,000 at a below market interest rate. To determine eligibility or for additional information, persons should contact the Garrett County Housing Office, 323 Oak Street, Oakland, Maryland.

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Couple Honored On 50th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Savage of McHenry were honored October 9, 1977, with a surprise 50th anniversary celebration by their children and grandchildren. The celebration was held at the McHenry United Methodist Church.

The former Margaret M. Sebold, daughter of the late Joseph F. Sebold and Elizabeth McGittigan Sebold became the bride of Arthur C. Savage, son of the late Charles Savage and Daisy Friend Savage on September 4, 1927. The ceremony

was performed by Rev. Archibald Moore who was the pastor of the Methodist Church, Oakland. The couple was attended by the groom's mother and sister, Iva Carr.

They are the parents of four children, Margaret Lucille Giotfelty, near McHenry; Harold Arthur Savage, Wilmington, Delaware; Shelby Jean Paugh, McHenry; Betty Lou Roberts, Elkins, W. Va. They have seven grandchildren, Linda Wengerd, Allen, Randall and Michele Giotfelty, Gary and Jayne Savage and Dwayne Roberts.

The children presented their mother with a gold wedding band and their father with a gold watch. The grandchildren presented their grandmother with a yellow rosebud corsage and their grandfather with a yellow rosebud boutonniere.

A brief history of the couple's life together was written by Linda Wengerd and Randall Giotfelty and presented by Randall.

The gold and white color scheme was carried out in bells, streamers and floral arrangements. The reception table was centered with a three-tier cake topped with a bride and groom appropriate for the occasion. A gold money tree with white ribbons adorned the gift table.

Linda Wengerd, greeted and registered guests. Lucille Giotfelty and Betty Lou Roberts cut and served the cake. Ice cream was served by Michele Giotfelty, punch by Linda Wengerd and coffee, Mary Lynne Sebold, niece of the couple.

Mr. Savage is a semi-retired carpenter. Mr. and Mrs. Savage are active members of the McHenry United Methodist Church. Mr. Savage is also a member of the Board of Governors of the Garrett County Memorial Hospital, and past member of the Republican State Central Committee.

Approximately 125 friends and relatives shared in the occasion.

Announce Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Wade E. Evans, 12 Wayside Lane, Bridgeport, W. Va., announce the birth of their third child and second daughter on January 7 at the Monongalia General Hospital. Named Kari Nicole, she weighed 7 lbs., 13 ozs. The mother is the former Wilma Dodge, daughter of Mr. Chester O. Dodge, Terra Alta. The paternal grandfather is H. Quay Evans, Friendsville.

The recent snow storm even cut off stock trading on Wall Street.

Couple To Wed



Mr. and Mrs. John Wass, Addison, Pa., announce the engagement of their daughter, Debra Ann, to Kenneth Frazee, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Frazee, Sr., Markleysburg, Pa.

The bride-elect is a 1977 graduate of Turkeyfoot Valley Area High School and is attending the School of Computer Technology in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Her fiancé, a 1976 graduate of Uniontown Area Senior High School, attended Fayette Technical School and is employed by Wilson Foods Corporation, Uniontown.

Wedding plans have not been announced.

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Service Schedule For Area Churches

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Fourth and Oak Sts., Oakland, George D. Porter, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 4:30 p.m. (varies by month).

Church of the Nazarene, 101 and Alder Sts., Oakland, Rev. Elsworth McCreckan, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Junior Meeting, 1:30 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Oakland, Rev. Martin E. Paul, Pastor. Mass, Saturday, 7 p.m.; also 10:30 p.m. (summer Sunday Masses, 8 and 11 a.m., winter, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a.m.). Confessions before Mass. Immaculate Conception, Christmas, winter Sunday, 12 noon, and summer, Saturday, 4 p.m. Confession before Mass.

St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Oakland, Rev. Richard A. Seale, Pastor. Sunday Church School, 9:45 a.m.; The Service, at 10 a.m. (Church Nursery).

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, The Rev. Martin Seale, Pastor. Holy Communion, Sunday, 8 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 3022 John Drive, Oakland, Priesthood meeting, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sacrament meeting, 11 a.m.; Primary and APV meetings, Wednesday, at 6:30 p.m.

Pleasant View Baptist, Rev. I. M. Martin, Pastor. 3044-1010 Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer meeting, Wed. 7:30 p.m.; Wed. Boys and Girls at 7:30 p.m.; Young People's meeting, 7 p.m.

Lark Lynn United Brethren, Rev. G. W. Hall, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Teenagers, each Sunday, 4:30 p.m.; Prayer and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Md., Rev. Eugene Bonnell, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Church Service, 9:30 a.m.

Kilmerington-Weavertown United Methodist Church, Rev. Frank Johnson, North Glade, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 10 a.m.; Mt. Zion, 10:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Chestnut Grove, Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 9:30 a.m.; followed by Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Ray Beahm, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m. Sun. Wed. 7:30 p.m.; Family Night and Youth Service.

Kilmerington Presbyterian Church, Rev. H. Earl Baker, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Rocky Dream Assembly of God, Rev. Robert Mayfield, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; Thursday night, Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ (Meeting in the Mt. Lake Park Town Hall), John R. James, Evangelist. Bible School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Friendsville Assembly of God, Rev. Iris V. Friend, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Ferndale Baptist Church, Rev. Richard Tupper, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Opportunity United Methodist Church, Rev. Frank Johnson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 10:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; Fellowship, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday evening from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Paradise United Methodist Church, Rev. Edna Harter, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran, Red House, Rev. David J. Jones, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.

Bethlehem Lutheran Parish, The Rev. James E. Mitchell, Pastor. St. John's, Meadow Mountain, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Communion, 10:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; Zoro, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Holy Communion in each Church, 1st Sunday of each month.

Christ Lutheran Church, Grantsville, Md., David J. Jones, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.

Zion Lutheran Church, LCM, 1111 W. 1st, Annapolis, Pastor, Fred Black. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 10:45 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran, Missouri Road, John R. Jones, Pastor. Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

Faith Presbyterian Church, Oakland, John A. Ladden, Pastor. Sunday Bible School, 10:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Deer Creek Church of the Brethren, Accident, Rev. William C. Stumer, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Livingston Church of God, Rev. George Platts, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Preaching at 11 p.m. Y.P.E. every Thursday evening at 7 p.m.

Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Pastor, Mrs. Evelyn M. Bowman, Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. Minnie Bittinger, Supt., Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville, Philip J. Geoghan, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 4:45 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed. 1:30 p.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

Mt. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 200 Broad Ford Rd., John Schumacher, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Service, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer Service, 7:15 p.m.; Women's Missionary Circle, 2nd Tues. 7 p.m.; The Evangelistic Center of Garrett County.

Independent Full Gospel Revival Center, Lark Lynn Heights, 1 W. Hilltop, Pastor, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m.

McHenry United Methodist, The Rev. Edna Harter, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 4:30 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 10:45 a.m.; Prayer Service and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Nazareth River Full Gospel Church, Rev. Hilda Govey, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night services, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday night services, 7:30 p.m.; Every third Saturday night of the month, regularly, Hymn Sing.

Sand Flat Assembly of God, Rev. Alvin Kyle, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Youth Service, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study Service, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Bayard Church of God, Bayard, W. Va., Rev. Chesley Noel, Jr., Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Y.P.E. Services at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday.

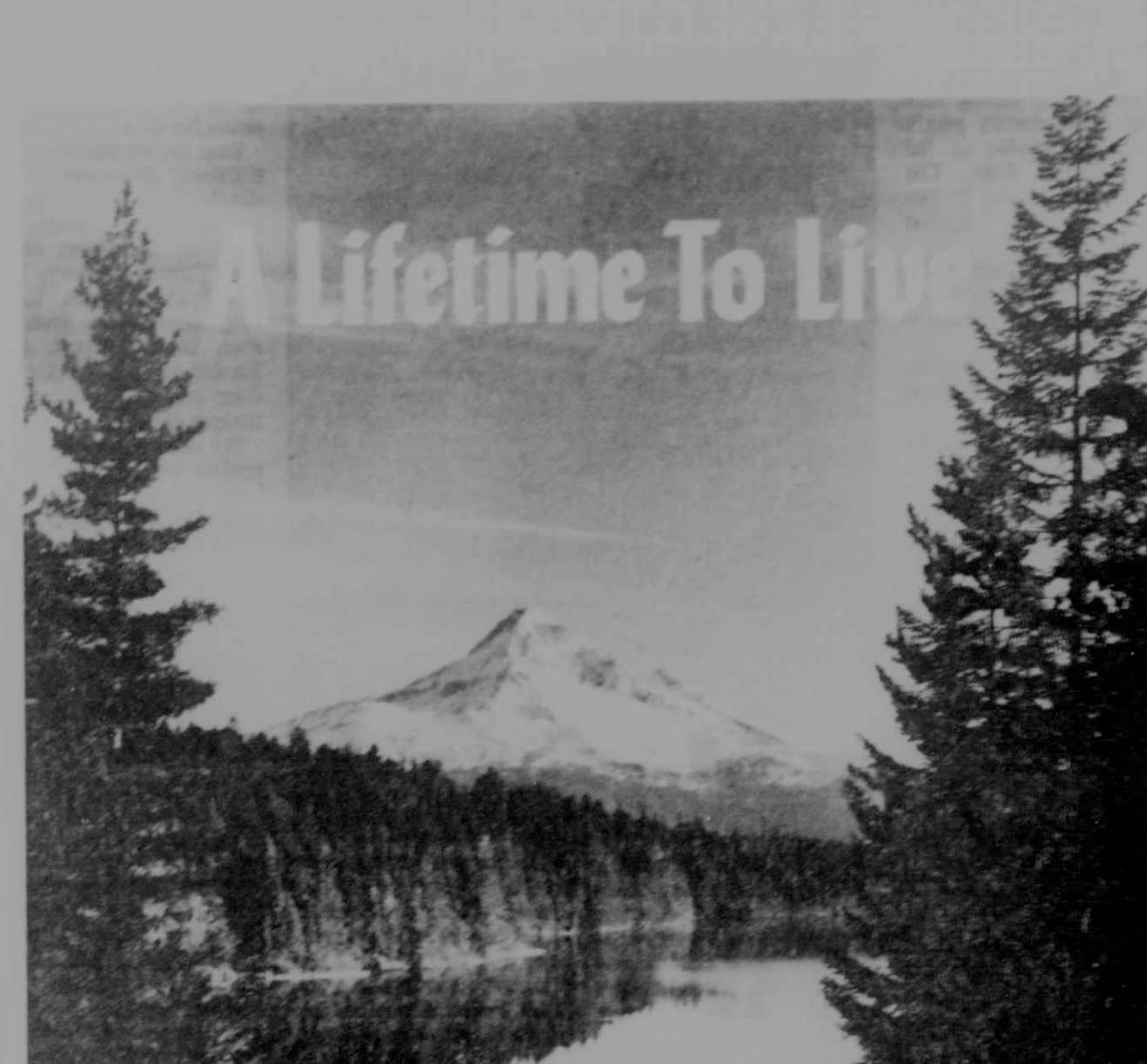
Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11:30 a.m.; on Rt. 219, 1 mile north of Rt. 46, Rev. Earl Harper, Pastor.

Egion Church of the Brethren, Pastor, Rev. Donald Westmoreland, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Gladview, Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

First United Presbyterian Church, Terra Alta, W. Va., Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Rev. Francis E. Herman, Pastor.

Lark Lynn Church of God, Rev. Robert H. Fletcher, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Brookside, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Mt. Grove, Worship, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. every Sunday.



A Lifetime To Live



BY LAWRENCE W. ALTHOUSE

NO ABSENT GOD

Lesson for February 3, 1978

Background Scripture: Psalm 139:1-18

Devotional Reading: Psalm 139:1-18

One of the most unique aspects of the religion of Israel was the conviction that God is present and active in human affairs, both individual and collective in many religious and philosophical. God is seen as a kind of Absentee Landlord who owns the premises, but rarely pays them a visit. It is the remoteness and unapproachability of God that dominates the religious thinking of the Israelites.

Today, Appalled by those who seem to create God in man's image, many people shudder at any concept of God which seems humanizing in a human manner.

A God of deeds

Yet, it does not follow that, if God is not human in his nature, he is necessarily "out of this world" either. It is immature to think of God as "the Big Man up in the sky" that does not mean that God cannot act within the world he created. There is nothing simpler or less meaningful than God's work in the affairs of his creation and his creatures.

This is the way that the people of Israel usually thought of him, as the Divine Being Who Has Done Something. Being who work their way through the Old Testament, you will find few, if any, abstract ideas about God.

Further, not only did God act in history, but he also revealed himself to them as a Presence. When they spoke of the "covenant," they were speaking of the relationship between God and his people. Thus Israel felt and saw his presence in their national affairs. They saw him not as a Celestial Cheerleader urging them on from afar, but as the Leader in their midst, leading forth his people with joy (Psalms 100:4). Thus, when the Psalmist proclaimed, "Praise the Lord," he was celebrating not an abstract idea, not a theological speculation nor a philosophical ideal, but a God who was known because of a Presence which could not be denied.

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United Pentecostal Church, Bang Run, The Rev. Lloyd C. Garlitz, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Sang Run Open Door Chapel, Sunday School each Sunday, 10 a.m.; Preaching, 11 a.m.; Hymn Singing, 7:30 p.m.; each 3rd Sunday, Mid-week Bible Study and Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Pastor's phone no. 387-1415.

The United Methodist Church, Crellin Circuit, C. Franklin Mick, Pastor. Crellin, 1st and 3rd Sunday morning, 9:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday evening, 7:30 p.m.; Deer Park, 2nd and 4th Sunday morning, 9:45 a.m.; 1st and 3rd Sunday evening, 7:30 p.m.; Kurtz Chapel, 2nd and 4th Sunday morning, 9:00 a.m.; Pleasant Dale, 2nd and 4th Sunday afternoon, 2:00 p.m.; White Church, each Sunday morning, 11:00 a.m.

St. John's Episcopal, Deer Park, Rev. Fr. John A. Grant, Vicar. Holy Communion, 8:00 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

Bethesda Church of the Brethren, Preston Miller, Pastor. Six miles south of Grantsville on Rt. 435, Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Rosedale United Pentecostal Church, Pastor Rev. Ralph Jacks. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Evangelistic Service at 7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Young People's Service, 7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Full Gospel Church, Blaine, W. Va. Rev. J. R. Phillips, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Freeport Gospel Church, Formerly Nordeck's E.C.B., pastored by Rev. Dunson, located 3 miles east of Terra Alta, W. Va. Pastor, Rev. Jesse Skipper. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Church Service, 7 p.m.; Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7 p.m.

Accident Evangelical Lutheran Parish, William E. Carlson, Pastor. St. Paul's, Accident, Service at 9 a.m.; St. John's, Cove, Sunday School at 9 a.m.; Service at 10:15 a.m.; Grace, Friendsville, Sunday School at 10 a.m.; Holy Communion at 11:30 a.m.

Youth Services Set

Youth services are scheduled at the Church of the Nazarene, Eighth and Alder Streets, Oakland, February 8 through 12 at 7 p.m. each evening.

Guest speaker will be Rev. Jim Turnock.

Glendale Assembly of God, Rev. G. K. Hixon, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night service, 7:30 p.m.; Thursday night service, 7:30 p.m.

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Weber Rd., Oakland, Paul Jackson, preaching over Sunday, 9:30 a.m.; Public School, 10:30 a.m.; Watch Tower Study, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Theocratic School followed by service meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Markleysburg Union Church, Tom Krugan, Pastor. Union Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Union Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Prayer Meeting - Bible Study, Wed. 8 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday Evenings, Youth Choir Practice, 4:30 p.m.; Gospel Song Service, 7:30 p.m.; 2nd Sunday, Special Programs, 7 p.m.; 4th Sunday, Youth Fellowship, 8 p.m.; Friendship Bible Class, 7:30 p.m.; 3rd Tuesday, Youth Happenings, Monthly.

Germania Methodist Parish, Bayard, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday, Germania Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday, 11:30 a.m.; Mt. Zion, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday, 11:30 a.m.; Rev. William E. Anderson, Pastor.

Oak Grove Church of the Brethren, near Michleny, Donald Matthews, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; German Church of God, John Baya, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Preaching, 7 p.m.; Y.P.E. every Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m.

Underwood U.B. Church, Rev. Charles E. Teets, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday, Prayer meeting, Wed. 7:45 p.m.; Christian Endeavor, Sunday, 7:45 p.m.

Friendsville United Pentecostal Church, R. J. Riddle, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.; Mid-week service, Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Kitzmiller Assembly of God, Rev. Donald Moses, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Youth Service, 6:15 p.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Oak Park Church of the Brethren, opposite Southern High School, The Rev. Paul Crumley, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Bethel United Methodist Church, Mt. Lake Park, Rev. James P. Remley, Pastor. Church School, Sunday, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and regular worship service, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

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Pentecostal Holiness, Corinth, W. Va., 10 p.m., Sunday School, Tuesday, 1:30 p.m.; Mid-week Service, 7:30 p.m.

Rush Baptist Church, Rev. Richard Tupper, Pastor. Morning worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First United Presbyterian Church, Terra Alta, W. Va., Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Rev. Francis E. Herman, Pastor.

Lark Lynn Church of God, Rev. Robert H. Fletcher, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Brookside, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Mt. Grove, Worship, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. every Sunday.

Deer Park Church of God of Prophecy, Deer Park, Pastor, John R. Jones, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.; Thursday, Auxiliary Service, 7:30 p.m.

Maple Grove Church of the Brethren, two miles south of Grantsville, Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; with Brother John Meyer, Pastor.

Fairview Church of the Brethren, Swallow Falls, Rev. David C. Moon, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

Pine Grove Church of the Brethren, Swallow Falls, Rev. Donald Matthews, pastor. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.; 11:05 a.m.

Seventh-Day Adventist Mt. Top Church, Pastor, Bob Fors. Located mid-way between Deep Creek Lake and Oakland on Rt. 219, Church at Study, Saturday morning, 10:00; Worship Hour, 9:00.

Hoyes United Methodist Church, Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Sunday Service, 9:00 a.m.; Church School, 10:00 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:00 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday.

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Kitzmiller United Methodist Charge, The Rev. Jack Sanders, Pastor. St. Andrew's, Vindex, Worship, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Mt. Bethel, Kitzmiller, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11:05 a.m.

Grace Brethren Church, 3 miles south of Accident, John Lancaster, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 7 p.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Deep Creek Baptist Church, Donald R. Haynes, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Aurora United Methodist, Rev. Harding Nelson, Pastor. 1st and 3rd Sunday, Stemple Ridge, 8:45 a.m.; Ambrosy, 9:45 a.m.; Aurora, 10:45 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sunday, Bethel, 9:45 a.m.; Aurora, 10:45 a.m.

Mt. Top Christian Assembly, Route 135 near Mt. Lake Park, Rev. W. H. Leake, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 6:15 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

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AURORA-EGLEON NEWS

Rebecca Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Watts, Brookside, was injured in the eye last Wednesday evening while playing with neighbor children. A ski pole struck and injured her eye and head. She was taken to Sacred Heart Hospital in Cumberland where she remained a patient until Monday when her parents brought her to her home. She is recuperating at this time and it is thought that the sight in her eye will be restored completely.

It is reported that James Green, foster son of Mr. and Mrs. William Daugherty of Brookside, has been removed from the intensive care unit at West Virginia Medical Center and is slowly improving. He had regained consciousness and is responding now to treatment. He was injured when the tractor he was operating overturned on him.

Mrs. Mildred Will, Egleon, and Mrs. Wilda Will, Brookside, visited last Tuesday afternoon with the latter's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Will and Adam, in Rowlesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rembold of Egleon were recent Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Harsh, also Egleon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fint have returned to their Romney home after a two-week vacation in Florida.

Union District Lenten Services are scheduled to begin in February with Rev. Don Westmoreland bringing the message at the Maple Grove Assembly of God Church. Services begin at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend any and all of the evenings.

Eva Moats of Aurora was admitted Wednesday evening to Garrett County Memorial

Hospital for treatment of a back ailment.

Clare Knight of Lantz Ridge returned last week to his home there from Preston Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Teets of Aurora left Friday for Columbus, Ohio, where they arrived Saturday after spending the night in Cambridge due to the road conditions. They visited there with Mrs. Teets' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Winters and with her sister, Mrs. Paula Flanagan, who is a patient in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Harsh, John and Susan, of Bridgewater, Va., visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harsh, Sandy and Mike, at Brookside, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arden Harsh.

W. P. Winters of Horse Shoe Run remains a patient in Garrett Memorial Hospital with his condition about the



THE SECORDS, a gospel singing evangelist group from Culpeper, Va., will be performing at the Crellin Assembly of God Church from Tuesday, February 14, through Sunday, February 19, each evening at 7:30 p.m. They will also perform at the regular worship hour on Sunday, February 19. The interdenominational group has toured the entire continental United States and parts of Canada. A. Ray Boehm, pastor, invites the public to these performances.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lantz and son are spending the week in Baltimore where they are visiting with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Knotts and family of Cresaptown were weekend guests of Mrs. Lillian Knotts and Ira Harsh in Egleon and all met with Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Lantz and sons at Brookside for Sunday Brunch.

Mrs. Thelma Smith Gnegy, 77, died early Sunday morning, January 29, in Garrett Memorial Hospital where she had been admitted the previous day. Mrs. Gnegy was a widow of Homer Gnegy of Gnegy Church and had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Roth, and their family at Horse Shoe Run for the past several years. Funeral services were held Wednesday from the St. John's Lutheran Church, Red House, where she was a member and interment was in the Red House Cemetery. Three sons also survive, Glen of Gnegy Church, Dale of Oakland, and Wayne of Washington, Pa.

Word was received here of the drowning death of Denise Clandanis of Westminster, Maryland, who was a senior student at Bridgewater College and a friend of Martha Teets, also a student there. The incident happened early Thursday morning near the college.

Homemakers To Meet

The Oakland Homemakers Club will meet Thursday, February 9, at the Oak Park Brethren Church at 7:30 p.m.

Southern Speaks

By Patti Keefe

Seniors planning on submitting a folder for the Elks Club Scholarship are urged to turn them in to the Guidance Office immediately. The deadline is the end of this week.

Frostburg State College is offering an eight week series of courses on Saturday mornings for a limited number of junior and senior applicants. Courses are non-credit but free of charge. A maximum fee of \$10 for the text books will be charged. The courses will be given in art, English, math and geography. Those interested should contact Mrs. Peddicord in the Guidance Office.

Anyone interested in attending the annual career day at the school of dental hygiene

and dentistry, University of Maryland, Baltimore Campus, on Thursday, February 16, 1978, should contact the Guidance office.

Senior class play try-outs were held Wednesday, February 1 after school.

The varsity basketball team is hosting three opponents. On Tuesday, January 31, they met Allegany. Petersburg will

challenge the Rams on February 7 and Bishop Walsh on February 10.

In wrestling, our team will meet Keyser in a home match on February 2 and will travel to Bruce on February 9.

The girls' basketball team will finish its season next week with two home games, against Northern on February 6, and Valley on February 8.

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Swanton Area — Mobile home on 2 acres of landscaped land. Many extras \$40,000.
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McHenry — Masonry cottage featuring living room with fireplace, modern kitchen, spacious bedrooms, inc. large sleeping loft for 12, 2 baths, 91 ft. lake frontage. Located on Marsh Hill Road, 1 mile from Wisp Ski Area \$54,000.

McHenry — (Commercial) 2-acre, corner lot with historic 7-room building. Bath, large deck, ideal retail location with room for expansion. Set at the intersection of Old Rt. 219 and Wisp Ski Area \$59,000.

7 Lots approximately 2 miles from McHenry in Lumpopo area \$2,000 per acre.

2.14 Acre Lot on Mosser Road near Community College \$10,000.

2 Lots Side by Side — Each .57 acre. In Springwood Acres Development \$2,500 each.

Green Glade Area — Lots with access to Lake \$4,000 to \$5,500.

Hazelhurst — Two bedroom winterized cottage with beautiful view of lake. Includes partial lakefront lot with dock \$25,000.

Hazelhurst — Cedar chalet, 2 bedrooms, sleeping loft, cathedral ceiling, stone fireplace, full basement, beautiful view of lake from large sun deck. Deeded lake access nearby. Winterized \$43,500.

Sky Valley — Lot 115' x 196' deep \$6,000.

GRANTSVILLE AREA

Lower New Germany Rd. — 6-room brick veneered rancher with attached garage, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, total electric house, fully carpeted, situated on large lot \$39,250.

Grant St. — Large brick rancher has 3 bedrooms, tiled bath, large living with fireplace, kitchen & utility room. Has approximately 1500 sq. ft. of living space with oak floors & trim, plastered ceilings & walls. Gas hot water heat. Attached 2-car garage. Enclosed breezeway opens into large flagstone patio. Situated on a large landscaped corner lot \$47,500.

Avilton - Lonsconing Rd. — 2-story, brick, stone & frame dwelling, 4 rooms, 3 baths, 3 bedrooms, complete equipped kitchen, large living room/dining room combination, family room, carpeting, drapes, fuel oil hot water heat. Attached paneled garage. Situated on large corner lot with outside stone patio & fireplace. House completely remodeled in very good taste \$45,000.

Chestnut Ridge — 5-room brick rancher, oak floors, total electric heat, 2 storage buildings. Situated on a 1.13 acre lot with view \$43,000.

ACCIDENT

Bittinger Brethren Church Rd. — Located in Emerald Valley Estates. New construction, 6-room modular rancher, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement, radiant electric heat. Situated on 150' x 200' lot \$39,400.

COMMERCIAL

Grantsville — 2.3 acre corner lot, 200' road frontage. Located at the Chestnut Ridge Interchange, U.S. Rt. 48. Adjacent to proposed site of Holiday Inn. Price on inquiry.

Grantsville — Service Station & Restaurant. Highly profitable operation. Large gas volume. Includes masonry building. Situated on 1 acre corner lot at the intersection of Rt. 40 & Rt. 219 North, just off Interstate 48. Owner financing available. Particulars on inquiry.

Keyser Ridge — 3-acre corner lot. Ideal location for motel, truck stop or service station. Fronting on U.S. Rt. 40, adjacent to U.S. 219 South and the U.S. 48/Keyser Ridge interchange. Price on inquiry.

LAND/ACREAGE

8.2 Vacant Acres on Rt. 40. Four miles east of Grantsville by New Germany Exit of Rt. 48 \$29,000.

140-Acre Tree Farm — Located on Beall School Rd. 2 separate dwellings. Price on inquiry.

Rt. 40 West of Grantsville — Near Pa. Line, 30 acres with large farm house, barn, silo, pond \$59,500.

Rt. 40 Near Keyser Ridge — 8-room and bath frame dwelling on 5 acres \$25,000.

Rt. 40 Near Keyser Ridge — 12 beautiful acres with good frontage \$18,000.

157 Acres Wooded — Located on the Oakland-Sang Run Rd. between the Power Plant & Sang Run. Approximately 1200' of road frontage. Property located on both sides of road & property is also located on both sides of the Youghiogheny River \$600 per acre.

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GCC Names Fall Semester Honor Students

Garrett Community College students with fall semester 1977 high academic achievement records were recently nominated to honors lists according to J. W. Janssen, acting President. Students must complete more than 12 credit hours work with a grade point average (GPA) of 3.50 or higher to qualify for Dean's List and earn a GPA of 3.00 to 3.49 for the Honors' List.

Of the full-time students eight sophomores and five freshmen achieved a maximum 4.00 average. They were Jeanne Gilbert, Shirley Gifford, Scott Hollingsworth, Patricia Martin, Edwin Norman, Douglas Oxford, Matthew Plevyak, Maureen Sharps, Douglas McClive, Michael Risoldi, William Shomo, David Switzer and John Washnock.

Other Dean's List full-time students were Kendra Fratz (S), Rachel Magness, and Ronald Hockman of Accident; Barry Shaffer, Cathy Paugh, Judy Custer, and Robert Swinson of Deer Park; Beverly Wilt, and Clara Beckman of Swanton; Gerald Cowser and John Huff of Frostburg; Sandra Hall, Lori Engle, Whitcomb Dunkle, Robert Moore, Mary Kay Frantz, Jimmie Reynolds, and David Gangler of McHenry; Gail Frazier and Jill VanSickle of Friendsville; Karen Wilt, Allen Lewis, Diane Carrico, Rhonda Lewis, Roger Bernard, Kevin Liller, Kathy Nice, Richard Cosner, Allen Friend, and James Manning of Oakland.

Part-time students must complete 12 credit hours work with a grade point average of 3.50 or higher to qualify for Dean's List. Of the part-time students seven sophomores and four freshmen achieved a maximum 4.00 average. They

were Linda Buckel, Dorothy Cathell, Patricia Cowser, James Moore, Larry Rush, Linda Sanders, David Spear, Peggy Berkebile, Debra Dixon, Lorna Moore and Kimberly Schroyer.

Other Dean's List part-time students were James Underwood, and Douglas Liller of Deer Park; Kathy Zimmerman, Arthur J. Hanlin, Michele Kight, Dianna Beeghly, Russell Friend, Piney Powell, David Nordeck and Nancy Spiker, Oakland; Marvin Beckman of Swanton; Gary Teats of Accident; Sandra Savage and Sherry Crone of McHenry; Joseph Groves and Gerald Wildesen of Mt. Lake Park; Jeffrey White of Frostburg; Richard Broome and Harold Maust of Grantsville.

Full-time students qualifying for the Honors List were Thomas Steger, Ronaye Fries, Daniel Preston, Kenneth Tresler and David Lipscomb of Mt. Lake Park; Sherwin Teagarden, Ronnie Domenick, Jack Hauser, David Cowgill, Barbara Steinhilber, George Cowgill, Janie Stover, Gerald Wilson, Eugene Durben, James Hetrick, and Steven Ritchie of Oakland; Cheryl Harman, Bonnie Broadwater, Kenneth Sukow, Karl Stem, and Pamela Beitzel of Accident; William Sherwood of Shallow; James Law, Mark Martini, Karen Dickie, Albert McCullough, James Nelson, Larry Sebald, Candance Sweeney, James Ogden, Robert Di Stefano, Eileen Johnson, and Paul Irving of McHenry; John Guadagnino of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Donald Warnick, Kathleen Edwards and Alta Hinebaugh of Deer Park; John Paugh of Swanton; Craig McGory of Sandusky, Ohio; Michael Carter of Bethesda; Paul Marshall of Baltimore; Jina Mariani of Edgewater, Md.; and Bret Hillegas of South Fork, Pa.; Glenn Broadwater of Grantsville.

Part-time Honors' List students included Martin Evans, Robert Damon and Dolores Burrell of Mt. Lake Park; Denise Philbrick, Charles Damon, Barbara Metheny, Dessie Bowman, Joann Shaffer, Constance Jacoby, Sandra Herschman and Karen Spiker of Oakland; Reba Riffle and William Enlow of Friendsville; James Thomas, Allan DeWitt and Edward Hauser of McHenry; John L. Paugh of Kittimiller; John Kahly of Terra Alta; Sharon Bowser and Judy Richter of Accident; Robert Durst of Grantsville.

Counties Receive Tobacco Tax Money

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein reported today that checks totaling \$3,951,553 are being mailed to the State's 23 counties and Baltimore City as their share of cigarette tax collections for the second quarter of Fiscal Year 1978. "This brings the total amount of cigarette tax revenue returned to the subdivisions during the first half of Fiscal Year 1978 to \$8,142,509," Mr. Goldstein said.

The counties and Baltimore City receive 3 cents from the 10 cents per pack cigarette tax. It is distributed on the basis of population. For the first six months of Fiscal Year 1978, Baltimore City received \$1.8 million in cigarette tax revenue. The State's three most populous counties, Prince George's, Baltimore, and Montgomery, have received more than one million dollars each for that period. Garrett County received \$47,267.21 for the same six-month period.

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Receives Promotion With Map Division



George C. Chloros

Robert L. Ward, Supervisor, Property Map Division of Baltimore, recently announced the promotion of George C. Chloros to the position of Assessment Cartographer.

Mr. Chloros started with the Map Division in the Garrett County Courthouse in February, 1972. He is a 1965 graduate of Passaic High School, Passaic, New Jersey, and a 1968 graduate of Columbia Technical Institute, Arlington, Va. He has also taken several classes at Garrett Community College.

Mr. Chloros resides with his wife, Delores, and their three children on the Garrett Road, near Loch Lynn. Mrs. Chloros is employed with Beall, Garner, Screen, and Geare of Oakland.

Boosters To Meet

The regular monthly meeting of the Southern Highlander Band Boosters will be held Wednesday, February 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the band room. It was announced by Roy Sanders, president.

Husky Halls

By Pam Butler
And Judy Detrick
Donkey
Basketball Game

A Donkey basketball game will be held in the N.H.S. gym, February 10, 1978. Northern's Faculty will take on the WMSG Dribblers. The band is now in the process of selling tickets for this event. Tickets are \$1.25 in advance and \$1.50 at the door. Proceeds from this event will go to the N.H.S. Marching Band.

Snowball Dance
The Snowball Dance that was canceled for January 21 has been rescheduled for February 18. The dance will be held in the cafeteria from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 p.m. Music will be provided by Spectrum and admission is \$2.00 single and

\$3.00 couple. An invitation is extended to students of Northern and Southern in grades 9-12, from the Student-Faculty Government.

Contest Held
Donna Ringer won the Elk's National Free Throw Contest on January 22 at Frederick in the West Division Finals. She is in the 12-13 year old division. On February 4, Donna will participate in the Tri-State Finals at the Naval Academy in Annapolis. The Tri-State contestants are from Maryland, Delaware, and the District of Columbia.

Art Display
Mr. Tusing has placed a new display of Advanced Art in the library. Students are working on an independent study by choosing the subject and material they want to work on for the entire term. Greg Gillum and Joey Thomas are working on pencil portraits.

They have done Rocky, Fonzie, Starsky and Hutch, Elton John, and Elvis Presley.

John Buckel is working on watercolor and oil paintings. Mary Miller is working on Acrylic paintings of birds. R. T. Wengerd and Don Gillum are doing original string art. They have worked up their own designs. Sherry Riffle is

doing watercolor and pencil art. Mary Wheeler is doing several things with various material (oil, marker, acrylics) and doing abstracts. Neil Garlock is working on Cubism in tempera paints.

Members
Attended Conference
Patty Lowdermilk and Jimmy Friend attended a State

FFA Presidents' Conference at Annapolis on January 30 to February 1. They conversed and listened to acting governor Blair Lee, Senator Mason Delegate Bolden and Delegate Byron. They went to learn how a state government works. The Maryland Farm Bureau Association and each chapter of the FFA paid for expenses.

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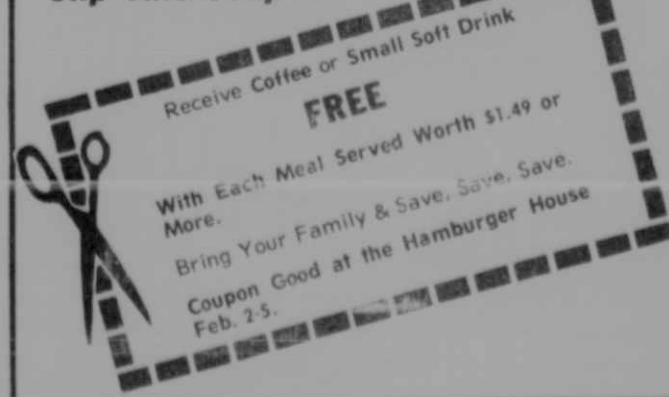
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Marylanders who did not finish high school but are good at something may yet find a high-school diploma waiting, even if their aptitude is unrelated to paper-and-pencil tests.

The Maryland Adult Competency-Based Diploma Program is scheduled to begin in May. It will award diplomas to adults who demonstrate they are competent in two different areas: a job, or "individualized" skill, and basic and "life skills."

The program is based on a pioneering effort in New York state, which began in 1975 in the Syracuse area. This year, New York hopes to award about 200 such diplomas at each of half a dozen regional centers.

The Maryland Department of Education has not yet determined exactly how diploma seekers will show they are competent in the two areas, but the "assessment" procedure is expected to be similar to New York's.

There, applicants can demonstrate job competence by presenting a license (such as the one the state issues to hairdressers) or certification by an employer, or they can take a test. For example, in New York, one woman claimed competence in dairy farming, and the state had a dairy farmer devise a test for her, covering such areas as animal diseases and farm management.

Instead of a job-related skill, New York applicants can demonstrate a special skill, such as art or music, or readiness for college, as shown by satisfactory scores on a college-entrance exam.

In basic and "life skills," the New York applicant is given standard reading and math tests. Also, he must perform a series of tasks which demonstrate his abilities. For example, he might be asked to go through the process of buying a house; getting information about neighborhoods, computing mortgage costs, reading and understanding contracts, measuring the house and so on.

While most of these tasks can be done as take-home projects, applicants are spot-tested on the skills by the state "assessor."

"A massive portfolio is developed for each person," Dr. Mary Reiss, director of the New York program, said of the assessment process, which takes about three months for the average applicant. Before the diploma is awarded, the portfolio must be approved by a review board.

"Over one million adults in Maryland don't have high-school diplomas," according to Dr. Theophil K. Muellen, assistant state superintendent of schools. "Half of them need remedial work, but the other half apparently have enough

knowledge to qualify." It is those half-million people at whom the Maryland program is aimed.

There is already a way for adults to get diplomas without going back to school: the GED (General Educational Development), exam, used in Maryland since 1945. Through November, 12,493 persons in Maryland had completed the GED test this year, with 4,817 earning diplomas.

However, "there are some adults for whom the GED doesn't make sense," Naomi Keiter, a Department of Education staff member working on the adult diploma project, said. Some adults, Dr. Muellen said, "just get tied up and scared by a paper-and-pencil test. It doesn't mean they don't know something; it just means they can't demonstrate it."

Other adults, Ms. Keiter said, do not see the worth of the GED's 10-hour testing of such academic areas as social studies, literature and science, areas of knowledge they see as irrelevant to their lives. She added that the new program will be as stringent as any other diploma program. High standards will be maintained.

Plans call for the Maryland program to begin with one center in Anne Arundel county, pending approval in February by the school board. Eventually, it would expand to seven regional centers around the state.

The budget for the first 18 months is estimated at \$132,000, most of which would come from federal adult-education funds. Yearly operating costs would be considerably lower; the first budget includes substantial start-up costs, principally for consultants to develop lists of required competencies and determine ways of testing them. The first center will operate with a project director, a counselor and a secretary.

In one direction, state education officials are developing grade-by-grade competency tests so that by 1982 no Maryland boy or girl may receive a high school diploma without demonstrating a minimum mastery of selected scholastic subjects. In another program direction, state education officials are developing a program to grant high school diplomas to Marylanders who never finished high school.

If the two objectives seem at odds with one another, the conflict may well be no more than two approaches to the same goal. The intended purpose in either case is to make a high school diploma mean something tangible in the working world. A common complaint among employers now is that many boys and girls are graduated from high schools without having the rudimentary skills required in the job market. By establishing competency test requirements for graduation, the state Department of Education intends, in effect, to make a diploma a standard certificate

of employability.

On the other hand, many adult Marylanders have learned to function capably without the advantages of a high school education, yet when they seek to attain a higher job classification or switch to a different line of work, their lack of a diploma rules them out. All they have learned in the school of hard knocks is of no avail if they don't have that piece of parchment that attests to their formal schooling. So state education officials are seeking to develop the means of measuring how much practical knowledge these adults have acquired as wage earners, homeowners and taxpayers.

In the adult competency-based diploma program, which is still tentative, a person seeking accreditation might, for instance, demonstrate mathematical skills by filling out an income tax form, balancing a checkbook or determining monthly mortgage payments. The purpose is highly laudable; the hard part will be to devise objective standards that will make the diploma of real value in the labor force.

FRIEND'S STOCKYARD

Market report for January 30, 1978.

Stock Bulls, 23.00 to 36.75.
Stock Steers, 36.00 to 39.00.
Stock Heifers, 24.00 to 32.50.
Slaughter Steers: good to choice, 40.00 to 44.00; medium to good, 34.00 to 39.00; common to medium, 30.00 to 33.50.
Slaughter Heifers: good to choice, 36.00 to 39.00; medium to good, 30.00 to 34.75; common to medium, 25.00 to 29.00.
Bulls: heavy, 33.00 to 37.50; light, 30.00 to 35.50.
Cows: commercial to good, 30.00 to 33.00; utility, 28.00 to 31.00; canners, 24.00 to 29.00.
Veals: good to choice, 60.00 to 75.00; medium to good, 45.00 to 55.00; common to medium, 35.00 to 42.00; cull veal, 30.00 to down.
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Hogs: top quality, 47.00 to 47.70; heavy, 45.75 to 47.00; light, 35.00 to 42.50.
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Lambs, 55.50 to 60.00.
Sheep, 12.50 to 18.00.
Eggs: large, 52 to 62; medium, 50 cents per doz.

Agency Describes National Health Resources Act

The Health Systems Agency of Western Maryland this week published a statement describing the National Health Planning and Resources Development Act of 1974, and what it contains.

According to the Health Systems Agency, the primary reason the act was needed is due to the huge, complex and expensive U. S. Health System. The Health System employs about 4.8 million people, double the number employed 25 years ago, making it the third largest industry in the country after manufacturing and the whole-sale/retail trade.

In 1960, spending for health care in the U. S. totaled \$25 billion. This year, it will total over \$140 billion. By 1980, the low-range projects a continued ballooning to \$229 billion dollars, or more than \$1,000 for each man, woman and child in America.

Health care spending was 5.9 percent of the gross national product in 1965. It was 8.4 percent in 1975 and at present rates it could reach 9 percent of the GNP by 1980.

In the 12 months ended November 1977, the overall Consumer Price Index rose 6.7 percent whereas the Consumer Price Index specifically for medical care services rose 8.8 percent. Moreover, data released by General Motors indicates that the largest single element contributing to the cost of a 1976 car was employee health benefits.

On the other hand, the Health Systems offers this information about the present nationwide system of health care:

The general inner city areas and remote rural sections are served by too few medical personnel; primary care, or that received out of the hospital, is often available only after long waits in crowded waiting rooms, or after driving long distances; in certain areas, the country may be building more facilities than needed and the costs of medical care have been rising rapidly.

Part of the rise in health care costs is due to the inadequate location of health care facilities and the cost of staffing and equipping these facilities.

The National Health Planning and Resources Development Act provides a new, unified approach to solving the problems of access, rate of cost increase, and quality of care that have plagued the health care system for at least the last decade. The Act is to inter-relate the experience of the Hill-Burton, Regional Medical, and Comprehensive Health Planning programs by combining, hopefully, the best features of each into a single new program of state and local planning and development. It also provides, eventually, for a new special grants program to meet the country's urgent need for health facilities and for new regulatory programs to control costs.

The legislative purpose is to help the development of recommendations for national health planning policy, to increase area-wide and state planning for health services, manpower and facilities, and to authorize financial assistance for the development of resources to further that policy, according to word received by the Health Systems Agency.

The article continued to say that in essence, the act stems from the consumers' interests to curb the rising costs of health care which, in turn, springs the Governments' initial impetus to aid the consumer, the public, to resolve this problem. It is an attempt to meet the demands of society, to match the functions to society's needs.

By enacting this public law, Congress sought to underscore its commitment to future changes in the American Health system based on community planning, rather than Washington decision-making. The Act spawned a national network of Health Systems Agencies to serve as community outposts for effective planning and development of health services.

The local Health Systems Agency of Western Maryland, composed of local citizens

making decisions locally, is not a federal agency. It is a grantee of the federal government, like a student supported by the government. The purpose of the Health Systems Agency is to encourage, stimulate and develop actions, to improve the health of residents, increase the accessibility, acceptability, continuity, availability and quality of health services; optimize the cost-effectiveness of providing health services, and prevent unnecessary duplication of health resources.

Card Parties Slated

The annual Card Parties for the benefit of the Heart Fund have been scheduled for Saturday, February 11, and Saturday February 25 at the American Legion Home in Grantsville. The benefits will begin at 8 p.m. with admission of \$2.00 per person. Prizes and refreshments will be offered and the American Legion will be donating a \$25 bond to the holder of the highest score from both parties. Persons desiring additional information should contact Mrs. Don Newman, Grantsville.

Worship Workshop Slated At Keyser

A "Workshop on Worship" with Dr. Larry Stookey, Professor of Worship at Wesley Theological Seminary in Washington, D. C. as the Resource Leader, is set for Saturday, February 4, at the Calvary United Methodist Church in Keyser. Romney District United Methodists scheduled this special training event, to be held from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., for Worship Work Area Chairpersons and members. Lay Speakers and Pastors, although all persons are welcome to attend.

The purpose of the Workshop is not to tell people how to worship but to open up new possibilities and avenues of expression and new resources.



"Foot Loose and Fancy Free" is Rod Stewart's latest gift to fans. It's difficult to say why it takes so long for most of his music to sink in. Perhaps it is due to the intensely personal, straight-from-the-heart pleading that makes listening to him seem more like eaves-dropping.

In any case, here is Rod Stewart: singer, songwriter, would-be soccer champ, and rejected lover, pouring it all out for everyone to see, hear, and feel.

"Footloose" is not his best album to date — that would still have to be "Every Picture Tells a Story," with the more recent "A Night On The Town"

coming in a close second. Nevertheless, the new album is a good deal better than many early reviewers would have you believe.

A couple of tracks, the plaintive "You're In My Heart" (which he insists is about his love for soccer, not Britt Ekland) and the melancholy, autobiographical "I Was Only Joking" are right up to the best of his own standards. Diehard Faces fans have rather overdone the criticism of Rod's new band, but there's enough here to give everyone something to look forward to. Great as he is, though, he has not shown yet everything he can do.

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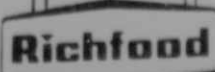
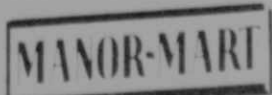
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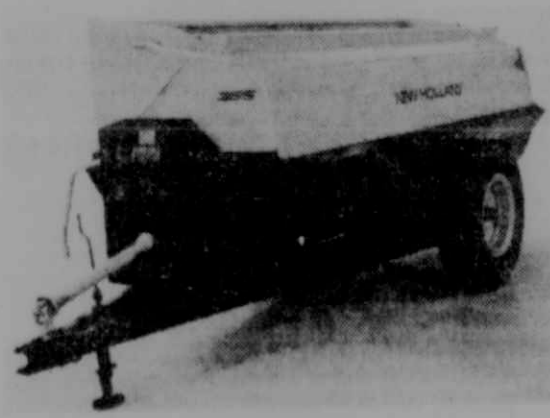


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GLENDALE ROAD —

1240 — A tavern, presently operating profitably, including living quarters. A 28x34 serving area w/horseshoe bar, stools, tables & captain's chairs. Upstairs has a 4-bedroom apt. with living room, kitchen, full bath and family room. Many extras. Situated on 1.59 acres with 347' road frontage. Call office for details.

PARADISE POINT —

1169 — Very nice, well-kept 6-unit motel close to major activities at the lake. Located on a 1.02 acre lot and priced right. \$58,850.00

MCHENRY —

1170 — Excellent restaurant location on Rt. 219 close to Deep Creek Lake. Presently in operation and doing a very good business. \$69,500.00

OLD U.S. RT. 219 & SANG RUN RD. —

1257 — Commercial corner 4-season traffic. 2.5 acres, 400' frontage on Old 219 and Sang Run Road. Also improved with 2 bedroom farm house. Newly remodeled A-frame ready to use. All within view of ski slopes. Call our office for details.

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1139 — Nice operating bar business situated on 2.1 acres, 2-bedroom year 'round home included in sale in addition to several other outbuildings. \$75,000.00

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1060 — Older 2-story home converted into 3 apartment rental units. An excellent investment close to downtown. \$38,500.00

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1253 — 42 acres partly cleared and private with access off Old Deer Park Road. \$500.00 an acre

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864 — 8 1/2 acres adjoining State Forest with 200' road frontage. \$8,500.00

RED HOUSE —

1149 — 40 acres, more or less, with approximately 900' of frontage on Rt. 50. About 1/2 of this land has been cleared for farming, balance wooded and would be suitable for development. Call office for details.

SPRING LICK ROAD —

930 — 57+ acres bordering on Crabtree Creek and Potomac State Forest. Ideal wooded retreat near Savage River Dam. \$450.00 an acre.

WHITE ROCK —

1233 — Hunters - This one is for you! Beautiful cabin site on 1 acre, nicely wooded, electric and telephone available, fronting on County Road and situated in the heart of game country. Owner financing is available. \$2,550.00

MCHENRY —

182 — Wooded acre building site, hard road frontage. \$5,790.00

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Assessment Answers

By James Burley

What is the method of computing the depreciation that is figured in my assessment?

In the appraisal process, the most important and difficult thing that an assessor has to learn is how to determine depreciation. Every home — and every structure for that matter — has its greatest value at the time of completion. Your home is most desirable on the day the key is given to you. From then on, deterioration and

decay conspire to lessen its value.

Certain elements deteriorate automatically with age, and the process cannot be controlled. Timbers dry out and decay. The depreciation of other elements is controllable by the owner through good maintenance. A home that is painted periodically and well kept will depreciate less quickly than one that is neglected. Depreciation can be traced to physical deterioration through wear and tear; functional obsolescence, through size or architectural style; and economics. The last deals with influences outside the property, such as, changes in the neighborhood. A good example

is a residence next to a factory.

Depreciation simply defined is the loss from the highest value of a useful life of a property from all causes. It is applied only to the improvements upon the land and never to the land which continues into perpetuity. There are a dozen ways of measuring depreciation. The one that appraisers use is not the same as that used by accountants in business. The accountants use a straight-line mechanical method that allocates a certain percentage per year through the anticipated time that a property may be profitably used. If all houses deteriorated at the same rate, this method could be used. However, houses depreciate at different speeds depending upon their occupants and other variables.

The amount of depreciation is actually determined by real estate transactions where prices paid for properties reflect the accrued losses in value. However, the increases in real estate values, because of inflation, far outweigh the amounts lost through depreciation, and the effect on the assessment of the allowance for depreciation is often negligible.

In order to achieve uniformity, appraisers use schedules that have been developed by studying case histories on many properties. They must temper these with their professional judgment in arriving at a depreciation allowance for a specific property. In the process, appraisers estimate the property value by using the market approach. This means comparing the total property with sales of similar properties. They then calculate the replacement cost of the improvements. Next, they deduct the land value from the total value and the difference between this sum and the replacement cost is the amount of depreciation or, in effect, the amount of money it would take to return the building to new condition.

Remember that the assessment process is a system of mass appraisals where the thinking is in terms of "norms." It has been found that roughly 20% of properties will not have supporting market data, and, because your property is different from anyone else's, the depreciation allowance is worth watching.

Questions or letters of general interest on assessments and the property tax should be addressed to "Assessment Answers" — James Burley in care of this newspaper. They will be answered through this column to the extent that space allows.

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Transfers Show Variety Of Sizes

A variety of sizes of parcels was noted among the deed transfers in the office of the Department of Assessments and Taxation, January 31. Improvements are noted as 'imp.'

District 2, Friendsville
Harold Humberston and wife to Harold L. Humberston, 91.36 acres.

District 3, Grantsville
Grantsville Sluggers Inc. to Stanley Finzel and wife, 2.7 acres.

Cora Detrick and others to Cora and Charles Fazzenbaker, 1.75 acres and imp.

Chester McFarland and wife to Kenneth and Shirley McFarland, 72 acre.

Four parcels from Elmer S. Yoder to Chester and Shirley McFarland, totaling 14.4 acres. Gary Gindlesberger and wife to Larry J. Lapp and wife, 2.7 acres.

Elmer C. Durst to Vivian Shueberger, 6.25 acres and imp.

Galvin N. Bernice to Thomas D. Anderson, 5.13 acres.

District 4, Bloomington
George Ward to John H. Murphy, Jr., and others, .06 acre and imp.

Charles Warnick and wife to Thomas H. Queer, Jr., and wife, two lots and imp.

District 5, Accident
Paul G. Goehring to John Sterling, 12 acre.

Chris Glass and wife to Daniel L. Puffinburg and wife, 83 acre.

Mary A. Dickenson to Ralph C. King, .89 acre and imp.

District 6, Sang Run
Everett A. Fratz to Lawrence R. Rosage, 2.29 acres.

George H. Acton and wife to George H. Acton, wife and others, .46 acre and imp.

John F. Browning to Ralph

P. Bashore and wife, 1.29 acres and imp.

Two parcels from Piney Mtn. Corp. to: Thomas N. Sampson and wife, 48 acre, and Rose M. Campolongo, three lots.

James I. Shearer and others to Chester J. Suski and wife, 1.06 acres and imp.

Robert Cain and others to Edward L. Murphy and wife, .23 acre.

James Elsey and wife to James R. Manning and wife, 1.09 acres and imp.

Three parcels from The First National Bank and Trust of W. Md. to: Paul J. Gerdon and wife, .58 acre and Ronald B. Dustin, two parcels.

Ellen W. Smith to Donald E. Herman, Jr., and wife, 24.11 acres and imp.

Raymond Brant and wife to Richard A. Humberston and wife, 3.09 acres.

Creigh M. Teets and wife to Dalton W. Wolfe and wife, 1.67 acres.

District 7, East Oakland
William Angus and wife to Betty J. Criss, 1 acre and imp.

Daniel E. Blyan to Viola Blyan, 1.69 acres.

William W. Nace to Cynthia Barnes and others, 25.56 acres and imp.

Thomas Rawlings and wife to Harold J. Annunzi and wife, .68 acre.

Earl Hershman and wife to Craig A. Hershman, .74 acre.

Boyd R. Sanders, Jr., and wife to Robert D. Bernard and wife, .63 acre.

Thomas E. Bernard to Charles W. Stinson and wife, 2.36 acres.

Robert V. Rentschler, Sr., and wife to Lawrence L. Rentschler and wife, 2.64 acres.

Two parcels from Kenneth Reckart and wife to Thomas E. Doyle and wife, two lots, and John Savadel, .68 acre.

Estate of Irene Thayer to William G. Weissgerber, wife and others, 10.08 acres.

Gerald Minnich to Richard C. Bendler, Jr., 1.02 acres and imp.

James Sheehy and wife to Donald L. Nine and others, .46 acres and imp.

Four parcels from Eugene Straub and wife to Alvin C. Yoder and wife, 23.06 acres; Craig E. Abrahamson and wife, 22.41 acres; Eddie P. Brown and wife, 2.02 acres, and Ricky Bachtel, one acre and imp.

Alvin Riley and wife to James B. Crawford and wife, .53 acre and imp.

Owen B. Frazee and wife to Ronald E. Sisler and wife, 1.63 acres.

Stephen Nally to Ray E. Day, and wife, .78 acre and imp.

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Home Inc. to Dennett Road Manor Inc., five acres.

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IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of Jesse George Woods who passed away three years ago, Jan. 30, 1975: Because God knew your work was done,
Your children taught and grown,
He called you home to come and dwell.

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Where no more work is done. You were always gentle yet ever so strong.
You taught us the difference between right and wrong. The years may wipe out many things, but this they wipe out never. The memory of those happy days.
When we were all together.
Sadly missed by his wife, children and grandchildren.
—Adv. 49-11

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption
In Accordance with Section 502 of the
Surface Mining Control and
Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that H. L. Kennedy Coal Co., Box 98A, Swanton, Md. 21561 will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
O.P.A. No. 76-15	Garrett	Bittinger, Md.

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption
In Accordance with Section 502 of the
Surface Mining Control and
Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that Highland Mining Company, Inc., Star Route, Box 145, Grantsville, Md., will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
L60-74-239	Garrett	Bittinger

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption
In Accordance with Section 502 of the
Surface Mining Control and
Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that Bittinger Coal Company, Inc., Star Route, Box 145, Grantsville, Md., will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
L60-74-245	Garrett	Bittinger
L60-74-267	Garrett	Grantsville

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

NOTICE

Application for a Small Operator's Exemption
In Accordance with Section 502 of the
Surface Mining Control and
Reclamation Act of 1977 (PL 95-87)

Notice is hereby given that Alexander Coal Co., P.O. Box 210, Bruceton Mills, W. Va. 26255 will file for a small operator exemption, which, if granted would exempt the above (named) operator from certain environmental protection performance standards in the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The location of the Surface coal mining operation(s) to which the exemption will apply are:

MD Permit No.	County	Nearest Town
L89-76-292	Garrett	Friendsville
L89-76-311	Garrett	Friendsville

Public comment may be submitted to the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C. 20240.

PUBLIC AUCTION

FINE ANTIQUES

"Seelheim," The Weber Homestead
Has been moved to LaVale Fire Hall, LaVale, Maryland, to be offered for sale. Located 3 miles west of Cumberland, Maryland, along Route 40.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1978
10:00 A.M.

This sale will consist of a 100-year collection of fine antiques from the Henry Weber Estate, Oakland, Maryland. "Seelheim," The Weber Homestead, is a 20-room mansion located near Oakland, and was partially furnished with fine custom-made furniture. One must see this collection to appreciate the outstanding quality.

Glassware: Cut, etched cut, signed Heisey, art glass (Imperial Jewel), Fostoria, pattern, china as: German, English, Bavarian, Austrian and Hall, Nippon mantel vases, depression, milk glass, partial sets Haviland, lot serving bowls, luncheon plate sets and platters, berry set, decorated plates, chocolate pot, cracker jar, and more.

2 piece walnut Victorian marble top bedroom suite, white marble, brass pulls, Oriental Motif decoration, one of a kind, a real beauty; walnut early Victorian bed, nut carving, rounded foot, excellent; walnut marble top dresser, wooden pulls; 6 drawer cherry chest, very unusual with hinged drawer lock on side; cherry and walnut hall rack, very fancy; cherry Morris chair, tin Sitz tub, very rare, excellent; single brass bed, iron beds with brass trim. Oak Furniture: 2 piece bedroom suite, washstands, dressers, rockers, stands, 1 ball and claw feet with lion's heads; library tables, large 6-door cupboard, desk chair, clothes press, drop front desk, blanket chest, tea cart, chair, brass medallions, round 5-legged table, 4 leaves; set of chairs, chest of drawers and large mirror. Wicker Furniture: 3 piece parlor set, wingback chairs, rocker, woven seat, chairs, hamper and waste basket, large pine clothes press. Empire chest of drawers, Victorian dressers, rockers, sets of chairs and oval walnut stand, inlaid octagonal stand, early washstand, bamboo chair, trunks, 1 dome top, towel racks, set 7 bentwood chairs, treadle sewing machines, mantel clocks, 1 Gilbert with Westminster chimes; rugs, fireplace set, light fixtures, advertising wooden boxes, dovetailed tool chest, clothing, lot frames, cylinder records, brass, copper, iron and tinware, wooden items, crocks, glass, churn, sterling trophies, Aladdin lamp, large lot linens, bottles, jars, lot old books and magazines, lot jewelry, watches, hat pins, beaded bags, sterling pins and costume, and many, many other items.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Maryland Public Service Commission has scheduled a hearing on Tuesday, February 14, 1978, beginning at 10:00 a.m., to consider an emergency regulation governing winter termination of residential electric and gas service.

The public is invited to attend and to testify. The hearing will be held in the State Office Building, Room 904, 301 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201. Written comments can be submitted to the Public Service Commission at the above address. Public Service Commission of Maryland

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McHenry Office: 387-6187

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Deep Creek Drive

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THAYERVILLE — 3 bedroom home overlooking Deep Creek Lake. Redwood sundeck, fireplace, garage, half basement. Contact Michelle Kight. Oakland office 334-3155. Reduced to \$38,000.

OAKLAND — 2 story dwelling, large kitchen, 2 baths, 3 bedrooms, dining room, living room, full basement, garage, gas & coal furnaces for inexpensive heating. Contact Tom Kight 334-3155. \$35,000.

McHENRY — This maintenance free 2 bedroom rancher is conveniently located near the lake, ski area and college. Home features modern kitchen with range, refrigerator, disposal. Spacious living room with fireplace, dining room, 2 baths, 2 car garage, full basement. Contact Tom Kight, Oakland office 334-3155. \$44,000.

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LAKE FRONT LOTS

STOCKSLAGER ROAD — 135' x 150' lake front. Call 387-6187. \$16,900.

LAKE & RECREATION

THAYERVILLE — A-Frame located along U.S. 219 offers a spectacular view of Deep Creek Lake and easy access to all recreational facilities in the area. Full basement with fireplace, two complete baths, sleeps 10, wall-to-wall carpeting. If you're looking for a comfortable recreational home with all the conveniences of a primary dwelling, this is it. Contact Oakland office. \$60,000.

SKY VALLEY — 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, spacious redwood sundeck, carpeted throughout. Low maintenance. Redwood exterior. Situated on wooded 1/2 acre lot. Contact Michelle Kight, Oakland office. \$47,500.

BECKMAN'S PENINSULA — 2 cottages, plus mobile home on 157' lakefront lot with boat house & 10 boat slips approved for boat rentals. \$89,000.

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LIMPOPO NORTH — 2 bedroom cedar chalet on 1 acre; completely furnished. Absolutely maintenance free. Construction is of solid cedar; lot level & wooded. \$37,500.

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SKY VALLEY — 1/2 acre wooded lot. Call Oakland office. \$8,400.

SKY VALLEY — Wooded lot #E-16. Call Bill Robeson 387-6212. \$5,900.

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REQUEST FOR SMALL OPERATOR EXEMPTION
Brawley Mining, Inc., Box 348
Somerset, Pa., 15501 plans to submit an application for a small operator exemption for a surface coal mining operation located in Garrett County, Md. Election District #3 to the office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Washington, D.C. This application, if granted, would exempt the company from certain environmental protection provisions of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 until December 31, 1978. Public comments on this request may be submitted to: Direct, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation & Enforcement, Washington, D.C. 20240. —Adv. 48-2t.

NOTICE

The County Commissioners will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, February 14th, at 10 a.m. in the County Commissioners Office to hear testimony concerning the allocation of \$24,672 received under the Intergovernmental Anti-Recession Act of 1977 to the Garrett County Roads Department. Interested citizens are invited to attend.

By Order of the Board,
W. Marshall Rickert
County Administrator
—Adv. 48-2t.

NOTICE OF OPENING

This is to notify all interested persons that an opening exists at the Garrett County Roads Department and applications for the position of laborer (Oakland Area only) will be received until February 6, 1978.

No applications received after this date will be used for the filling of the position.
Position: Laborer
Qualifications: Applicants shall have a high school

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education or its equivalent. Applicants should possess a valid driver's license for the State of Maryland. Applicants should show potential for promotion in order to perform satisfactorily in temporary assignments on higher skilled jobs.

Duties: The duties of this employee consist of performing a wide variety of simple tasks under the direct supervision of Crew Chief or Area Supervisor. Does general labor work, such as digging, shoveling, cutting, lifting, etc. Acts as helper to other more highly skilled workers and performs such tasks as are assigned him by his Crew Chief. Fills in as temporary worker in a higher skilled position when called upon to do so on a temporary basis.

Applications may be made for more than one position. Applications may be obtained from the Garrett County Roads Department Office and should be returned to the Roads Department office by the above date. An equal opportunity employer.

By order of
Garrett County
Merit System Board
Robert Stemple,
chairman
—Adv. 48-3t.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

GARRETT COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Sealed bids in triplicate will be received until 2:00 P.M., Eastern Standard Time, Friday, February 10, 1978, at the office of the president, Garrett Community College, McHenry, Maryland, 21541, to consist of one building including site work at the McHenry site.

Plans and Specifications and Form of Proposals, etc., may be obtained on or after Tuesday, January 17, 1978, at the office of the president, Garrett Community College, McHenry, Maryland, 21541, to consist of one building including site work at the McHenry site.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

Qualified General Contractors proposing to bid may secure the loan of Plans and Specifications upon depositing fifty dollars (\$50.00) per set. All Plans, Specifications and Addenda must be returned in good condition within ten (10) days after the opening of bids to obtain refund. The full fifty dollars (\$50.00) deposit will be refunded only to contractors submitting a bid, and only on the first three (3) sets. Additional sets may be obtained from the architect for fifty dollars (\$50.00) each.

At such time as the Construction Contract is awarded, the successful contractor will be given for construction purposes five (5) complete sets of Plans and Specifications free of charge. If the General Contractor requires additional sets for his subcontractors, he may purchase them from the architect at printing cost. Each bidder must deposit with his bid security in an amount of not less than five (5) percent of his bid in the form required by the Instructions to Bidders.

The Board of Trustees reserved the right to waive any informalities and/or to reject any or all bids.

NOTE: Bidders and their subcontractors will kindly note and observe the specification requirement which permits inclusion in bids of a substitute item of manufacture other than that specifically indicated in the Specifications. Where such is accomplished, bidder shall indicate in his bid what sum he will deduct from his base bid for the inclusion of such item or items.

By Order of the Board of Trustees
Dr. Jan W. Janssen
Secretary-Treasurer
Garrett Community College is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, age, national origin or physical handicap.
—Adv. 48-3t.

NOTICE TO BID

The Maryland Forest Service is offering for sale standing timber on approximately 35 acres of Compartment #76 of Savage River State Forest. This timber is estimated to cut 115,889 board feet of sawtimber according to the International 1/4 inch Kerf Rule and 191 standard cords of hardwood pulpwood, more or less.

The timber is located 3 miles east of Bittinger, Md., along the east side of the Maynardier Ridge County road. Anyone wishing to see this timber may meet Buckel at his store in Bittinger, Md., at 9:00 a.m. on February 6, 1978.

A performance bond of \$1,000 must be posted upon acceptance of this contract.

The operator must be a registered forest products operator for 1978 to bid on this timber.

Contract/Bid forms will be available at the office of the Regional Forester, Regional Service Center, Highland Estates, Naves Crossroads, Cumberland, Md. 21502. Phone No. 301-772-2134. Bids will be accepted up until NOON on February 17, 1978.
—Adv. 48-2t.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Deep Creek Watershed Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on February 10, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. in the Planning Commission's meeting room (323 Oak Street, Oakland). The Board will review applications for the following cases:

1. Docket VR-11, an application by Elizabeth B. Boz for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance which would allow her to subdivide her property into 2 one-acre lots which would be approximately 125 feet wide at the building setback limit. The property is located on State Park Road (Zoned LR).

2. Docket VR-12, an application by Kathryn Ponder, agent for Henry Otto, for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance which would allow a previously surveyed lot on Otto property to be recorded and made usable with less than the required one-acre land area. The property is located on Mosser Road (Zoned LR).

3. Docket VR-13, an application by the Garrett County - Deep Creek Lake Promotion Council for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance which would allow the construction of a 27 sq. ft. permanent sign at the Information Center located on Route 219 (Zoned LR).

4. Docket SE-12, an application by Frank E. Wunderlich, Jr., for a Special Exception permit to allow the placement of a mobile home on his property located on Penn Point (Zoned LR).

5. Docket SE-18, an application by Lakeway, Inc. for a Special Exception permit to allow the use of an automobile repair garage on their property located on Deep Creek Drive (Zoned TR).

6. Docket SE-19, an application by Glen Hawn, Inc. for a Special Exception permit to allow the construction of an addition to the Pizza Pub located on Route 219 (Zoned LR).

John E. Nelson
Zoning Administrator
—Adv. 48-2t.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

STATE OF MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES WATER RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION TAWES STATE OFFICE BUILDING ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21401
Telephone: 301-269-2260

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public Notice Issue Date: February 2, 1978
The Water Resources Administration proposes to modify Discharge Permit No. 76-DP-1209 and MD-0052850 of the wastewater treatment facility serving Swallow Falls State Park, Garrett County, Maryland. The proposed modification is as follows:

Grab samples for BODs and Suspended Solids monitoring in place of 8 hour composite samples.

Interested persons wishing to comment on the proposed permit modification or who desire an opportunity for a public hearing are invited to submit a request for a public hearing or to comment to the Maryland Water Resources Administration no later than fifteen (15) days following the issuance of this public notice.

Statements should be directed to:

State of Maryland
Water Resources Administration
Permits Division
Tawes State Office
Building
580 Taylor Avenue
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Copies of the requested modification, draft permit as revised, or related documents, can also be obtained by contacting the Water Resources Administration at the above location.

—Adv. 49-1t.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Of Valuable
Personal Property

IN GARRETT COUNTY,
MARYLAND

Under and by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Garrett County, Maryland, at the suit of Kenneth Bock Vs. William A. & Lorraine H. Berringer the same being Number 2949 Law, and to me directed, I hereby give notice that I will on Saturday, February 11, 1978 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. At Garner residence, Driftwood Manor [Old Rt. 219, McHenry] offer of public auction and sell to the highest bidder, all of the following described personal property, to-wit:

Lawn tractor, Sears SS12, blue/white, ser#10867; metal double bed w/mattress and box springs; sofa, yellow/gold; table lamp, brn; gold lamp, metal double frame bed w/mattress and box springs; Honda 175 Motorcycle, red, ser#1757E012322; Mini Bike, 49cc, silver/yellow, ser#250A-159019; 440 Panther Arctic Cat snowmobile, black, ser#TIA0108194; 400 El Tigre Arctic Cat snowmobile, blue, ser#TTB400RS1A; two fiberglass covers for snowmobiles, grn/white/blk/purple; white snowmobile helmet; purple snowmobile helmet; plastic 36" Coleco Ski, yellow; Remington Mighty Mite power saw w/electric start, red, ser#4439, mod#MMES; McCulloch Super 18-10 automatic

FOR SALE—Farm Equip.

FOR SALE — 4-row corn planter. Phone 387-5255. — Adv. 47-131.

FOR SALE — Yanmar 240 4 h.p. tractor with five-foot snowblower. Call 334-9059 or 334-9060. — Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE—Automotive

FOR SALE — 1974 Plymouth Valiant, 4-door, auto., PS, 6-cylinder, 30,000 miles, like new. Phone 334-2121 and ask for Charlie. — Adv. 47-131.

FOR SALE — 1976 Monza Town Coupe, white with red interior, two new summer tread, 25,000 miles, perfect condition. Call 387-6327. — Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — 1974 Monte Carlo, vinyl roof, air conditioning, AM radio, new snow tires, four new radials, good condition. \$2,300.00. Call (304) 733-6012. — Adv. 48-21.

FOR SALE — 1973 Blazer, PS, PB, new tires, diag wheels. Also, two snowmobiles. 1967 Dodge. Best offer. Call 334-2065. — Adv. 48-21.

FOR SALE — 1975 Dodge Dart, low mileage, excellent condition. Phone 334-2869.

FOR SALE — 1971 International pickup, 1110 series, 6-ply tires with 2 extra winter tires, 9900.00. Phone 245-4259. — Adv. 46-41.

FOR SALE — 1976 Dodge Custom ½ ton pickup, auto. transmission, PB, PS, very clean, one owner. Phone 334-2273 after 5 p.m. — Adv. 46-41.

FOR SALE — 1974 GMC Jimmy (Blazer), 4-wheel drive, PS, PB, auto., AC, radials, AM/FM, \$4,900. Phone 334-8100. — Adv. 47-31.

FOR SALE — 1973 Chevrolet Luv pickup, bargain. Scott Siler, Mt. Lake Park, Md. — Adv. 48-21.

FOR SALE — 1977 Jeep Cherokee. \$5,000.00. Phone 245-4443. — Adv. 48-21.

FOR SALE — 1965 four-wheel drive Chevy, V-8, four-speed trans., new tires, \$700. Call 387-5858. — Adv. 48-31.

FOR SALE — 1977 Ford F-150, 4-wheel drive, 6 cylinder, 4-speed, low mileage, power steering, radio, \$5,000.00. Phone 334-9349. — Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — 1969 Ford flatbed truck, model 350 with 360 engine, heavy duty trailer hitch. Call (301) 387-4804. — Adv. 48-41.

FOR SALE — 1970 Plymouth Fury III, excellent condition, auto. trans., PS, new tires, new battery. Call 387-6890. — Adv. 48-31.

FOR SALE — Opel with 1973 motor, R and H in very good condition. \$575.00. Phone 387-5236. — Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE
1971 Pontiac Catalina
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453-3221
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FOR SALE — 1973 Jeep Wagoneer, air conditioning, automatic, good condition, \$3,500.00. Call 387-5528. — Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — 1973 Mazda RX3, front-wheel drive, 4-speed trans., AM-FM tape player, reclining seats, needs some work. Phone 334-3214. — Adv. 48-21.

FOR SALE — 1976 Chevy walk-in van, 1 ton, excellent condition, 13,000 actual miles, \$5,400.00. Phone 334-8296. — Adv. 39-131.

FOR SALE — 1972 Ford Galaxie with air, good condition. Contact Ronald Frazee, 746-5260. — Adv. 49-31.

FOR SALE — 1973 Volvo station wagon, 4-speed, 145 series, fuel injection, AM-FM radio, just painted, \$3,000. Ph. 334-8656 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. 387-4649 after 6 p.m. — Adv. 48-21.

FOR SALE — 1972 Chevy Cheyenne ½ ton pickup, V-8, auto. trans., AM-FM radio, PS, heavy duty springs, post-traction rear, low mileage, excellent condition, loaded with options. Needs some body work on bed, \$1,495.00 firm. Call 334-8394. — Adv. 49-31.

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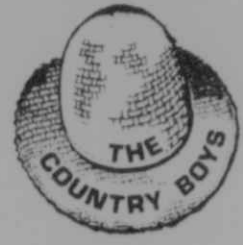
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70 VW 4 speed.

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FOR SALE — 1977 Pontiac Firebird, AM-FM tape, many extras, \$3,800.00. Ph. 746-5943. — Adv. 49-11.

FOR SALE — 1972 Dodge Polara Custom, V-8, auto., PS, PB, air cond., cruise control, \$700; also, 1970 Dodge Challenger, V-8, auto., PS, nice work car, \$375. Ph. 387-6580 after 4 p.m. — Adv. 49-41.

FOR SALE — 1968 Chevy C-10 pickup. Ph. 304-726-4603. — Adv. 49-31.

FOR SALE — 1969 AMC Rebel, 4-dr., 343 engine, good rubber, good running condition. Ph. 746-5126. — Adv. 49-21.

FOR SALE — 1975 Volkswagen Dasher, silver with black interior, AM-FM stereo, 31,000 miles. Must sell, \$2,995.00 or best offer. Call 334-3055. — Adv. 49-31.

FOR SALE — 1975 Nova, 6-cylinder, 30,000 miles. Phone 334-4000. — Adv. 41-131.

FOR SALE — 1969 Chevy C-30 truck, one ton with 12-foot stake body and dump hoist, stake racks included. \$1,095. Call 387-5660 after 5 p.m. — Adv. 46-41.

FOR SALE — 1975 LTD Ford 2-door hardtop, candy apple red, black vinyl top, 351 engine, low mileage; bought new, very good condition. Phone 826-8200. — Adv. 46-41.

FOR SALE — 1975 Chevrolet Laguna type S3, 350 cubic inch engine, auto. trans., power disc brakes, PS, new tires, AM-FM cassette player. Must sell. Phone 334-4548. — Adv. 46-41.

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FOR SALE — One acre of land with 4-room house with bath, full basement, garage and large lot that could be used for bedroom. Close to lake on Rock Lodge Road, \$15,000. Phone 301-387-9417. — Adv. 49-31.

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Health Board Holds January Meeting

Vice chairman Agnes A. Kemmerer presided at the January 25 meeting of the Governing Body of the Health Systems Agency of Western Maryland, in Cumberland. However, as a quorum was not present, any actions taken are subject to ratification at the next Governing Body meeting.

Summaries of advisory committee activities which were approved included the following:

Dr. Carl H. Mittlehner, personnel advisory committee chairman, reported that the committee reviewed changes in the personnel policies and that revised personnel policies will be mailed to governing body members prior to its February meeting.

Mrs. Ellen Smithson, bylaws advisory committee member, reported that the committee approved bylaw changes and copies of the revised bylaws will be mailed to the governing body prior to the March meeting.

Any suggestions for revisions to the bylaws and charter should be submitted to the committee for consideration at its February meeting.

Jesse Burall, finance advisory committee chairman, reported that the financial statement for the agency was satisfactory.

William B. Miller, reporting for Sister Margaret James, plan development and data collection advisory committee chairman, stated that the committee recommended that heart disease, infant mortality and dental health be accepted as health status priority areas in the Health Systems plan.

Dr. J. Steven Skupac, health resources development advisory committee member, reported that the committee recommended endorsement of three grant proposals, Oakland multipurpose senior center renovation, Hagerstown multipurpose senior center, and Westernport multipurpose senior center.

Mrs. Doreen M. Lee, state and federal certification advisory committee member, reported that the committee recommended approval for recertification of the expansion and renovation of the Goodwill Menomonee Nursing Home project at Grantsville. Project cost is \$785,000.

Mrs. Edith Loffert read guidelines for the composition, appointment and terms of members, chairman and vice chairman, meetings, quorum, compensation and expenses of members appointed to the Maryland Health Services Cost Review Commission. Ms. Kemmerer noted that Western Maryland is not represented on this commission.

The Governing Body acknowledged new members from Allegany, Frederick and Washington counties, and approved its special health services advisory committee's recommendations for new committee members, including James R. Stanton, of Garrett County.

The Governing Board will conduct its next quarterly meeting February 2 at 10:30 a.m. and the Governing Body will conduct its next monthly meeting on February 23 at 1 p.m., both at the Sheraton Motor Inn, Hagerstown.

Present from Garrett County was Mrs. Marilyn J. Fienmyr.

Three More Make ACC Honors List

David Bender, Kay Durst and Brenda Yommer, all of Grantsville, were named to the Honors List for the fall semester at Allegany Community College in Cumberland. It was reported in last week's issue that two other Grantsville students, Sharon Glass and Cindy Kimp, had also been named to the list.

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Highways Claim Eleven More Lives

Eleven persons lost their lives on Maryland highways according to the weekly News Release compiled by 2nd Lt. M. J. Morgan of the Maryland State Police. Of the persons killed, 4 were drivers, 4 were passengers and 3 were pedestrians.

Persons killed through January 29, 1978, total 36 as compared to 27 for the same period last year.

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Marietta County — 112.86 acres near Grant Town. Young timber on half the acreage. Jeep or 4 wheel drive access. Mostly fenced. Good for hunting or vacation camp. Call for details.

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Clark Bars, 75¢ . . .

The cost of living has been a theme for thousands of editorials over the past few decades. Here is one more.

The union coal miners have won. Of course, we knew they would. The price of coal will certainly have to increase sharply to cover the new, higher wages of the miners (\$10.15 per hour, average). Thus, the price of steel will have to increase again, and any time the price of steel goes up, practically everything else follows suit.

The cost of food is actually becoming frightening. Prices on numerous items are not jumping by two or three cents, but by 20 and 30 cents.

Each one of us is going to be shocked right out of our shoes when we receive our next Potomac Edison bill. PE has been forced to purchase great quantities of oil due to the dwindling away of their coal supplies, and producing electricity with oil costs two to four times as much as with coal. So, guess who gets to pay for it. Thanks again, UMWA.

Let's not even talk about our gas bills.

Survival is truly the question here, because it's the absolute essentials that are increasing at the fastest rate. We must have food and heat and it would be tough to get along without electricity. The labor unions and the utility companies know this. Whatever "fuel adjustment" they decide to add to our bills, they know that we must somehow pay it.

The union coal miners are certainly not the only ones to blame for inflation. There are other groups just as guilty, such as, the steel unions, the teamsters union, the auto workers union . . . (There seems to be a common word here).

Where will this spiral end? Maybe it won't end. Maybe in 20 years the average salary in America will be \$30,000. It sounds nice. But of course, a loaf of bread will cost \$2.00; a gallon of gasoline, \$1.95; home heating for a year, \$3,000; a ton of coal, \$100; a Clark Bar, \$75; . . .

Blizzard Again Pounds Area

Another blizzard pounded the Mountain Top late Sunday night and Monday. The mercury dipped to low readings and high winds were blowing the snow into drifts. Many county roads were closed causing school closings. Visibility was zero at times.

The snow emergency was in effect from 4:30 p.m. Sunday until noon yesterday. Some state roads were one-way for a time including Rts. 495, 42, 560 and 219 south of Red House. The Finzel road, State Rt. 546, was closed a few hours Tuesday due to blowing snow. By yesterday the National Freeway, U.S. 48, was completely bare. Other primary roads were 95 percent bare and secondary roads 90 percent. Many county roads in all areas were closed Sunday night through Monday. Visibility was zero at times due to blowing snow.

Last Thursday was variably cloudy. A light snow began to fall late in the evening. Friday was much the same with light snow continuing. Saturday was clear until clouds began to gather late in the evening. Sunday was cloudy with more snow beginning before noon. Monday was mostly cloudy with blowing snow. Tuesday was much the same but with the wind diminishing later in the day. Yesterday began mostly cloudy but skies cleared before noon and remained so all day. This morning was partly cloudy. Precipitation totaled .26 inch and snow 3.8 inches.

Temperatures averaged 18.6 below normal. Highs averaged 23.4 degrees or 17 below normal. The high was Saturday's 30 degrees. Monday the high was only 14 degrees and Tuesday, 12. Lows averaged minus 2.1 degrees or 20.3 below normal. The low was a minus 16 degrees last

Saturday. Sunday, Tuesday and this morning, all had below zero readings.

Thieves Get \$980 In Goods From Imhoff's Station

Members of the Garrett County Sheriff's Department are investigating a breaking and entering and larceny at Imhoff's Service Station, Loch Lynn, which netted the culprits approximately \$980 in goods.

According to the report filed by the investigating chief deputy, sometime during the night of January 26, the service station was entered by breaking a panel in a door.

Missing were various tools, fifteen Bowie knives, a pocket watch, cigarettes, candy bars, 32 eight-track tapes, and a flashlight.

The incident is still under investigation.

Southern Car Wash reported that approximately \$200 damage had been done to a coin-operated machine the night of January 30, in an apparent robbery attempt. The would-be thieves were unable to pry the machine open, however.

Employees of the W. C. and A. N. Miller Development Corporation, of Sumner, Md., reported that the windshield of their vehicle had been shattered while parked at the Starlite Motel. The deputy's report noted that the damage may have been caused by weather conditions that night.

Marilyn Johnson, Crook Crest, Oakland, told the department that her skis valued at \$320 had been taken from the hallway at The Wisp February 3.

Danny Stemple, 23, of Oakland, was arrested for a drug-related charge February 1. He was later released on his own recognizance pending trial for glue sniffing.

Paul Riley Receives 50-Year Pin From Garrett Lodge 113, Knights of Pythias



Paul J. Riley, above right, was presented with a 50-year veteran's pin for Garrett Lodge 113, Knights of Pythias, by past Grand Chancellor Lawrence Groves at the February 2 meeting.

Others who will receive 50-year pins this month will be Ernest Townshend, College Park, and Harry Friend, Oakland. Thomas Kight was presented with a 25-year veteran's

pin in January.

Past Grand Chancellor Groves officiated at installation of officers last Thursday. Assuming their new duties were Lorraine Gnegy, Chancellor Commander; Harvey Riley, Vice Chancellor; Roscoe Swiger, Prelate; Robert Schell, master at work; William DeWitt, Master at Arms; Ray Porter, Inner Guard; and Jim Miller, Outer Guard.

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Potomac Edison Asks Customers To Begin Conservation Measures

Potomac Edison this week asked its customers, particularly those involved in commercial activities, to begin immediate electrical energy conservation measures to prolong the company's existing supply of coal.

PE last week appealed to the governors of Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia to exercise their emergency powers to order and enforce electric energy conservation measures on or before February 6. None of the Governors has yet exercised these emergency powers.

"We feel very strongly that the fuel situation is critical," according to PE executive vice president and general manager J. M. McCardell, "and in the absence of governmental action we are appealing to our customers directly to curtail or restrict their use of electricity."

McCardell pointed out that any settlement reached between the United Mine Workers and the Mine Operators must still be ratified by the UMW membership. "This process alone takes about 10 days," McCardell said, "and there is no absolute assurance an agreement will be ratified. We hope for the best, but must prepare for the worst."

Potomac Edison has continued its conservation appeal to residential customers.

"We are also purchasing substantial quantities of power and energy from oil-burning utilities to serve our customers' needs," McCardell said, "but we have no assurance that it will continue to be available. It will also be necessary for our customers to pay the excess costs of the oil-fired generation, which are over four times that of coal."

"In the absence of any of-

ficial action on the part of the Governors," McCardell continued, "we are appealing to our customers to take the following voluntary actions immediately:

Elimination of all outdoor flood and advertising lighting except for the minimum level necessary to protect life and property and a single illuminated sign identifying commercial facilities that are open after dark.

Reduction of general lighting levels in stores and offices as close to minimum functional levels as possible.

Elimination of show window and display lighting.

Reduction in the number of elevators operating in office buildings during non-peak hours.

Reduction of parking lot lighting to minimum functional levels.

Minimization of energy use by maintaining a temperature of no less than 78 degrees during operation of cooling equipment and no more than 68 degrees during operation of heating equipment.

Minimization of work schedules, as for building cleaning and maintenance, restocking, etc., which would require office or industrial facilities to be illuminated, cooled, or heated beyond normal working hours.

Curtailment of nighttime sports, entertainment, and recreational activities.

Closing of all public museums, art galleries, and historic buildings requiring illumination, cooling, or heating.

Operate stores and other places of business for no more than six days a week with a maximum of 54 hours of operation a week."



Principal Asa McCain works with a small student at Crellin Elementary School during a workshop this week directed by Dr. Al Canonic, phys ed specialist for West Virginia schools. Adults had to concentrate at least as hard as the youngsters to follow directions and to keep up with the exercises as directed by Dr. Canonic.

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Family Lenten School To Begin Sunday Evening

The third annual Family Lenten School sponsored by seven area churches will begin this Sunday, February 12, and continue each Sunday evening through March 19 from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

All sessions will be held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church and St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church in Oakland. Other churches participating are Bethel United Methodist Church, Oak Park Church of the Brethren, St. John's Episcopal Church, St. Matthew's Episcopal Church and St. Mark's Lutheran Church. Members of these churches and all other citizens are welcome to attend.

Participants from nursery age through eighth grade will experience Bible stories, crafts, song singing and other activities. Participants in the ninth through the twelfth grades will discuss Christianity and its relation to life as experienced by today's high school students.

Adult courses to be offered are varied. Participants may choose one of the following:

Comparative Religion, led by Rev. John Grant, including a study of some of the major religions and religious beliefs in the world today.

Community Concerns, Issues, coordinated by Mrs. Frances Riley with offerings by those involved in the coal mining industry, the housing industry, transportation, and others.

The Good News and Me, led by Rev. Manning Smith, centering around Bible studies and discussions which will focus on such questions as what is the good news and how does it come.

History of the Church, with Rev. Richard Seaks and other clergy leaders, in which participants will look at New Testament Christianity, the development of the church, the Reformation, Christianity in America and 19th and 20th century developments.

Parent Effectiveness Training, led by Kathie Smith and Ann Abrahamson, will deal with a method of communication which will bring parents and children together, and show parents how to help their children to become mature, happy, healthy and loving persons. Cost of this particular course will be \$35 which includes two texts. This will be a 24-hour course, and during the first meeting time additional meetings will be arranged.

One free-will offering will be taken during the opening service on the 12th to cover expenses of the school.

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Education Board Discusses Figures For School Budget

Dr. William Buser, Dr. Jerome Ryscavage, Al Ringer, and members of the Board of Education for the county visited the Board of County Commissioners Monday to discuss concern over preliminary budget figures for fiscal year 1979 for the school system.

School board members are Herbert Harman, chairman; Robert Diehl, Brooks Hamilton, Troy Guegy, and Clarence Stem. Their group expressed the feeling that preliminary budget figures would be insufficient to maintain existing programs. Dr. Buser stated that if the budget is maintained, this will be the toughest budget with which to work in his six years as superintendent. "If the picture does not change, cuts will have to be greater than in the past, and the board may have to eliminate employees, for example," according to Dr. Buser.

The Commissioners advised the school board representatives that the figure was merely a target figure at present, and that pending state legislation has made the tax base indeterminate at the present time.

Sheriff John Evans, Jr. visited the commissioners to discuss specifications for purchasing three replacement sheriff's cars. He also advised the commissioners that the State Highway Administration may provide two additional sheriff's vehicles for highway safety work.

Herbert McCrobie, administrative engineer for the county roads department, met with the commissioners to talk over road conditions in the county. The Board authorized Mr. McCrobie to purchase seven additional trucks, under terms of last year's bid.

Oakland To Choose Mayor, Councilmen

Terms expire in March for the mayor, three councilmen and town treasurer for Oakland, according to clerk-collector Mrs. James H. Nordeck.

At the end of their terms are Mayor H. D. Swartzentruber; council members M. Paul DeWitt, Frances C. Riley and George S. Stewart; and treasurer Berylaine F. Stanton.

Final day to file for office is Thursday, March 2, at 4 p.m. at city hall in Oakland. Residents age 18 and over may register to vote during regular office hours at City Hall until 4 p.m. on Friday, March 3. Deadline for obtaining absentee ballot is March 6.

Council members who will be continuing to serve are J. Haig Jackson, Von W. Johnson, and James R. Stanton. Register judges for the election will be Mrs. Oneda M. Davis and Mrs. Mary L. Browning. Machine judges are Mrs. Esperance D. McCrobie and Mrs. Jean A. Stuck.

Delegate Bolden Speaks Against House Bill 647

Delegate DeCorsey E. Bolden (D-Garrett & Allegany Counties) announced this week that he is apprehensive about legislation introduced into the Maryland General Assembly in Annapolis by the Department of Natural Resources that would initiate the establishment of broad powers and state control over the entire 65 miles of shoreline of Deep Creek Lake.

House Bill #647 "for the purpose of establishing, within the Department of Natural Resources, a Deep Creek Lake Recreation Maintenance and Development Fund for Development, operation, and maintenance of recreational facilities and services" is part of the DNR's program for accepting total responsibility for the shoreline buffer zone presently held by the Pennsylvania Electric Company.

Delegate Bolden stated, "This bill gives too much unrestricted authority to the Department of Natural Resources. If this bill is to even be considered, it must be amended to restrict the scope of power of the DNR and to preserve local control of Deep Creek Lake."

Delegate Bolden has distributed copies of the bill to the Deep Creek Lake Property Owners Association, the Deep Creek Lake Businessmen's Association, the Garrett County Planning Commission, and the Garrett County Commissioners and has solicited opinions from these concerned groups on this proposed legislation.

A hearing on House Bill #647 previously scheduled for February 9th before the House Environmental Matters Committee has been postponed until February 21st at twelve o'clock noon.

"The citizens of Garrett County must be careful not to allow the DNR to dominate the future of Deep Creek Lake," the delegate continued. "This reminds me too much of the way they handled the Yough River Corridor situation."

Regular Order Of Business Occupies Town Meeting

The regular order of business occupied the meeting of the Mayor and Town Council of Oakland Monday night.

The notice of the coming town elections will be found in another article in today's edition. Also a notice in reference allowing water to run to avoid frozen pipe lines appears on another page.

The quarterly cemetery fund check amounted to \$911.48.

The total receipts for January amounted to \$54,384.14 and the two high producers were \$25,000.61 from December water payments and \$21,137.55 were received in 1977-78 taxes. The balance January 1 was \$23,703.64. Expenses were \$38,399.37 and balance January 31 was \$39,688.31.

The Police Department summary follows. Complaints include: attempt suicide, 1; auto larcenies, 3; bank alarm, 1; controlled dangerous substance investigation, 1; destruction of property, 7; domestic, 6; larcenies, 3; overdoses, 2; prowlers, 2; shoplifting, 1; snowmobile larcenies, 2 and unlocked doors, 3. Arrests included, assault, 1 and drunk driving, 2. Accidents investigated were 20, traffic citations issued, 7, equipment repair orders issued, 3, and motor vehicle recoveries, 3.

Weather

Cold with a few clouds tonight and Thursday. Lows tonight zero to 10 above. Highs on Thursday 20 to around 30. Increasing cloudiness Thursday night with lows in the teens. Rather cloudy and cold Friday with highs in the 20s. The chance of precipitation is near zero through Thursday night. Northerly winds 5 to 10 miles per hour tonight and northeasterly 8 to 15 miles per hour on Thursday.

Jail Sentence Given In Drug Case

A jail sentence was given in a drug case and another pleaded guilty of fraud in District Court during the week ending February 8. Judge Lewis R. Jones levied a fine on another for larceny.

David Lee Hardesty, RD 3, Deer Park, pleaded not guilty of possession of marijuana in the Oakland parking lot last July. He was found guilty at a

trial in September and a presentence investigation was ordered. Last week he was sentenced to six months in jail and to pay costs. The last four months of the sentence are to be suspended on condition he be placed under the supervision of the Department of Parole and Probation.

Marilyn J. Yommer, RD 2, Grantsville, pleaded guilty of fraud by obtaining public assistance by making a false statement to Social Services in reference to income. The item

involved was food stamps. A presentence investigation was ordered. Other charges of false pretense and false or fraudulent statements were stilled following the guilty plea on the first charge.

William Perry Shaffer, Jr., John Street, Oakland, pleaded guilty of larceny of money pouches containing receipts of the Sincell Publishing Co. He was fined \$100 and costs. A 60-day jail sentence was suspended and he was placed on probation for one year under supervision.

Alvy James Alexander, RD 1, Oakland, pleaded guilty of trespassing on the land of Leonard A. Carr, at Crellin in January. He was placed on probation for six months before judgment and paid costs.

William Stewart, State Park road, Oakland, had been charged with assault and battery on Chris Ingram in Oakland in January. The case

was stilled as the witness did not wish to prosecute.

Darlene Llewellyn, RD 1, Lonaconing, had been charged with larceny after trust of an auto of James A. Llewellyn on Avilton road in November. The case was stilled as the husband did not appear. The case appears to be a domestic situation.

Sharlene DeWitt, P. O. Box, Mt. Lake Park, had been charged with three counts of false pretense by passing worthless checks. The case was stilled with restitution to be made.

William S. Saweikis, West-ernport, had been charged with two counts of false pretense by obtaining money for a non-existent enterprise, in Oakland in October. Both charges were dismissed.

Roy C. Wilhelm, P. O. Box, Frostburg, had been charged with assault and battery on Eleanor S. Wilhelm on Pine Run road in January. The case was dismissed as the wife refused to testify.

Lester Lewis, Jr., had been charged with assault and battery on Norma Lewis at Mt. Lake Park, in December. The case was dismissed as the wife refused to testify.

the other stars in the universe.

MOON

Our satellite passes through its First Quarter phase on Tuesday at 5:17 p.m. Wednesday at 9:00 p.m., the moon will be near the bright star, Aldebaran, in the constellation, Taurus. Moonset varies from 8:26 p.m. tonight to 1:26 a.m. next Wednesday morning.

VISIBLE PLANETS

Mars, Jupiter, and Saturn are visible this week. Mars is among the stars of Gemini rising about two hours before sunset and visible almost all night. Jupiter is high in the east sky at sunset. It is with the stars of Taurus. Saturn will be opposite the sun as seen from earth on Wednesday. This planet among the stars of Leo, rises as the sun sets.

DAYLIGHT INCREASES

Daylength increases by 14 minutes during the week. Sunrise was at 7:18 a.m. this morning. The sun will set at 5:47 p.m. this evening. Wednesday the sun will be above the horizon ten hours 43 minutes. Sunrise will be eight minutes earlier and sunset will be six minutes later on Wednesday.

Norma Frazee Tops In Jewelry Sales

Mrs. Norma Frazee, Friendsville, has been named top fashion director for December 1977 in the 50 states for the Sarah Coventry jewelry company.

This is the second time Mrs. Frazee has earned this honor in the past six months, as she was also top sales director for July 1977. The competition includes approximately 30 thousand fashion show directors in the nation.

Mrs. Frazee has been with the company four years, and in weekly national ratings, averages among the top ten monthly.

In July, she earned a trip to The Homestead in Hot Springs, Va., and in November she won a trip to Nashville, Tenn. to meet the stars at the Grand Ole Opry.

On January 25, she earned a pay-off trip to Baltimore where she dined on board the S. S. Nobska, a floating restaurant on the Inner Harbor, and saw the stage show, "Chicago."

Her total personal sales for December amounted to \$5,172.96. She was presented with a dozen red roses as top salesman.

To Collect Newspapers

The Zion Lutheran Young People's Society will be collecting old newspapers on Saturday, February 11, from 1 to 4 p.m. in Accident.

GRANTSVILLE

Entertained on Birthdays
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Raferty entertained recently at a birthday dinner in honor of Jody Hutzel's 14th birthday, and also for Mrs. Jane Hutzel's birthday. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hutzel and Clyde Hutzel, all of Salisbury. Jody is a grandson of the Rafertys and also of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hutzel.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Walker and John, Gaithersburg, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Younk. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wable and children.

Thomas Bender spent the weekend with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Myers and daughter Jennifer. His wife accompanied him home on Sunday evening.

C. O. Bender left from Pittsburgh airport on Monday to visit his son and daughter-in-law, Maj. and Mrs. Joseph Bender and family, in Arizona.

Hollie Atwood is a patient in Johns Hopkins Hospital, Balti-

more. Mrs. Mabel Butler is a patient in Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland.

Mrs. Doris Blocher has returned from Memorial Hospital with her sister, Mrs. Mary E. Kamp and family.

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February 12-18 Is Vocational Education Week

February 12-18 has been designated as National Vocational Education Week. It will be observed throughout the country by educational institutions, teachers, and students.

The Southern High School Vocational instructors extend an invitation to all Garrett Countians to visit the school's Vocational Department, Thursday or Friday, February 16-17. They said that they believe it is important for everyone to have a thorough understanding of the vocational programs and the curriculum involved.

The faculty will stand ready to answer any question persons may have regarding vocational education.

The following is a brief description of the different vocational classes offered to students by the department:

Agriculture:

The Agriculture Science course runs from ninth grade to twelfth, and can be used in ninth grade for the science credit. The course is designed mainly for those with farm backgrounds and for students who want to go into an agriculture field. Membership in Future Farmers of America is required. Mini courses in everything from forestry and natural resources to power mechanics and farm managerial development are offered. There is also a separate branch dealing with horticulture. Any student desiring to learn about and grow flowers is eligible.



Caring for plants in the greenhouse keeps Vocational Agriculture students busy.

Auto Mechanics:

Auto Mechanics I is mainly a textbook-type class, and is a prerequisite to Auto Mechanics II and III. In II and III shop

time increases, and in Auto Mechanics III a model working garage is run by the students.



An auto shop provides actual work experience for those interested in Auto Mechanics.

Carpentry:

Carpentry I and II deal with house repairs and basic plumbing and wiring. In Carpentry III students can work on their own projects on their own level. Carpentry III also has a masonry program teaching brick and cement block laying.



Carpentry classes cut rafters, build various wood projects, and learn basic plumbing, wiring, and masonry construction.

Business:

The business education courses are designed to help students who want to pursue business careers. The courses included are business English and math, typing, accounting, shorthand, record keeping, office practice, business law, and home management. There is also a data processing class which offers a basic foundation for careers in electronic data processing.

Drafting:

Students in drafting begin on a basic level learning to use tools, do lettering and three dimensional drawings. The course continues up to Drafting

IV which is a self-study program with instruction on inking and machine parts.



Drafting students do lettering and three dimensional drawings.

Electronics:

The electronics courses are geared for students who have had a good mathematical background. Electronics I deals with both theory and lab exercises. Theory includes atomic structure, electrostatic fields, and vacuum tube amplifiers and oscillators. Electronics II and III emphasize lab experimentation dealing with transistor circuits up to basic digital computers and integrated circuits.



Both theory and lab practice are part of the curriculum for Electronics students.

Foods:

Students in Foods learn care and preparation of food for 25-50 people, job orientation, short-order cooking, and equipment usage, among other things. Foods III is basically a continuation with more management skills and a special two-week decoration course included.



Girls and boys prepare meals in the Foods Department.

Machine Tool:

Machine Tool I helps develop skills in metal working, reading blueprints, and the use of precision instruments. It gives the necessary background for students desiring a future in the machine and trade. The course continues up to machine Tool III which includes work-

ing with lathes, milling machine, shop math, bench work, etc.

Co-op:

Fifty-five seniors from Southern High School are employed at various work stations in the Diversified Co-operative Education Program. The program gives students an opportunity to "test" the work world and to provide the reality confrontation that gives relevance to all education, and to expand their education beyond the "school building."



Cooperative Education students continue their education and work part time at various businesses in the community.

Bittinger-Glades

Church News

A Parish dinner was held at the Bittinger Community building following church services on Sunday. Pastor Mitchell showed slides titled "A Fairy Tale", depicting in a humorous manner the interaction of Synod and Congregation.

The first mid-week Lenten Services will be held at Emmanuel on Ash Wednesday, Feb. 8, at 8 o'clock. The area coordinator, Pastor Terhune, will have the sermon.

Emmanuel Lutheran Church Women will meet at the home of Mrs. Ralph Buckel on Friday evening at 7:30. The Executive Committee will have a meeting at 7:00 p.m.

On Easter Sunday morning there will be a joint service for the Parish at Emmanuel, beginning at 8 a.m. There will be a breakfast following the service.

Birthday Celebration Held
On Sunday a joint birthday celebration was held for Orval and Barry Glatfelter. Attending the dinner and celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glatfelter and family, Helen Englar, Dale Glatfelter, Shirley Smith and two children, Kenneth and Kimberly, Miss Tressler, Grantsville. Mrs. Englar, Westminster, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Glatfelter.

Personal Items
Mrs. Mary Wiley, Canton, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Reckner over the weekend. Sunday dinner guests of the Reckners were Mr. and Mrs. John Reckner, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. James Glatfelter and Lisa, Tom and Cheryl Harmon. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Barnard of Canton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Miller and family spent the weekend in Greenwood, Delaware, and attended a wedding there.

Lana Brenneman, a student at the Shenandoah School of Music, Winchester, Va., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brenne-

man.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith and Mrs. Bruce Brenneman were in Pittsburgh on business last Friday.

Celebrate Birthday
Mrs. Ferne Beachy had a birthday dinner and celebration for her mother, Mrs. W. E. Buckel, Sunday at her home. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Blake Buckel, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Buckel, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Orendorf, June Green and Beulah Moon, all of Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. William Buckel and family, Grantsville; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Buckel and family, Grantsville; and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stanton and son, and Sally Beachy. Sally Beachy spent the weekend with her mother.

She is now employed with the Federal Trade Commission in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Mary Wiley and Mrs. John Reckner were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Ferne Beachy and Mrs. W. E. Buckel.

Honor Roll For Southern High School Released

The Southern High School Honor Roll listing for the second term was released this week by that school's administration. Those names marked with an asterisk denote A's.

Grade Nine — Sam Bell, Tammy Beachy, Duane Bernard, Dana Bittinger, Diana Bowman, Vicky Bowers, Jane Carroll, Alisa Casteel, Nancy Cosner, Charles Custer, Darla Davis, Stancie Esenwein, Roger Evans, Eugene Filsinger, Brian Fitzwater, Holly Foley, Lisa Foster, Doug Frazee, Lisa Frazee, Tracy Harvey.

*Gretchen Hayduk, Christy Herring, Cathie Hesen, Kris Hinebaugh, Blair Glass, Jackie Gnegy, Linda Gnegy, David Gnegy, Charles Graham, Karen Green, Sheila Guthrie, Steve Klier, Steve Knepp, Craig Lantz, Vernon Leighton, Connie Lewis, Norman Lewis, Rhonda Lichty, Lisa Livengood, Marlon George, David Marple, Linda Marple, Sheila Martin.

*Cathy May, John Mayfield, Mike McGee, Becky Meyers, Leslie Murphy, Jim Otto, George Paugh, Kim Paugh, Ron Pike, Mark Powles, Matt Pritts, Durenda Riley, Pat Riley, Jeff Ryscavage, George Scheffel, John Shillingburg, Mary Sincell.

Sandy Sliger, Renee Stefanick, Wendy Stewart, Judy Stover, Bryan Thayer, Jane Thomas, Mona Upole, Laura Uphold, Cary Walters, Rick Weaver, Carol Welch, Martha Whitacre, Patricia Wilt, Phillip Wilt, Reva Wilt, Sharon Wright, Renee Woods, *Kim Zimmerman.

Grade Ten — Jim Beard, Kelly Beard, Pam Bittinger, Mary Jo Bolding, Debbie Bowser, Edsel Calhoun, Chris Clark, Ron Coddington, Jeff Colaw, George Corliss, Frank Custer, Doug Devlin, Michelle Doyle, Sheila Dunham, Colleen Eddy, Andrew Fike, Dennis Fike, Leroy Friend, Terry Ford, Vincent Foster, Steve Friend.

Doug Hardesty, Barbara Harvey, Karen Harvey, Dave

Heath, *Judi Herring, *Nancy Hesen, Jeff Hinebaugh, John Hinebaugh, Carrie Johnson, Kim Johnson, Roger Kifer, Reid King, Janet Knepp, James Knox, Kathy Kreyenbuhl, George Landis, Renee Lewis, Delbert Liller, Brenda Livengood.

Scott Lough, Lisa Lucas, Paul Lucas, Ellen Maffett, Sheila Martin, Kim McDonald, Debbie Miller, Linda Mott, Allen Mountain, James Murphy, Billie Kay Nelson, *Tim Panther, David Paugh, Leslie Prentice, Mason Proudfoot, Rebecca Remley, Shari Riggelman, Rose Rhodes, Kim Sanders, Carolyn Schmidt.

Jonna Shaffer, Brenda Snyder, Scott Shaffer, Charlotte Shirer, Martha Sines, Nevin Sines, Lisa Stark, Sherry Stemple, Gerald Steyer, Dennis Tasker, Lisa Teagarden, Chris Teets, Steve Teets, Kathy Thomas, Skip Warnick.

Grade 11 — Andrew Bailey, Sandy Bartholomew, James Beckman, Brenda Bernard, Brad Bittinger, Julie Blamble, Cheryl Collins, Marilyn Colville, Liane Cosner, Paul Custer, Charlene Davis, Lana DeWitt, Colin Durben, Dave Eberly, Bonnie Evans, William Evans.

*Lois Filemyr, Gene Flinn, Lesa Frazee, Yvonne Frazee, Cindy Gnegy, Diana Gordon, Liz Grant, Pat Gregg, Carroll Harvey, Val Herndon, Roberta Johnson, Dave Kahl, Sharon Kight, Lois Knox, Belinda Layton, *Ann Leighton, Angela Lewis, *Todd Liller, Carol McCracken, Stan McRobie, Carol Mott, Becky Morris, Otis Nelson, Lisa Paugh.

Joe Paolucci, Jane Plessinger, Lorraine Roberts, Dave Rebele, Terri Riggs, Jeanette Rudy, Tammy Ruff, Jackie Tasker, Susan Schell, Sandy Schmidt, Donna Shroat, Tom Simpson, Gilbert Stalnaker, Warren Steger, Tammy Tressler, Patty Unger, Donna Uphold, John Virts, Colleen Welch, Bev Welling, Rondal White.

Grade 12 — *Paul Ammann, Bill Ashby, Virginia Bailey, Randy Beeghly, Doug Bernard, *Karen Biser, Linda Booth, Roger Bowman, Mary Bowser, Melissa Brady, Lawrence Carlette, James Clark, Steve Cosner, Debra Dixon, Donna Durst, Matt Eary, Mike Eddy, Teresa Edwards.

Kim Friend, Sue Glatfelter, Diana Gnegy, Fred Gregg, Cindy Hahn, Jean Hayhurst, *Debbie Herndon, John Jones, Patty Keefe, Jim Kitzmiller, Barbara Knox, Ellen Lantz, Carl Lee, Alice Lewis, Connie Lewis, Steve Liller, Cathy Lipscomb, Rocky Lucas, Cindy McCracken, Mike McHenry, Anita Mick, Denise Miller, Martha Miller, Judy Moon, Paul Naylor, Dave Niner.

Helen Niner, Virginia Pritts, Debbie Ridder, Alicia Riggelman, Tony Roberts, Gail Rohrbaugh, Lisa Rook, Laurie Rostovsky, Debra Savage, James Shafer, Susie Shaffer, Joe Sisler, Sharon Skipper, Jenilee Stemple, Lisa Thayer, Cathy Tressler, Brant Turney, Sherry Umbel, Lesa Whitehair, Nancy Whitehair, Bob Wolf, Marcia Wolf.

Library Corner
The Saturday afternoon movie program at the Ruth Enlow Library on February 11 will begin at 1 p.m. and will in-

clude "The White Seal," "Uncle Smiley Goes Camping" and "Uncle Smiley Goes to the Beach." Following the movie program a puppet show will begin at 2:30, presented by young members of the Mountain Lake Park Independent Baptist Church, led by Don Friend.

New "how-to-do-it" books on the library shelves this week are, "Crocheting and Knitting," "Upholstering," "Trapping and Tracking," "How to Build and Buy Cabinets for the Modern Kitchen" and "Energy Saving Home Improvements."

Recent books suggested for Lenten reading are "Meditations and Devotions for Adults" by Langford, "Jesus of Nazareth" by Barclay, "Overwhelming Victory" by Turner, and "The Unfolding Drama of Redemption" by Scroggie.

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THURS., FEBRUARY 9, 1978

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:
In answer to Mr. (A Former)

Big Mouth's letter of two weeks ago, we feel that there has been a misunderstanding and would greatly appreciate correction.

He is not giving credit where credit is due. We, the employees who were clearing brush, vines and trash from along the Savage River are CETA and not Community Action employees. We would like to be recognized as such.

Thank you.

CETA Representatives
(Title VI, Maryland Beautification Program)

Dear Editor:

Re: the February 2 story "Killer's Foster Father Reflects on Cooper Murder" — I don't know much about the case but it brings an interesting thought to mind.

The time Mills spent in jail shouldn't have been long before receiving probation, and I don't believe it was all Mills' idea to do what he did, which you can see in what he asked for in ransom.

This brings us to the point that if a man can help bring another man from a car thief to a killer within the time of arrest and release, what will happen to the ones who spend years in a jail before their release? Just a thought.

Sincerely yours,
Edward Hershman

Dear Sir:

I cannot encourage the use of The Republican (or any media) as a forum for questions and answers related to the hospital. I strongly promote and urge any individual who has a concern to contact me directly. Our door is always open and I would be willing to meet with anyone at a mutually convenient time.

Kenneth A. Richmond,
Garrett County Memorial Hospital Administrator

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Dear Sir:

The current coal strike has placed Potomac Edison in a very uncomfortable position. Several questions seem to be appropriate to ask.

1. Why does Potomac Edison rely on coal for 95 percent of its source of power when coal is not a renewable resource?

2. What attempts are they making to supplement their fuel with wind, water, wood and solar energy?

3. Is it necessary to have to wait until there is an emergency as we are experiencing now or again in the future before some serious attempts are made to incorporate alternative energy sources as substantial contributions to the so called "Energy Crisis."

Sincerely,

Steven Shaffer

Dear Editor:

In the town of Oakland the recent weeks of hard weather have been worsened by dogs and garbage—stray, hungry dogs pulling apart garbage that hasn't been picked up in a month!

What a community courtesy it would be if dog owners would feed them well and keep them in bounds and if we could be notified (perhaps by radio) of days when garbage will not be collected.

Sincerely,
R. A. Seaks

Dear Editor:

There were public complaints this week that not enough ice and snow was removed from some county roads.

My report is that there is too much effort in removal on other county roads where not apparently necessary. (For instance Spring Lick, 1/4 mile south of Mellinger & Fort Hill, 1/4 mile north of Spring Lick.)

Portions of our rural roads are through areas too snow-filled to attract human habitation (great deposits) and nearby residents can temporarily bypass with no great inconvenience — might be satisfied with "read closed" signs for a month.

School bus and mail routes can be temporarily rerouted!

Why can't a procedure be adopted that neighbors be polled annually as to their need

for these places to be kept open? Our county roads department could then, with their limited men and equipment, put more effort into greater priorities.

Why not temporarily abandon some stretches? It makes little sense to clear roads just so we can report "all clear."

We Garrett Countians Demand better use of our tax dollars.

Phil Garman

Mr. Garman,

Perhaps you would like to volunteer the road past your residence as the first one to be "abandoned".

Editor

To Whom It May Concern:

Will someone please tell us through this paper where the money goes the miners pay to the union? Fifty years or more ago when the miners went out on strike the union kept them in food.

A Concerned Citizen

Sir:

Your January 26 issue reported a recent vote by the State Land Reclamation Committee to release Buffalo Coal Company's revegetation bond on 35 acres of the Savage River State Forest.

The report further mentioned that local citizenry attended an evaluation tour of this property last June. These citizens, along with sportsmen and others interested in the future of our publicly owned forests, should know that in carrying out my responsibility as a member of the Committee representing the community, I opposed this release of bond.

To me, the vegetation seemed spotty, the topsoil insufficient, and the potential high for soil erosion on the mountaintop, since it lacked the flourishing and protective grass-legume cover which many other mine operations have successfully achieved.

It seemed to the citizens' representative on the Committee from Allegany County and to me that the proposal for immediate release of the operator from further responsibility was premature, and that a conservative approach would be to hold another review this spring, after the vegetation had had one more chance to green up

and grow. When it came to a vote, the State employees and miners overrode these objections. They were joined in their vote by the two newly appointed members representing the Soil Conservation Districts, who made no statement supporting their action.

I hope I was wrong and that the existing cover will spread and succeed. If it should not, the Forest Service will have to act promptly to redress the damage at substantial cost to the taxpayer.

Sincerely,
Eugene D. Straub

Obituaries

MRS. FRANK GLOVER

Mrs. Jane Glover, 104, formerly of Corinth, died Friday in Nella's Nursing Home, Elkins.

She was born at Hazelton, W. Va., February 11, 1874, a daughter of the late Samuel and Sarah (Smith) Herring.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Glover. Survivors include only nieces and nephews, several of them residents of Garrett County.

Services were conducted at the Fike-Watson Funeral Home Sunday by Rev. Vernon Ruppenthal.

IRA H. POLEMAN

Ira H. Poleman, 77, of Salisbury, died last Thursday at his residence.

A native of Garrett County, he was a son of the late Charles and Annie (Gloftelty) Poleman.

He was a farmer and member of Mt. Zion United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Bertha (Chancy) Poleman; a son, William E. Poleman, Kentland, Ohio; a brother, Lawrence Poleman, Finzel, and four grandchildren.

Services were conducted Monday at the Newman Funeral Home in Grantsville by Rev. Sadie Triplett. Interment was in Mt. Zion Cemetery.

GLADYS MARIE SWICK

Gladys Marie Swick, 75, of 144 East Street, Keyser, died yesterday at the Potomac Valley Hospital. Born in Piedmont, W. Va., she was the daughter of the late William E. and Bessie Aaron Holt Cornell.

She is survived by one son, Paul W. Swick, Sr., Valley Road, Cumberland; one daughter, Mrs. Betty Friend, Mountain Lake Park; eight grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received today from 7-9 p.m. at the Rotruck Funeral Home, Keyser, and Friday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Services will be conducted at the funeral home on Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Roscoe Smith officiating. Interment will follow at the Garrett County Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers will be grandsons: Donald Friend, Paul W. Swick, Jr., Glenn Cover, Harold Twigg, Terry Evans, Leif Piper and Jim Linn.

NELSON T. OFFUTT

Nelson Thomasson Offutt, president of a Baltimore area insurance agency who was active in the Maryland Heart Association, died Monday night, January 16, at Union Memorial Hospital, Baltimore, of complications from heart trouble. He was 67.

He was president of Swope, Offutt, Kamtman and Pitts, an insurance firm with which he had been affiliated for about 40 years.

He was a member of the Elkridge Club and the Maryland Club and was chairman of the heart association's annual drive in 1961. He was a member of the national fundraising advisory and policy committee of the American Heart Association.

Mr. Offutt was born in Oakland, a son of the late Elwood Offutt and Mrs. Nannette Thomasson Offutt. He attended the Gilman School and the University of Virginia.

He is survived by his wife, the former Agnes Edelen; two daughters, Anne O. Biggs, Stevenson, and Barty O. Matney, Roland Park; two sons, Charles E. Offutt, Roland Park, and Nelson T. Offutt, Owings Mills; a brother, D. Seymour Offutt, Los Angeles; a sister, Nelle Chesley, Sarasota, Fla., and ten grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Thursday, January 19, at the Shrine of Sacred Heart Church in Mount Washington.

DARL HARDING

Word has been received of the death of Darl Harding, formerly of Accident, who died January 10 at his home in Peoria, Arizona.

He was a son of the late George and Etta (Hebb) Harding, and was also preceded in death by his wife.

He is survived by two daughters, Janice, Colorado, and Sandra, Smithfield, Pa.; two sons, John and Mike, California; six grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Savage, Friendsville; Mrs. Nellie Youngblood, Baltimore; Mrs. Lula Wilt, Corriganville; one brother, Troy, Falls Church, Va.

Services and burial took place in Peoria.

MISS MARY WILT

Miss Mary E. Wilt, 65, of Savage River, died last Wednesday in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born in Swanton, she was a daughter of the late T. George and Martha (Wilt) Wilt. Miss Wilt is survived by three brothers, N. H. Wilt, Swanton; Charles Wilt and Ivan Wilt, both of Savage River; and two sisters, Mrs. Rosie Golden, Oakland; Mrs. Ocie O'Brien, Cumberland.

Services were conducted Saturday at the Boal Funeral Home in Westport by Rev. Frank Johnson. Interment was in Philos Cemetery.

ROY B. BOLDYARD

Roy B. Boldyard, 75, of RD 1, Friendsville, died Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Gibson, RD 2, Terra Alta. Born at Austin, he was a son of the late Willis H. Boldyard and Straudia (Shaffer) Boldyard.

Mr. Boldyard was a member of Terra Alta Lodge 1395, Loo Moose.

Also surviving are three sons, Harold T. Boldyard, Pierre, S. D.; Allen D. Boldyard, Baltimore; Gerald R. Boldyard, Sparks, Md.; one other daughter, Mrs. James Decker, Spokane, Wash.; three sisters, Mrs. Fred Martin, Ada, Ohio; Mrs. Evelyn Metheny, Terra Alta; Mrs. W. I. Smith, Phoenix, Va.; a brother, Lester Boldyard, Indiana; nine grandchildren; five step grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted yesterday at the Fike-Watson Funeral Home by the Rev. Oscar Hill. Interment was Mt. Israel Cemetery.

MRS. HARRY WILLHIDE

Mrs. Elizabeth Willhide, 77, of Swanton, died Saturday in the Cumberland Nursing and Convalescent Center.

Born in Wabash, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late John and Ida (Abernathy) Grant.

Her husband, Harry Willhide, died in 1961.

Mrs. Willhide was a member of the Piedmont Presbyterian Church and Local 676 UPUU.

She is survived by two brothers, Howard Grant, Swanton, and William Grant, Luke.

Services were conducted Tuesday at the Boal Funeral Home by Rev. Charles Reller. Interment was in Queens Point Cemetery, Keyser.

MRS. JAMIE ELLIOTT

Mrs. Olga A. Elliott, 86, formerly of Mt. Lake Park, died Sunday at her home in Gainesville, Fla.

A native of Russia, she was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Julius Weinberger.

Mrs. Elliott was a 50-year charter member and a third past matron of Oakland Chapter 67, Order of the Eastern Star.

Surviving are two sons, Donald Elliott, Gainesville; Russell E. Elliott, North Plainfield, N. J.; a sister, Miss Ella Weinberger, Cresskill, N. J.; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services are being conducted today at 2 p.m. at the funeral home by Rev. James Remley. Interment was in Oakland Cemetery.

MRS. FRED M. BROWN

Mrs. Martha Norine Brown, 80, of 440 Williams Street, Cumberland, died Wednesday, February 8, in Memorial Hospital.

Born in Oakland, she was a daughter of the late John and Ella (Mitchell) Ault. Her husband, Fred M. Brown, preceded her in death.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Bess Smyth, with whom she resided; a nephew, J. Raymond Smyth, Sr., Cumberland; two nieces, Mrs. Eleanor DeVore, Cumberland, and Mrs. Helen Korab, College Park.

The body is at the Scarpelli Funeral Home, Cumberland. Funeral services will be conducted at noon Saturday from the funeral home by Rev. Lee McDaniel. Burial will be in Oakland Cemetery.

Pallbearers, all great-nephews, will be John R. Smyth, Jr., Stephen A. Smyth, Dennis A. DeVore, and Douglas H. DeVore.

PAUL I. LIVENGOOD

Paul I. Liveness died January 21 at his residence in Annandale, Va.

Born in Grantsville, he was the son of Mrs. Mary (Broadwater) Liveness, Goodwill Mennonite Nursing Home, Grantsville; and the late Fred Liveness.

Also surviving are his widow, Edith A.; a son, Paul Fred, and a daughter, Mrs. Brenda Geib; two grandchildren, Paula and Harry Geib III.

Services and interment were private. Dr. D. St. Clair Franklin officiated and interment was at Washington National Cemetery January 25.

MRS. JOHN C. LINDSAY

Mrs. Maggie L. Lindsay, 89, formerly of 7 Water Street, Oakland, died Friday in the Cuppet-Weeks Nursing Home, where she had been a patient for two years.

Born in Oakland, she was a daughter of the late David K. Glaze and Mary B. (Heath) Glaze. Her husband, John C. Lindsay died in 1951.

Mrs. Lindsay was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Surviving are a son, Edward K. Lindsay, Cumberland; two half sisters, Mrs. Lucille Wilson and Mrs. Nell Locke, Mt. Lake Park; and two half brothers, Robert Glaze and Harry Glaze, Oakland.

Friends were received at the George Funeral Home Sunday, and services were conducted Monday by the Rev. Richard E. Manning, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Interment followed in the Rose Hill Cemetery.

MRS. WILLIAM LEWIS REYNOLDS

Mrs. Lillian (East) Reynolds, 72, died Monday, February 6, at her home in Tucson, Arizona.

Originally from Friendsville, she was the daughter of the late William and Melinda (Hetrick) East.

She is survived by her husband; one son, William Lewis Reynolds, III, of Kentucky; a sister, Mrs. Lelia E. Helbig of Richmond, Va., and three grandchildren.

Burial will be in Tucson.

To Discuss Diabetes

"What Is Diabetes?" is to be the topic of Dr. Gilcin Meadows, III on Monday, February 27, at 7:00 p.m. at Dennett Road Elementary School Cafeteria.

Persons interested in diabetes are welcome to attend.



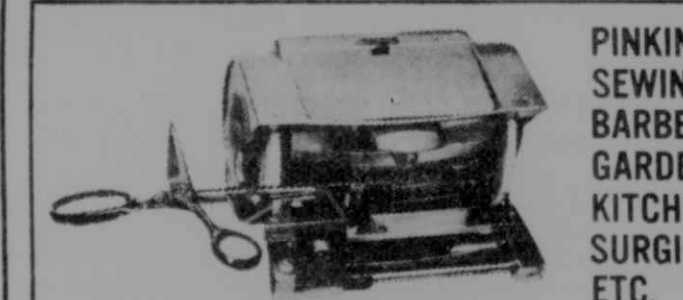
4-H Club News

Public speaking winners were picked at the regular meeting of the Monte Vista, Jr. 4-H Club held February 2.

Intermediate winners were Ann Andrews, Suzanne Mitchell, and Susie Riggs. Alternates were Pam Grove and Betsy Wawzinski. Junior winners were Denise Livengood, Carrie Sweitzer and Carol Maffett. The winners will participate in a County Public Speaking Contest at the Garrett Community College on March 18. Judges were Joy Lane, Mary Early, Jane Henderson and Suzanne Ryan.

Wendy Grove and Kitty Wawzinski gave a demonstration on "Making Oatmeal Cookies." Plans were then made for members to participate in the Heart Fund Drive.

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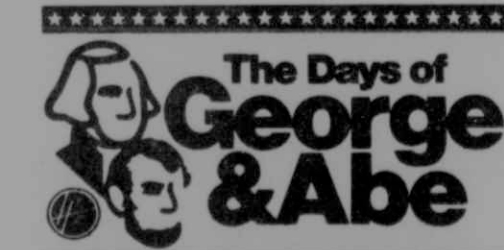
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Rhythm is important in learning body control and coordination, as these hard-at-work individuals found when they attempt to follow the lead of Dr. Alan Canonic during a

workshop at Crellin this week. Dr. Canonic is shown at right, making everything look deceptively easy.

Workshop Held At Crellin To Promote Coordination, Learning

Educators are becoming more aware that coordination and body handling are important in all phases of school work. The first frustrations a child finds are with his or her own body, and when they realize they are not able to manage their body, their self-

image becomes low, and the "I can't" defeatist syndrome begins. This syndrome is then evident in all phases of a child's life, making him reluctant to face new learning situations, and this attitude becomes critical in a learning situation such as a classroom.

To help children learn control of all muscles and to help coordinate eye and hand movements, the staff at Crellin School invited a respected physical education instructor from West Virginia, Dr. Alan Canonic, to give a four-day workshop this week on learning body skills. Dr. Canonic is curriculum development specialist for physical education for the West Virginia Department of Education.

The workshop commenced Monday night with approximately 30 parents from the school area. (There are only 56 families served by the school). Tuesday, despite the fact that there was no school due to bad weather conditions, there were nearly 50 parents and their children at the school to learn to use new equipment purchased by the school for the program, and to join Dr. Canonic in learning exercises.

The entire school participated Wednesday and today, following his lead in muscle coordination exercises and in learning to follow directions.

Auditory memory training is important in his program, with special emphasis on following verbal directions. It is a common failing in both youngsters and adults that directions are not retained in the mind long enough to be followed accurately unless special training is given to develop this ability.

All exercises were made much more interesting and humorous and teachers and parents forgot their "dignity" and joined right in, making mistakes and laughing right along with the youngsters.

Rhythms are important in aiding body control, and many of the exercises are done to music. Asa McCain, principal, had ordered equipment for the school, including balance

beams, special jump ropes, incline board and jumping box, and other items for use in following through with Dr. Canonic's program.

Classroom teachers will follow through with the exercises through the remainder of the year. Youngsters were tested to determine each child's level at the beginning of the program, and will be tested again at the conclusion of the school year to measure progress. Youngsters will not, however, be in competition with each other.

This special project at Crellin was requested by the principal, Mr. McCain, and staff, and funded through a discretionary grant from special education funds administered by Mrs. Sally Wilson, after approval by the school board.

A third and very important part of the training is teaching parents to become more involved with their children, through the exercises, through games, and through simply taking time to listen to the youngsters. Dr. Canonic also stressed the importance of getting fathers to become more involved with their children.

He feels that the number one goal of the project is to build a youngster's self-confidence by helping a child see that he CAN perform simple tasks, and to build from there on his successes. By recognizing this basic need, he and the teachers may be helping a generation of youngsters to become more confident, productive and coordinated adults.

Oakland Personals

Francis Gower, Water Street, has returned home from the Martinsburg VA Hospital and is doing fair.

Harry Kisner has returned home from Garrett County Memorial Hospital and is recuperating.

Herman Beckman of Bradley Manor is a patient at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Edith Byers is a patient at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

The League of Adult Lutherans met Sunday evening at St. Mark's Lutheran Church. Mrs. Ann Abrahamson spoke on "Ingredients of a Good Parent." A dessert preceded the talk. Eighteen were present.

Mrs. Geraldine Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Northcraft, all of Cumberland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stanton.

Jodee and Jeffrey Vitez, Marietta, Pa. spent a few days last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Castlow, Liberty Street, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vitez, Accident. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Vitez visited over the weekend and returned home with their children on Sunday.

Mrs. D. E. Offutt has returned home after spending several days in Washington, D. C.

Barbara and Phil Loftis, Buckhannon, W. Va., spent the weekend with her mother, Dorothy Purbough, Oakland.

Judge and Mrs. Fred A. Thayer and Mrs. Elisabeth Thayer returned to their homes in Oakland after spending a few weeks in Florida.



Ten births were announced by Garrett County Memorial Hospital this past week. Boys greatly outnumbered girls, seven to three.

On February 3, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John David Fint, Aurora, W. Va. Mrs. Fint was formerly Connie Joy Harsh.

A son arrived later on the third for Mr. and Mrs. Michael James Beachy, Mt. Lake Park. The new mother is the former Tracy Lee Bernard.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond N. Schrock, Oakland, became the parents of a son February 4. The mother is the former Barbara Ann Hershberger.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Leo Tasker, of Kitzmiller, on February 5. The mother is the former Denise Marie Alexander.

A daughter arrived for Mr. and Mrs. Victor Harry Slabaugh, Oakland, on February 5. Mrs. Slabaugh is the for-

mer Ruby Loraine Bray.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dale Alexander, Crellin, became the parents of a son February 6. Sharon Kay Friend is the mother's maiden name.

A Terra Alta couple, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allen Lambert, became the parents of a daughter on the 6th. The mother was formerly Karen Mae Frantz.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lester Crocco, Oakland, became the parents of a son on February 6. Mrs. Crocco is the former Iva Dean Keifer.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ray Friend, Oakland, on February 7. The mother is the former Esther Darlene Moreland.

On Wednesday, February 8, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick T. Dawson, Bayard, W. Va. The mother is the former Stella Christine Bowers.

There were 70 admissions and 67 discharges during the week. Census this morning was 64 patients.

Scouts In Action



Cub Scout Pack 57 of Swanton held a meeting recently at which awards were presented. Carl Spiker, Cubmaster, opened the meeting and assistant den-mother, Sharon Lohr, presented the Bobcat badge to Stephen Friend, Leslie Beckman, Chester Friend, and Jimmy Collins. The boys participated in a short program concerning their Scout activities this year.

Jim Sweitzer, Webelos leader, presented awards to two of the boys for their entries in last year's rocket derby. Jeff Sweitzer was lauded for closest

to target and best looking, and Bobby Sweitzer for doing the most work on his rocket. Jeff Sweitzer, Joey Johnson, Bobby Sweitzer and Lee Livengood were awarded their artist and naturalist badges. Ashley Carr received his athletic, outdoor, and sportsman badges.

Orval Teets, district commissioner, closed the meeting and refreshments were served.

Plans were made for the Blue and Gold Dinner to be held February 15, and the Pinewood Derby scheduled for March 15.

Distilled Spirits Tax Revenue Distributed

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein announced recently that Baltimore City and Maryland's 23 counties are receiving \$1,766,041 in distilled spirits tax revenue, collected for the second quarter of fiscal year 1978.

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NFIB is a non-profit, non-partisan organization representing the needs of small

businesses across the country. Founded in 1943, it was designed to promote the concept of free enterprise and to give independent business a greater voice in shaping the laws which govern business and government.

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The Inn resembles a red barn on the exterior and the interior is a very sedate, comfortable alpine resort. Red Run condominiums surround the restaurant and offer all the conveniences of home, and more. Two new buildings are under construction and are expected to be ready for occupancy in August.

Red Run Inn is owned by Ralph White, Ms. Ellen Jones and Ben Bennett, and they have gone to great lengths to provide their clientele with a memorable sojourn into fine dining.

The Inn is managed by a one-woman-marvel, Sandy Stewart. Sandy has worked her way up the ranks to become, not only the manager, but also the chef and the rental agent. She performs all three of her duties remarkably well.

The waitresses, Judy Filsinger and Valerie Wilburn, are both attractive and attentive. They can offer you a choice of Roast Prime Rib, Filet Mignon, Steak-Kabob, Chicken Cordon Bleu, Pork Chops Hawaiian and a number of other mouth-watering entrees. "Treasures from the Sea" includes a selection of Crab Imperial, Broiled Lobster Tails, Broiled Fresh Flounder, Thermidor Royale or Seafood Platter, to name but a few. A generous salad bar accompanies your meal and if there's room — cheese cake, Dutch apple pie, pecan pie,

and sherbet are a few of the dessert choices.

Whether you customarily visit the bar before dinner, after dinner, or even if you are a teetotaler, you will certainly enjoy visiting Red Run's bar, if only to meet their charming bartender, Jane Nunnally.

Red Run Inn's hours are presently as follows: Closed Mondays; Tuesday through Friday, 5-11 p.m.; Saturdays, noon to midnight; Sundays, noon to 9 p.m. Visit them soon, we think you'll enjoy your adventure in fine dining.

Local FFA Officer Meets With Acting Governor Blair Lee

Dan Green, vice-president of the Oakland FFA Chapter, was one of 40 Chapter FFA Officers who met last Wednesday morning with Acting Governor Blair Lee, where he signed a proclamation proclaiming February 18-25, 1978, as National FFA Week in Maryland. The meeting at the State House was the highlight of a two-day Chapter FFA Presidents' Conference in our state's capital. The conference, sponsored by the Maryland Farm Bureau, the Maryland Department of Agriculture, and the Maryland Association of FFA, was designed to help chapter officers lead more effectively by expanding their knowledge of our state government.

Other events on the agenda included FFA members being recognized at a session of the House of Representatives, where a resolution was introduced and passed proclaiming 50 years of FFA in Maryland. On Wednesday afternoon, chapter officers attended a luncheon where they hosted over 30 State Legislators. Participants also toured the Maryland State House, the Executive Mansion, the Naval Academy and the Maryland Department of Agriculture.

Dan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Green of Oakland and a student at Southern High School.

The jobless rate was down again in January.

Forest Service Offering Tree Seedlings For Sale

The Maryland Forest Service is now offering pine and hardwood seedlings for sale to private landowners in Garrett County, for planting in the spring. The seedlings will be sold on a first come, first served basis, with prices per thousand of \$12 to \$35. The species available will be white pine, red pine, norway spruce, scotch pine, and assorted wild-life shrubs.

Landowners interested in participating in the seedling program should contact the Maryland Forest Service office north of Oakland on Route 219. Landowners must have a minimum area of 1/4-1/2 acre of land suitable for planting, to accommodate a minimum order of 250 seedlings, on a planting spacing of 6'x7' or 8'x8'.

These seedlings are available for conservation purposes such as windbreaks, soil protection, fiber production, watershed protection, sound reduction and wildlife habitat establishment.

When a landowner requests seedlings, Forest Service personnel will examine the site to be planted to determine the acreage, soils, and species best suited for planting. The landowner will be given a completed order form, which he must sign and send to the Buckingham Nursery along with his remittance for the seedlings. The trees will be shipped to the Maryland Forest Service Shop on the Upper New Germany road, the first week of April. Landowners will be notified two weeks before shipment of the trees and they will be able to pick their orders up between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., on the day specified. Orders for seedlings will be accepted until March 23, 1978.

Mr. W. M. Doddington, janitor for the court house, entered the office around 6:30 a.m. and found several doors were off their hinges in the outer office. The safe, weighing 2 or 3 tons had been drilled for a hole the size of a lead pencil and the explosives inserted. The force of the explosion blew out three windows in the room, carrying the sash, glass and all along. How the

Horsemen To Hold Meeting Saturday

The Garrett County Horsemen's Association will meet Saturday, February 11, at 8 p.m. at the Accident fire hall.

The movie, "Run Appaloosa Run" will be shown shortly after the meeting convenes. All interested persons are welcome to attend, free of charge.

the ROCK PILE



by Cathy Helbig

The summer of 1896 was an exciting, but a tragic one for Garrett County. During the month of July seven buildings were totally destroyed by a fire that brought a loss of nearly \$30,000 for Oakland merchants and residents. "All the buildings burned were on the south side of Second Street and when it was seen that none of them could be saved from the fire, willing hands were turned to the north side of that thoroughfare in the hope that by keeping the flames from the store building owned by J. M. Davis & Son, the greater portion of the business and resident part of town could be saved."

Fortunately, there were no injuries and the fire was contained before spreading any further. The cause for the fire was not known immediately. "The reports sent to the Baltimore Herald concerning the origin of the fire making the direct charge that it was of incendiary origin has no foundation in fact and was nothing more nor less than the silly vapors of a hair-brained reporter who desired to fill space at the expense of the property owners."

"Such reports have a tendency to run up insurance rates and a reporter who sends such communications to his paper should be speedily called down by a righteously indignant public."

Just a week after the fire several men made an attempt to rob the courthouse by blowing the safe in the treasurer's office open.

building stood the shock of the explosion could not be explained.

The would-be thieves selected a bad time to make the attempt as County Treasurer Gletfely was "down in the county making collections and no money had been left in the safe."

Several residents close by heard the explosion and an elderly lady was reported to have seen three men running from the scene but no one was apprehended.

Of course not all the news that summer was in such serious tone; "Saturday afternoon last Justice Sincell had before him Joseph T. Gletfely and Courtney Fletcher, who were arraigned upon the charge of cutting a cow's tail off. A large number of witnesses had been summoned and after a number had been examined, the justice held that he had no jurisdiction as the evidence tended to show that the crime was committed in W. Va. and in accordance with the testimony both men were discharged from custody."

"The details of the case were not gone into and no evidence was introduced which would either clear or convict the men of the charge."

Even in the year of 1896 there were attempts at integration; "The notorious Jessie Davis, a white woman who was waived into Uniontown some years ago by an untimely breeze, has at last succeeded in being married to an African gentleman of deep black color. Let us rejoice that she has attained the height of her ambition. She has made several ineffectual attempts here and elsewhere to couple up with an ebony-hued partner, not appearing to care who the individual was so he was black, but she was unsuccessful until last Tuesday, when she and George Porter tied themselves to Morgantown and obtained a marriage license from an easy clerk, and found a minister to tie the knot."

"Jessie, prior to her divorce from S. T. Davis, resided in Oakland and figured very prominently in the police justice's court here upon numerous occasions."

"Saturday night last John Banks, colored, formerly of Oakland, arrived at Loch Lynn Heights pretty well loaded with 'corn juice' and at once proceeded to make things lively according to his notion. He was placed under arrest, brought to Oakland and turned over to Sheriff Lee who kept him in jail until Monday afternoon when he was given a hearing before Justice Sincell. A fine of \$3 was imposed and in default was sent to jail for a period of ten days."

During this time of bootlegging it was sometimes hard to determine whether you were getting top quality liquor. "In Lewis County a father sued a

liquor dealer for \$2,000 damages for selling his boy liquor which finally resulted in his becoming insane. The Circuit Court awarded him the amount of damage asked for, which was last week affirmed by the Supreme Court." (Must've been the King of Beers).

"A bashful young man in Morgantown while attending a revival meeting, was approached by a very earnest young lady who said to him: 'My dear young friend, it would do my heart good to lead you to the altar.' The fellow hesitatingly replied that he appreciated the honor, but as he was already engaged to two girls, he couldn't accommodate her at present." (There is evidence that even in 1896 men were super-egotistical).

La Leche League

The La Leche League will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, February 14, at 7:30 p.m. at 15 Buena Vista Drive. This is the second in a series of four discussions on breastfeeding, and will consider, "The Art of Breastfeeding and Overcoming Difficulties." All women interested in breastfeeding, especially expectant and new mothers, are invited to attend. Persons desiring additional information should contact Elinor Hamilton at 387-9318.

Nelson To Address

Home Builder Group

John Nelson, Garrett County Zoning Administrator, will be guest speaker at the Mountain-top Home Builders Association meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, February 14, at the Proctor Kildow Post No. 71, American Legion, in Oakland.

The association will also elect its board of directors at this meeting.

Mr. Nelson plans to discuss how and why zoning is created, how it works, and what specific zones currently exist in Garrett County.

Anyone interested in joining the association as a builder or as an associate member may attend. Associate memberships are open to anyone serving the construction industry. Applications for membership will be available at the meeting.

Members may bring guests and members of their families to the meeting. Refreshments will be served.



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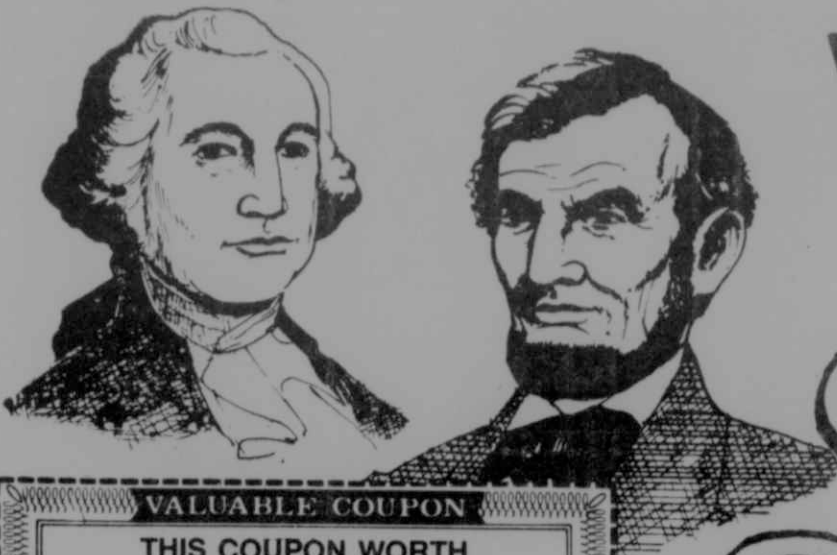


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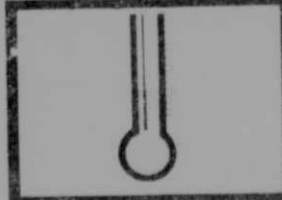


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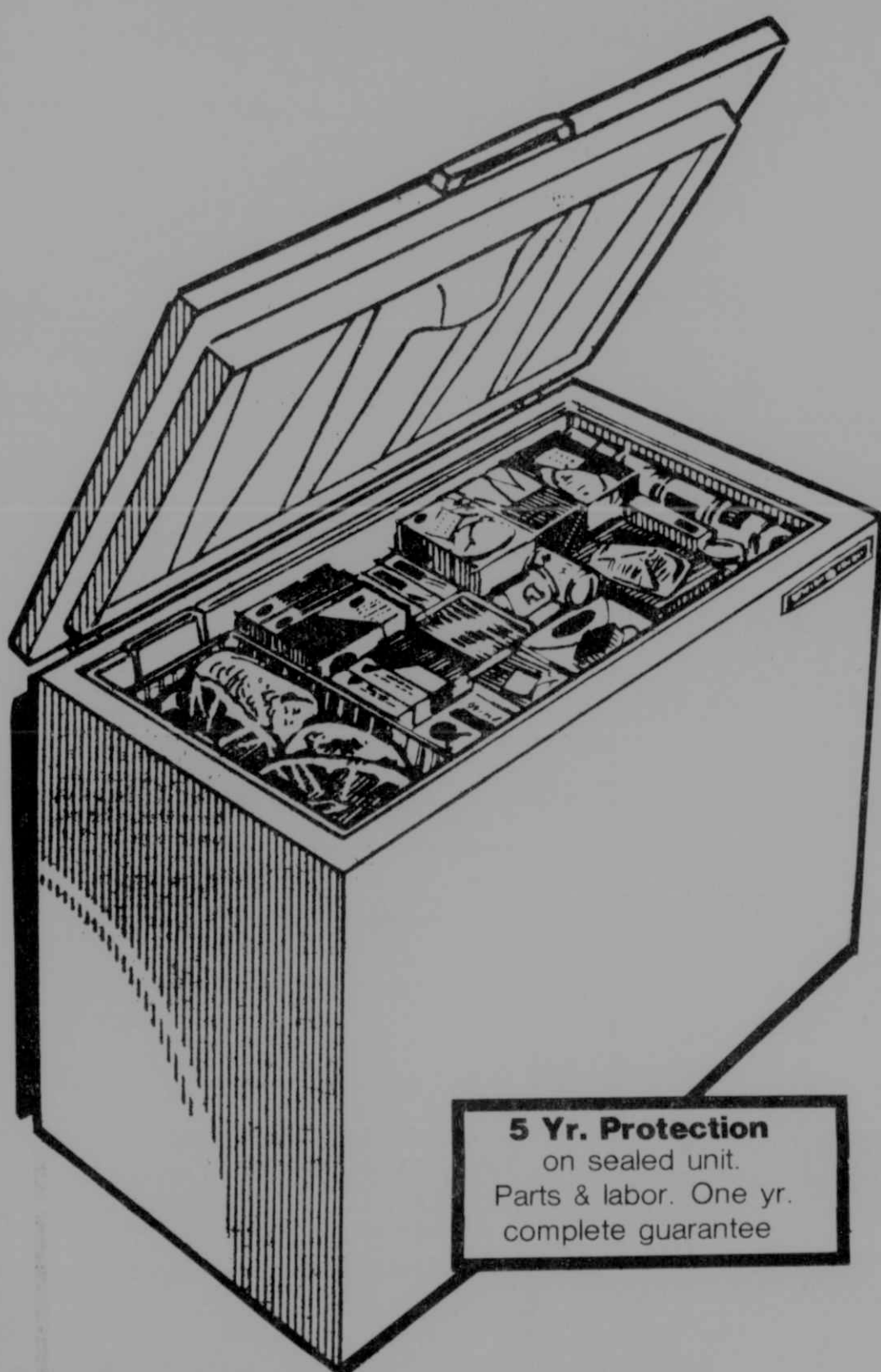
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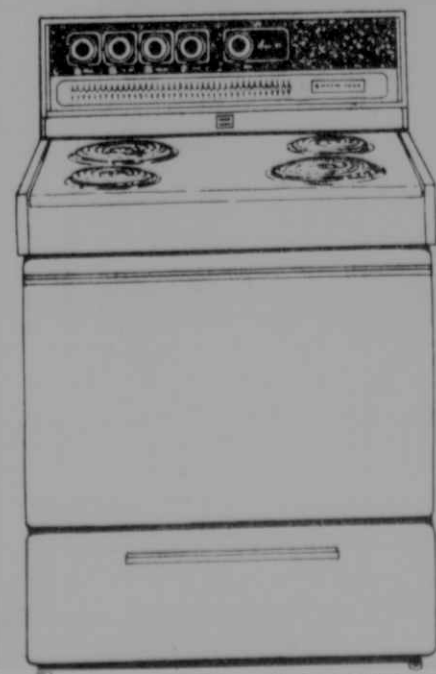
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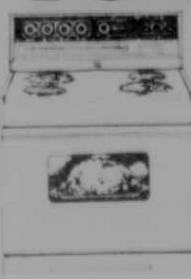
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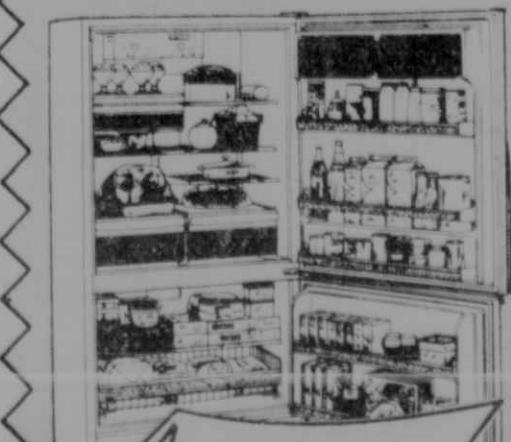
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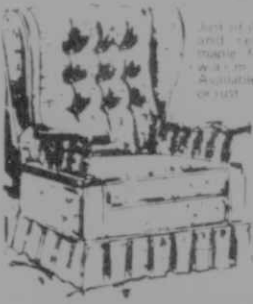
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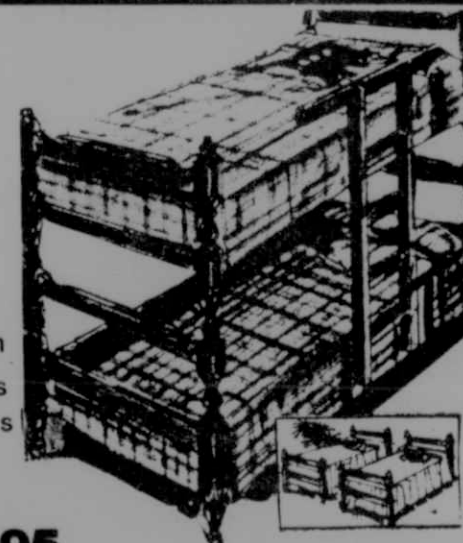
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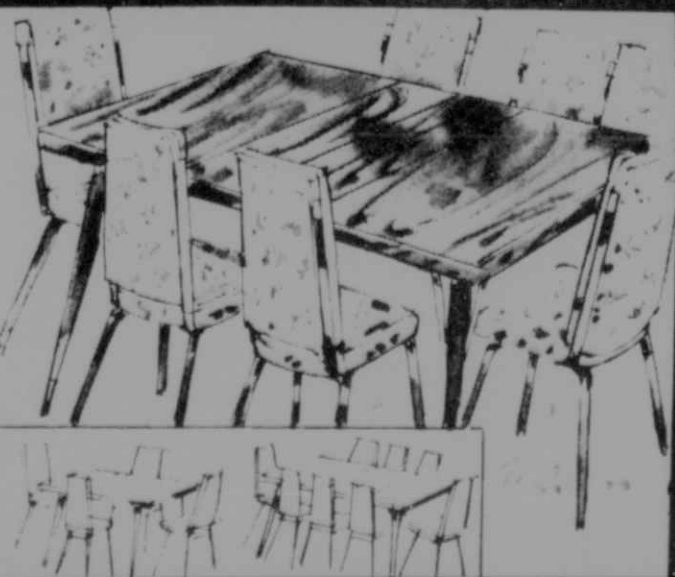
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Children's Dental Health Week Now Being Observed

This week (February 5-11) has been designated the 30th annual National Children's Dental Health Week. As part of the observance, The Republican, in cooperation with the Allegany-Garrett Dental Society, presents the following information and facts parents should know about dental health.

The dentist has told us that our 13-year-old son has gum disease. How can this develop in someone so young?

Gum disease accounts for the greatest amount of tooth loss in adults, but it also affects children. According to recent U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare statistics, approximately 68 percent of the nation's youth have some visible form of periodontal or gum disease — generally of a mild type.

Unfortunately, unless preventive measures are taken, the disease progresses over a long period of time with little or no pain, destroying the

gums, bone and other structures that support the teeth. Often a large percentage of periodontal problems in later life can be traced to neglect or improper care of the mouth during childhood.

The problem begins with dental plaque which is the sticky, colorless substance that forms constantly on everyone's teeth. The bacteria in plaque utilizes the sugars you eat to produce harmful acids that attack the teeth and cause caries. But this same substance also irritates the gums, making them tender and likely to bleed. If plaque is not removed daily by careful brushing and flossing, it will thicken into a deposit called calculus. As the calculus accumulates, the gums slowly detach from the teeth leaving deep pockets where bacteria and debris collect.

Eventually, if left untreated, the tissues and bones around the teeth are destroyed, and healthy teeth loosen and are lost.

There generally are two stages of periodontal disease: gingivitis or inflamed gums and periodontitis which involves the bones supporting the

teeth.

The best method of prevention is regular brushing and flossing, regular visits to your family dentist, and proper nutrition.

Our student council has been asked to consider the removal of candy bars from vending machines in our school. What effect do such snacks have on our teeth?

Snacking on candy bars or sugary soft drinks is probably the worst thing you can do to your teeth.

Each time you eat foods containing sugars, certain bacteria in the mouth are stimulated to create acids that attack the tooth enamel. This bacteria is found in a sticky, colorless film called plaque that forms continuously on everyone's teeth.

The greatest damage occurs within the first 20 minutes after eating sweet foods. So the more often you eat foods containing sugar the more often the acids have an opportunity to accumulate on your teeth to act on the enamel.

One answer to the problem is to limit the number of times you eat sugary foods each day. In other words, confine your intake of sugary foods to regular mealtimes and avoid those between-meal snacks.

Instead of selecting sweets in the vending machine or at the corner snack shop, look for sugar-free candy or gum and soft drinks, fresh fruits, milk, cheese, soda crackers, potato chips, popcorn or peanuts.

I have heard conflicting stories about the dangers of radiation. Is exposure to dental x-rays harmful?

Dental x-ray examinations made with modern methods and safeguards pose no danger to your health. Your dentist and his staff have been trained to prevent unnecessary radiation and to plan carefully to use the least exposure possible. The amount of radiation which reaches the more sensitive cells of the body is only a small percentage of the annual natural background radiation to which man is inherently subjected.

As part of his training, your family dentist has had extensive instruction and experience in the operation of x-ray equipment and interpretation of x-ray films. In addition, he and his staff are always alert to any potential hazards to patients through the use of radiation equipment. The

American Dental Association, for instance, advises that leaded aprons be used on children and adults of childbearing age.

You can be sure that your dentist will not recommend the taking of x-rays unless he feels they are absolutely necessary for the diagnosis and a subsequent course of treatment.

With the aid of x-ray films, your dentist can detect the beginnings of tooth decay, abnormal growth conditions — including unerupted or malpositioned teeth — or abnormalities like tumors and cysts before they have an opportunity to grow and create more serious problems.

Through the use of x-ray examinations your dentist can help you keep your teeth healthy for a lifetime.

As the parent of a two-year-old handicapped daughter, I would appreciate advice for setting up a special dental health care program for her.

The same basic rules of good dental health that apply to the well child are applicable to the youngster with a handicap. It is important to recognize early that a healthy mouth is an integral part of total health, helping the child to improve not only eating and speaking but also appearance and emotional well-being.

With the handicapped child there should be a greater sense of urgency for a preventive program. Dental defects, if untreated, may be more harmful to the welfare of the handicapped child and, in addition, may be more difficult for the dentist to manage.

Dental problems can be caused by the handicap or, in some cases, by its treatment. Missing teeth or malocclusion can be a part of Down's Syndrome and cleft palate. Underdeveloped, pitted or irregular tooth enamel is commonly seen in children with cerebral palsy and those born prematurely. Diabetic children tend to develop periodontal disease at a young age and, because oral infections can make insulin regulation difficult, it is essential for a diabetic child to prevent periodontal disease.

On the other hand, drug therapy can also affect a child's oral health. For instance, prolonged use of phenytoin (Dilantin) which is used to control seizures may cause the gums to grow abnormally over the teeth and interfere with chewing. Pro-

longed use of certain drugs, such as the tranquilizers and barbiturates, can cause the saliva to dry up, making the teeth more prone to decay. Also, if drugs with a syrup base are given for extended periods of time, the sugar in them can cause extensive dental caries.

Regardless of these special problems, however, most of a handicapped child's oral problems are caused by the same diseases that affect everyone's teeth: dental caries and periodontal disease.

It is not too early for your child to have her first examination by the dentist. He will want to see the child at an early age and then frequently thereafter to gain her confidence, discuss with (or advise) you on home care and diet and perhaps repair any dental defects before they become complex.

A home care program can help your child prevent dental problems: You should be sure your child's teeth are brushed and flossed daily to remove the plaque that forms constantly on her teeth. Proper nutrition is another essential in preventive dental care. If your water supply is not fluoridated, a prescription may be obtained for fluoride supplements. Fluoride is effective in strengthening teeth, making them less susceptible to decay.

For additional information regarding adaptive techniques and home care procedures for the handicapped person, contact the Bureau of Dental Health Education, American Dental Association, 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60611.

I was amazed to learn recently that it may be harmful to my baby's teeth to give him a bottle at bedtime. Can you explain why?

The content of the bedtime bottle may be harmful to your baby's teeth. An infant who is given a bottle at bedtime can be a prime candidate for rampant dental decay, a condition called "nursing bottle mouth."

This is because as liquids containing sugar are consumed, they combine with the plaque that constantly grows on the surface of the teeth. The sugar from the liquid interacts

with the bacteria in plaque to form acids that eat away at the tooth enamel. The length of time these acids are in contact with the teeth is a major factor.

Normal bottle feeding does not contribute to this condition since the baby who takes a bottle while awake swallows the fluids quickly. But if he is drowsy, or asleep, his normal salivary flow and swallowing processes decrease. The tongue and the nipple tend to pool the sugary liquid around the top front teeth which are the ones most frequently affected.

If you feel that your baby re-

ceives comfort and security from a bedtime bottle, fill it only with plain water. Fluids containing sugar such as formula or fruit juices can cause decay — particularly if they remain in the mouth for an extended period of time.

To save your baby's teeth, remember to cleanse his mouth and teeth after each feeding with a clean cloth or gauze pad.

In addition, check content labels on baby foods. Look for foods that do not contain sugar.

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Worms are perhaps the least obvious of the animal parasites as they are generally internal. They are often not noted until your pet vomits them. Pets that are wormed regularly are rarely infested, but it is wise to check your pet's feces periodically for signs of worms.

The three most common types of worms are the hookworm, round worm and tape worm. Each of these can be ingested when your pet eats grass or food that has been infected with the larvae or eggs. Worms are dangerous as they absorb nutrients from your pet's stomach and intestines that are necessary to the animal's nourishment. Severely infested animals and those carrying the rarer species of worms, i.e., blood and lung worms, are in further danger because of the worm's tendency to bore through organ tissue.

Animals can be wormed at home, but most pet owners are not able to distinguish which type of worm is causing the problem. It is best to practice preventive worming on a regular basis with a general worming preparation containing piperazine. Very young

animals, pregnant or lactating mothers, and sick animals should not be wormed except at the discretion of a veterinarian. Most worming applications need to be administered twice in order to destroy the complete life cycle of the worm.

If at all possible, take a stool sample to the veterinarian whenever you visit, and particularly when you suspect worms. When any medication needs to be administered to your pet it is wise to consult your veterinarian as to the amount and frequency of the dosage. Home remedies and store-bought patent medicines are often times not effective and if given incorrectly, they can do more harm than good.

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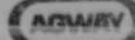
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Huskie Matmen Downed By Bruce

Northern was toppled by visiting Bruce, 41-20 in a Bi-State match Monday evening.

The Huskies started the evening off in good form with a decision by Don Gillum. Harry Duckworth countered with a pin for the Bulldogs and then Northern's Galen Kamp, Randy Broadwater, and Brent Brennenman followed with a decision, a pin, and another decision in quick succession.

The Bulldogs picked up with John Richard's pin in the 132-pound class. Don Taylor scored a points win. Rick McKenzie followed with a win on default and Kurt Lear took a draw with Mike Watson.

The Bulldogs ended the match with three straight pins from Jim Llewellyn, Tom Sutherland and Keith Lewis.

Bruce 41, Northern 20
78 Don Gillum, N dec Eric Whetzel 18-2
105 Harry Duckworth, B pinned Dale Carpenter 1:36
112 Galen Kamp, N dec McKenzie 6-2
119 Randy Broadwater, N pinned Curpie Hooken 1:03
126 Brent Brennenman, N dec Steve Johnson 4-0
132 John Richards, B pinned Jack Garlitz 2:36
138 Don Taylor, B dec Jim Warrick 6-0
145 Rick McKenzie, B won via default
155 Kurt Lear, N drew with Mike Watson 6-6
167 Jim Llewellyn, B pinned Dave Frazier 3:26

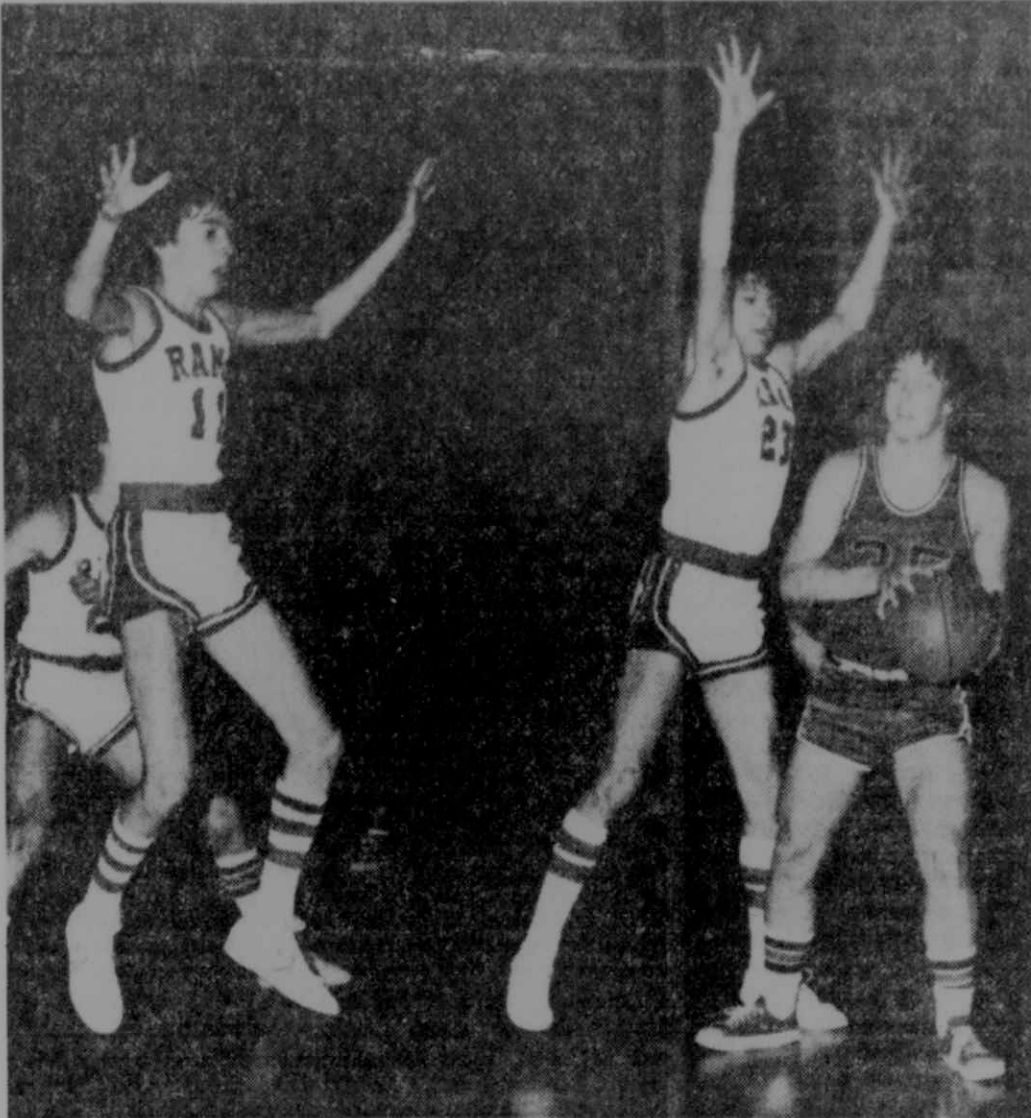
Northern Pinned To 38-22 Loss

Garrett County wrestlers have suffered at the hands of Allegany High. Last week the Campers dealt Southern its first loss of the season and Saturday, Northern High School tumbled to the mat in a 38-22 loss at home.

Northern fell to 4-4-1, despite the efforts of Galen Kamp, Randy Broadwater, and Kurt Lear who decided their opponents. The Huskies' Len Yommer took the only pin for his team over Ronnie Ware of Allegany.

The Campers upped their overall record to 8-1 with pins from Junior Gordon, Buddy Hillegas, Chuck Gabbert and Mark Dornisfe, while Jeff Yoder and Jim Hosfelt added decisions.

101 Don Gillum (A) pinned John Thresher (N), 1:19
107 Junior Gordon (A) pinned Del Carpenter (N), 1:56
115 Galen Kamp (N) decisoned Dan Lowery (A), 5:1
119 Randy Broadwater (N) decisoned Dave Yoder (A), 1:52



Scott Winters, #11, and Dave Hershman, #23, look like they are imitating cheerleaders as they block Petersburg's scoring attempts. Their maneuvers helped push the Southern JVs to a 52-46 win Tuesday evening.

129 Jeff Yoder (A) decisoned Brent Brennenman (N), 1:42
134 Mark Hillegas (A) won by disqualification
138 Buddy Hillegas (A) pinned Rick Yommer (N), 1:38
147 Chuck Gabbert (A) pinned Jim Warrick (N), 5:30
158 Kurt Lear (N) decisoned Clark Lanthier (A), 4:2
167 Jim Hosfelt (A) decisoned Greg Gillum (N), 2:4
185 Mark Dornisfe (A) pinned Dave Stein (N), 1:15
Unlimited Len Yommer (N) pinned Ronnie Ware (A), 1:00

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JV Rams Up Record To 10-3,

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In the second game of a three-game winning streak, Delbert Liller scored a season-high 20 points to lead the Southern JVs over East Preston, 71-36, at home Monday evening. The Eagles jumped to an early 4-0 lead and the Rams started pressing to end the first period with a score of 10 all.

Bart Switzer and Rick Edwards ignited a Ram rally in the second stanza with two steals each. Southern gained steadily to a 26-20 halftime lead.

The Rams out-scored their opponent, 21-8 in the third quarter and took a 57-28 advantage. Doug Devlin and Scott Winters surged with two baskets as Jeff White and Andrew Fike each made two steals in the fourth session to spur the Rams to their ninth

increased to nine as Dave Hershman sunk 13 points and grabbed five rebounds in the third period.

Petersburg rallied in the final quarter, but Delbert Liller's five free throws insured a Rams' victory, which brought their winning streak to three.

Southern JVs will host the powerful Bishop Walsh JV team in a show-down, Friday night at 6:30. The Rams defeated the Spartans in Cumberland, 55-41, in last month's contest.

Southern JV's	G	F	PF	T
Hershman	3	4-6	1	14
Devlin	4	1-3	1	9
Liller	18	6-8	2	28
Winters	3	9	2	13
Fike	3	6-8	2	1
Edwards	2	3-8	0	4
Switzer	2	1-3	3	5
White	1	6-6	0	2
Totals	31	9-14	12	71

East Preston	G	F	PF	T
Moran	3	2-2	1	8
Boyard	4	6-1	2	3
May	2	0-0	2	4
Westmoreland	1	0-0	1	2
McCluckin	2	0-0	1	2
Rogers	3	5-1	3	4
Deerhouse	1	0-0	0	2
Whitaker	1	0-0	0	2
Totals	17	2-4	13	34

Southern JV's	G	F	PF	T
Hershman	19	4-6	2	24
Liller	2	5-5	3	9
Devlin	6	3-2	3	15
Winters	1	0-0	3	2

Petersburg	G	F	PF	T
Earle	3	1-2	0	10
VanMeter	4	6-0	1	12
Wilson	2	0-0	2	4
Hiser	4	1-1	4	9
Monsell	1	0-0	3	3
Prunty	2	3-4	3	7
Wiser	6	1-3	1	1
Totals	25	6-10	16	46

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Par-Matt Lanes

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felty rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 607. Pappy Stem was second with a 583 and Ken Sisler was third with a 577. High individual game was also won by Jr. Giotfelty with a 236 followed by Pappy Stem with a 234 and in third place was Ken Stem, who rolled a 223.

In the Thursday Early Mixed League, Island Creek Early Birds were in first place,

followed by Road Runners and Wilt Trucking Inc. High team series was won by Challenger with a 2971. Tony's Tigers were second with a 2884 and Unpredictables were third with a 2855. The Island Creek Early Birds took the high team game with a 1036 followed by Unpredictables with a 1032 and Tony's Tigers were third, rolling a 1014. Willard Donham rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 594. George Hebb was second with 557 and Don Butler was

third with a 553. High individual game was won by George Hebb with a 232 followed by Willard Donham and Ron Paugh with 221's and in third place was Lowell Codding, who rolled a 215. In ladies' action Sandy Dixon rolled the high individual series with a 497, followed by Marlene Tallaferro with a 482 and Bertha Sanders was third rolling a 478. High individual game was won by Bertha Sanders who rolled a 193, followed by Janice Wolfe in

second place with a 191 and in third place was Edith Llewellyn and Judy Paugh, who each rolled a 177.

In the Cream Puff League, Build Ups were in first place, followed by Rip Offs and Head Hunters. High team series was won by Build Ups with a 2189. Rip Offs were second with a 1993 and Wipe Outs were third with a 1914. Build Ups took the high team games with 766 and 753, followed by Rip Offs with a 709. Bonnie Zimmerman rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 519. Cheryl Landis was second with 506 and Wilda Davey was third with a 478. High individual game was won by Cheryl Landis with a 202, followed by Wilda Davey with a 189 and in third place was Bonnie Zimmerman, who rolled a 187.

In the Midnite League, Foul Five were in first place, followed by R&K Woodknockers and Mt. Top Paving. High team series was won by R&K Woodknockers with a 2930, Impossibles were second with 2908 and Kings & Queens were third with 2890. The Kings & Queens took the high team game with 1039, followed by Miller's High Life with 1036 and Impossibles were third, rolling a 1011. Joe Kisselovich rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 602. Junior Giotfelty was second with 545 and Clayton White was third with 541. High individual game was won by Joe Kisselovich with 245, followed by Ralph Pritts with 205 and in third place was Junior Giotfelty, who rolled 205. In the ladies' league Marolyn Johnson rolled the high individual series with 591, followed by Marion Stahl with 482 and Juanita Shaffer was third, rolling 473. High individual game was won by Marolyn Johnson, who rolled a 203 and 238 followed by Marion Stahl in second place with a 196 and in third place was Doris Zacheis, who rolled a 192.

In the Monday Night Mixed League, Humberson Homes was in first place, followed by Rainbows and Ollie Body Shop. High team series was won by Humberson Homes with 2162, Hawkenson Tread was second with 2109 and Rainbows were third with 2105. The Humberson Homes took the high team game with 761, followed by Hawkenson Tread with 758 and Bandit and The Outlaws were third, rolling 728. Jim Matthews rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 542. Barry Steinberg was second with 520 and Mike



A JURY OF EIGHT and a panel of lawyers in the background listen attentively as an attorney questions a witness in a mock trial presented in Mrs. Suzie Sincell's eighth grade social studies class at Southern Middle School last Friday. Students worked on scripts and practiced for over three weeks.

as part of classroom instruction on how the U. S. judicial system works. Mrs. Linda Garris, media specialist at Southern Middle, videotaped the trials and the students will go back over them later, as an additional part of the learning experience.

Collins was third with 505. High individual games were won by Jack Fridinger and Barry Steinberg with 197's, followed by Jim Matthews with 194 and in third place was Mike Collins, who rolled 193. In the ladies' action Marion Stahl and Sue Collins rolled the high individual series with 438's followed by Lollie Fridinger with 425 and Joann Frederick was third rolling 417. High individual game was won by Sue Ingram who rolled 170, followed by Sue Collins in second place with 167 and in third place was Joann Frederick, who rolled a 165.

In the Civic League, Army-Navy was in first place, followed by Little Seven and 135 Meat Market. High team series was won by Army-Navy with 2982, Oakland Electric was second with 2975 and Rusty Five were third with 2929. Oakland Electric took the high team game with 1030, followed by Silver Knob #2 with 1023 and Army-Navy was third, rolling 1015. Sonny Browning rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 621. Gary Beckman was second with 604 and Greg Parsons was third with 594. High individual game was won by Gary Beckman with 277, followed by Junior Giotfelty with 225 and in third place was Jack Hovatter, who rolled 224.

In the Sunday Mixed League, Par-Matt was in first place, followed by Island Creek and

Rock 'N' Rollers. High team series was won by Lucky Five with 3002, Arnold Brothers were second with 2994 and Sleepers were third with 2988. The Lucky Five took the high team game with 1083, followed by Sleepers with 1079 and Arnold Brothers were third, rolling 1036. Ron Michael rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 590. Lawrence Beerman was second with 576 and Harold Pike was third with 574. High individual game was won by Ron Michael with 216, followed by Dave Cassidy with 209 and in third place was Frank Finch, who rolled a 207. In the ladies' action Barbara Cassidy rolled the high individual series with 497, followed by Marolyn Johnson with 486 and Florence Estill was third rolling 474. High individual game was won by Pat Filsinger who rolled 185, followed by Florence Estill and Juanita Browning in second place with 176's and in third place was Patsy Mikes who rolled 174.

In the Skirts League, Unpredictables were in first place, followed by Alley Cats and Dreamers. High team series was won by Dreamers with a 2119. Alley Cats were second with a 2093 and 4 M's were third with a 2080. The Alley Cats took the high team game with a 762, followed by Dreamers with a 760, and Kingpins were third, rolling a 731. Marilyn Filemyr rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 524. Shirley Stem was second with 502, and

Sue Kissner was third with a 499. High individual game was won by Brenda Buser with a 210, followed by Sue Kissner with a 200, and in third place was Shirley Stem, who rolled a 185.

In the Ladies' Merchant League, Walt's Store and Village Inn are tied for first place, followed by Farmers' Market and C. E. Jackson. High team series was won by Village Inn with a 2212. Farmers' Market was second with a 2058, and Teets and C. E.

Jackson were third with 2028's. The Village Inn took the high team game with a 758, followed by Country Club with a 745, and Heck's was third, rolling a 736. Pat Mansfield rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 510. Eleanor Beckman was second with 495, and Marlene Tallaferro was third with a 493. High individual game was won by Ruby DeWitt with a 194, followed by Marlene Tallaferro with a 190, and in third place was Pat Mansfield, who rolled a 183.

THE ARTS

by jim willis



The deadline for submission of entries in the 1978 migratory waterfowl stamp contest is less than a month away.

Entries must be submitted by 4 p.m. March 6, 1978.

Artists, who must be residents of Maryland, may submit no more than three entries. They may be in black and white or multicolor and must be seven inches horizontal and five inches vertical.

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Judging will be conducted by a panel of five sometime during the week of March 13, 1978, at a site to be announced later.

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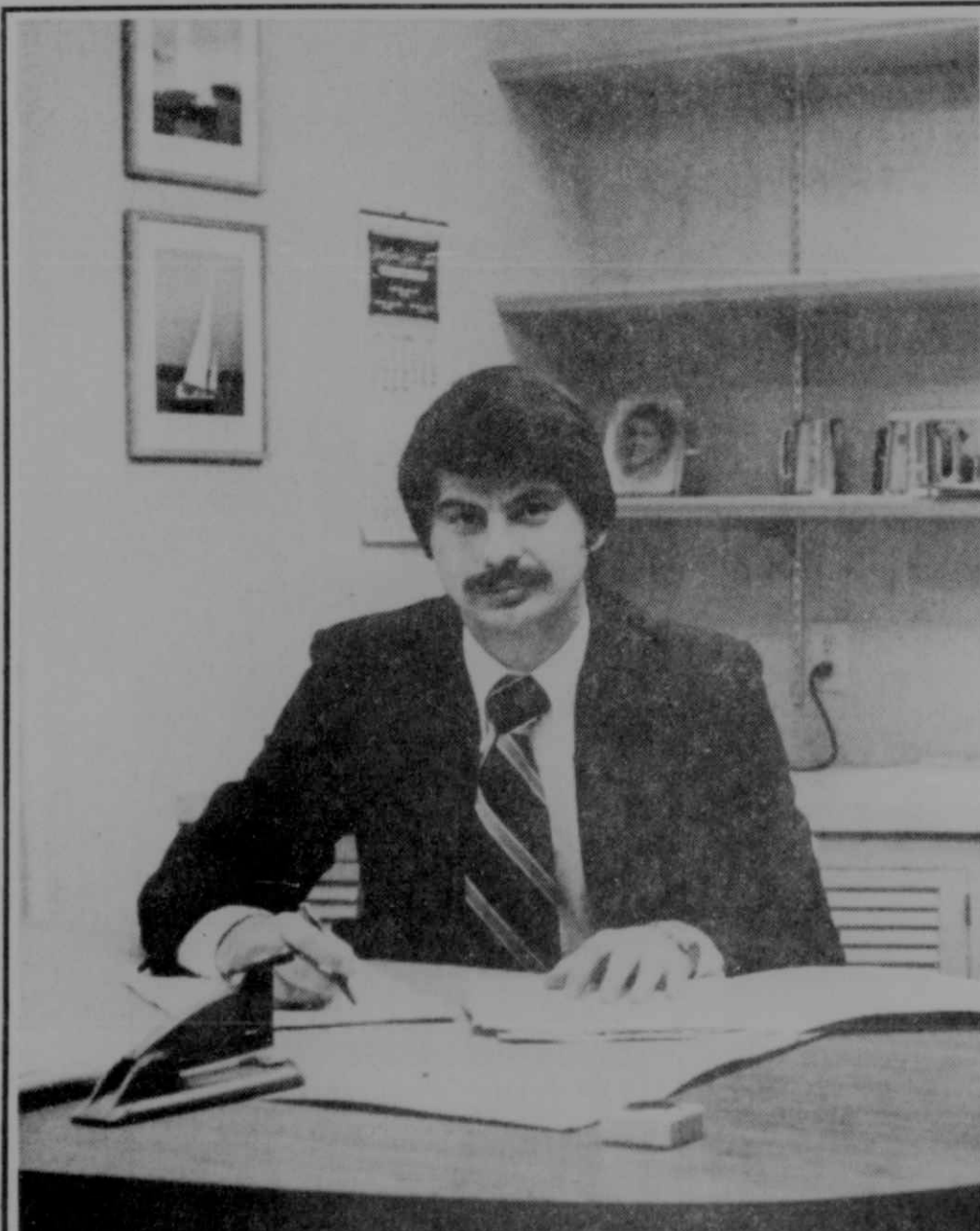
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Sales Tax Rebate Gaining Support

House Bill 277, introduced by Delegate William Byrnes (Allegany County) and De-Corsey Bolden (Garrett/Allegheny Counties) has received the support of Annapolis Mayor John Apostol. The legislation calls for the 1% retail sales tax increase — from 4 to 5 cents — enacted by the 1977 session of the Maryland General Assembly, be returned to the 23 counties and Baltimore City for the express purpose of reducing property taxes.

Calling for property tax relief for Maryland's Capital city, Mayor Apostol said, "If the State legislators are sincerely concerned about relief to the property taxpayers of Maryland, why not allow the local jurisdictions — to have 1% of the existing sales tax. A return of 1% of the sales tax — would mean that Annapolis could reduce its property tax by at least 1/2."

"I am heartened by Delegates Byrnes and Bolden's bill to provide for the 1% retail sales tax increase to be returned to the 23 counties and Baltimore City," continued the Mayor. "However, with their understanding of the cities' plight, I am asking that they amend the bill to state very clearly that the rebate would be directly to the counties and all incorporated municipalities throughout the state."

"We are delighted with Mayor Apostol's support," states Delegate Bolden, "and very encouraged that several of our fellow delegates have asked to co-sponsor the legislation. We have received many letters of support from both delegates and senators, also."

Continuing, Delegate Byrnes said, "Delegate Bolden and I went on record last year opposing the 1 cent increase in the retail sales tax. We didn't feel it was needed then, and now that the state may realize a surplus of \$128 million, due in part to the retail sales tax increase, this is proving to be true. If the overburdened taxpayers of Maryland must live with this increase, then we would like to see it put to the best possible use — property tax relief for the many, many citizens of our state who are finding it increasingly difficult to remain in their homes."

The bill is presently awaiting a hearing date before the House Ways and Means Committee.

Retail Sales Tax Rebate gaining support.

State Income Tax Assistance Noted

A representative of the Maryland State Income Tax Service will be at the Garrett County Court House next Tuesday, February 14, to assist anyone who desires help filling out their State Income Tax forms.

The person will be at the office of Richard L. Davis, clerk of the Circuit Court.

Heart Fund Card Parties Scheduled

Mrs. Donald Newman, chairman of the Heart Fund Card Party division of the Grantsville Heart Campaign, announced the annual card parties for benefit of the Heart Fund will be held February 11, and February 25 at 8:00 p.m. at the American Legion Home, Grantsville.

Featured play will be "500." Admission will be \$2.00 per ticket, with prizes offered and refreshments available. A \$25.00 United States Savings Bond donated by the Grantsville American Legion will be awarded to the holder of the highest score from both parties.

The public is invited, according to Mrs. Newman.

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Panama Canal Treaties Debate Begins

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The long-awaited debate on the Panama Canal treaties has finally begun in the Senate, but before it goes on much longer Congress will take a break.

After finishing out the week, both the House and Senate will take a Lincoln Day recess, and will not return until Feb. 20.

A final vote on the pact is not expected before late March, after much more debate and votes on several proposed amendments.

While the Senate was taking up the treaties issue, the House was busy saying "no" to the major consumer bill of the current congressional session.

By a 227 to 189 vote, the House rejected the bill that would have established a single federal agency to look after consumers' interests in the national governmental process. The bill has been urged by consumer groups, including Ralph Nader's organization, for several years.

The latest attempt to reach a compromise on the natural gas deregulation issue was reported stymied again in the Senate. Sen. Henry Jackson, D-Wash., chairman of the Senate Energy Committee, said he has not given up, but warned that the deadline — already several months old — cannot go on indefinitely.

The House has voted against deregulation of natural gas prices, but the Senate is divided on the question and the deadline has held up approval of President Carter's overall energy program.

The administration was having more success, at least initially, with its welfare reform program. The plan won the endorsement of a special House welfare reform subcommittee.

The panel rejected a less-costly plan being pushed by Ways and Means Chairman Al Ullman, D-Ore., but Ullman said he will fight for his bill in the Ways and Means Committee, one of three House committees that will have their

say on the legislation.

In a move that was entirely expected, the Humphrey-Hawkins "full employment bill" was approved by a House subcommittee chaired by Rep. Augustus Hawkins, D-Calif., one of the bill's authors. The bill is expected to reach the House floor late this month.

The latest Senate version of the bill is expected to be reintroduced soon by Muriel Humphrey, D-Minn., whose late husband co-sponsored the legislation.

The House Armed Services Committee continued its hearings on the status of the U.S. military forces. The panel was told that the Air Force will consider using a new short-range transport plane as a cruise missile carrier. Plans to produce the transport plane previously had been vetoed by Defense Secretary Harold Brown, who said it would be too costly for its original purpose.

Sadat Assured Of Help With U.S. Weapons

Egyptian President Anwar Sadat has departed the United States with private assurances he will receive sophisticated U.S. weapons, but Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin warned this would damage Middle East peace efforts.

Sadat, ending a six-day visit, left Washington late Wednesday and was arriving in London today to begin a European tour.

His spirits obviously buoyed by his visit, Sadat said he was pleased America's role was changing from "that of an observer or mediator" to a "role of full partnership."

Before Sadat left, President Carter promised him the United States will make an all-out effort to help achieve a Middle East peace, but Carter did not mention any potential arms sales to Cairo.

Administration sources said, however, Sadat was assured

privately the United States will begin sending military supplies to Egypt for the first time, but the details, including strategy for congressional approval, will be worked out later.

The sources said Egypt will receive F-5E fighters among other weapons and an American military survey teams will make an overall assessment of Egypt's arms needs.

Begin told a news conference in Geneva, Switzerland Wednesday the sale of U.S. aircraft to Egypt would be tantamount to "an ultimatum" to the Jewish state.

"It would have a negative effect on the very peace-making process itself," he said. Begin, in Switzerland on a fund-raising tour, also reiterated Israel's opposition to any establishment of a Palestinian state because it "would in no time turn into a Soviet base."

In New York, Assistant Secretary of State Alfred Atherton today was meeting with Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan as part of a new shuttle between Egypt and Israel in an attempt to find agreement on a basic set of principles for resuming face-to-face talks.

In a farewell statement, Sadat said, "I came to the United States really disheartened and discouraged. But I shall return with more perseverance... especially when the U.S. role is not an observer or mediator. No, the U.S. role is a complete partnership."

"I promise the American people, I shall never fail you," A White House statement said Sadat "affirmed that the door remains open to negotiations (with Israel) and that Egypt will continue to do its part to assure continuity in this negotiating process."

It also made a pointed reference to Israeli withdrawal from "all fronts." American officials said it was a restatement of the U.S. position that Israel must pull back from all occupied territory, including the West Bank of the Jordan.

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L.A. Police Arrest Actor As Murder Suspect In Hillside Strangler Case

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Police traced a telephone call to a babbling actor who apparently was exhausted or drugged and arrested him Wednesday on suspicion of being the Hillside Strangler of 12 women and girls — but they cautioned there is little evidence he is the killer.

Ned T. York, 37, was booked on suspicion of murder. York passed out while being questioned, giving contradictory and incoherent replies. Detectives waited for him to awaken to resume questioning.

Assistant Police Chief Daryl Gates said officers expected to determine today "whether they can release him or hold him." York has appeared in minor television parts, including a role as a villainous male nurse on a "Starsky and Hutch" episode last year, according to the show's producers, but is little-known in the entertainment business.

Seventeen officers with a warrant searched his neatly kept home on a secluded, wooded hilltop in Hollywood for two hours Wednesday night. They apparently removed nothing and officially made no statement.

But, a police source told UPI, "We didn't find a thing — the place is clean as a whistle." A police spokesman later described York as "a mental case, on drugs, or just exceptionally tired... I don't give any credence to his statements, but once we had him, we just couldn't let him go because of the case involved."

York, a soft-featured white man, bears little resemblance to the composite drawing of a swarthy strangler suspect police issued earlier. He stands 6-foot-4, a conspicuous height unmentioned in strangler descriptions.

York telephoned police Wednesday, only two days after Mayor Tom Bradley made public a letter written by

someone claiming to be the strangler. A detective kept York on the line for 45 minutes while the call was traced, police said. Officers said they found York in the doorway of his home, wearing only his shorts, suffering from a bite on the hand by his dog.

Gates said York, in a rambling phone call, "made the suggestion that perhaps he is the one" who wrote Bradley, asking for assurance he could surrender safely. He also "suggested an indirect relationship with one of the victims," but there was no corroboration for his statements, Gates said.

In addition to the letter to Bradley, two calls have been received that could not be traced, Gates said. And, a man, who walked into a police station and confessed, was determined to be a crank.

The Strangler sexually molested most of the 12 victims, who range in age from 12 to 28. Most were attractive young women in their late teens or early 20s, including several who were prostitutes or otherwise connected to the seamy Hollywood "street life" milieu.

Woman's Parents Donate To Her A Gift Of Eyesight

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) — Eileen Billington's parents gave her an extraordinary gift — her eyesight.

She'll remember her mother and father every time she looks at her 5-year-old daughter, or at a rainbow, or when she enjoys any of the simple visual experiences others take for granted.

Thanks to her mother, Mrs. Billington, 27, doesn't live in a world of darkness anymore. And thanks to her father, she may someday soon enjoy near-normal eyesight.

In 1972, she lost her vision to keratoconus, a disease that turns the rounded cornea into a cone. If they can get special contact lenses, keratoconus victims might have their vision partially restored.

Generally, cornea transplant operations aren't that successful — unless there is a genetic donor. In Mrs. Billington's case, she had two willing donors — her mother and father.

Two years ago, Mrs. Billington's mother died of cancer. Her eyes were removed and brought to Wills Eye Hospital where one of her corneas was transplanted onto her daughter's left eye.

Doctors will operate on only one eye at the time, because the surgery is so risky. Last Saturday, Mrs. Billington's 51-year-old father died of heart failure. His eyes were removed and rushed to Wills Eye Clinic where, on Sunday, one of his corneas was transplanted to Mrs. Billington's right eye.

"Two years ago, when I looked out the hospital window with the eye that had keratoconus, I could see nothing. Now, when I look out with the eye that was operated on then, I can see the buildings all the way across town," she told UPI by telephone from her hospital room.

It will be several weeks before she will know if the new transplant has taken, or whether the cornea will be rejected or infected. "I have lots and lots of optimism," Mrs. Billington says, "but it's just too early to predict the future."

"I'm happy, because maybe I'm going to be able to see, but I'm sad because I just lost the only other parent I had. Mostly I'm just pretty numb," Mrs. Billington said. "I can only imagine what my parents went through, watching me lose my sight and being unable to help me. I know it tore them apart. If I could do this for my child, I know how much it would mean to me, so I know how much this meant to them."

"And that's where my comfort comes."

"The very least people could leave behind when they leave," she said, "is something so wonderful that it would enable someone else to look out of a hospital window and see the buildings across town."

Baking Soda Used To Reverse Slow Growth In Children

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Common baking soda has been used successfully in a medical breakthrough to reverse stunted growth in children, University of California scientists announced today.

The baking soda reversed impaired growth in eight youngsters and prevented it in two others, all suffering from a kidney disease that caused the trouble, the researchers said.

Dr. R. Curtis Morris, one of the scientists, said it was the first success against stunted growth involving children suffering from renal tubular acidosis, in which kidneys fail to flush normal amounts of acid out of the system, thus interfering with growth.

Drs. Morris and Elisabeth McSherry, who conducted the tests at the university's San Francisco division, cited the case of Mark Spoon, 13, of Santa Rosa, Calif., who, when he was 5, was no taller than a 2-year-old.

"He had become pale, listless and irritable, and had developed kidney stones," said the doctors, whose work is detailed in the February issue of the authoritative *Journal of Clinical Investigation*.

An excess of acid had accumulated in the boy's blood, and the doctors gave him precise doses of baking soda as treatment. The treatment "accelerated Mark's growth rate from ages 5 through 8 to some two to three times his earlier one," the university reported. "While the average child his age grew about 2 1/4 inches a year, Mark and mothers in the study grew an annual average of five inches."

He now stands 5-foot-4, and Dr. McSherry, like Dr. Morris a pediatrician, said, "He will grow several more inches during the next few years."

In another case, Valentina Villagomez, 10, of San Jose, Calif., grew four inches in two months when placed on the baking-soda therapy as an infant.

The scientists warned, however, against indiscriminately giving baking soda to children to increase height for whatever reason without first consulting a doctor.

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Rockefeller Speaks On Abortion Issue

WASHINGTON (UPI) — John D. Rockefeller III, philanthropist and head of the Population Council, told Congress today the only question about abortions should be "whether they will be safe or unsafe."

Rockefeller addressed one of the most emotional issues facing Congress in testimony to the House Select Committee on Population, which has been holding hearings this week on all questions surrounding population growth.

"Abortions will not go away if they are illegal," said Rockefeller. "There is only one question really at issue in regard to abortions, namely, whether they will be safe or unsafe."

He said the life of the expectant mother and what happens to "the unwanted child" should be considered. Rockefeller, who lives in New York, cited evidence from Latin America where he said illegal abortions are "endemic."

The current national debate over abortion, he noted, is centered on the question of fetal development.

"I submit that the others are important, too; that is, what happens to the life of the mother and what happens to the life of the unwanted child."

He called for more government spending on research into contraceptives and reproductive biology and for wider sex education to cut down the number of teen-age pregnancies.

Nazi War Criminal Dies In W. Germany

SOLTAU, West Germany (UPI) — Herbert Kappler, the convicted Nazi war criminal whose escape from Italy caused an international incident, has died, the West German news agency DPA reported today.

The agency attributed its report to reliable sources. It gave no details.

The 70-year-old former Nazi police chief in Rome, who was suffering from intestinal cancer, escaped from a Rome military hospital Aug. 15 with the aid of his wife, a 53-year-old lay medical practitioner.

They fled to this north German town where Mrs. Kappler's father had been the local Nazi party leader. The refusal of the West German government to extradite Kappler to Italy strained German-Italian relations and prompted foreign criticism of Germany. Chancellor Helmut Schmidt had to postpone an official visit to Italy.

Schmidt's government said it had nothing to do with Kappler's escape but it said the German constitution bans the extradition of Germans.

Kappler had been sentenced to life by an Italian court for killing 335 Italian hostages in retaliation for a partisan bomb attack that took the lives of 32 German soldiers in Rome in 1944.



RESPECT FOR THE JUDGE in a courtroom was learned Friday during the mock trial held at Southern Middle School by eighth grade social studies students. Two classes taught by Mrs. Suzie Sincell were involved in separate trials, with each

given at least one part to learn. The class gave the youngsters an opportunity to see how trials are carried out, how attorneys question and cross-examine witnesses, and how juries are instructed.



SOME OF THE SPECTATORS at a mock trial at Southern Middle School Friday were these eight youngsters from the eighth grade social studies classes of Louis Newcomb and Burin Wilhelm. These young men played the parts of eight attorneys in a trial conducted by their classes earlier in the

semester. The students were conducting the trials and had been preparing their scripts and learning parts since Christmas, as part of their study of the judicial system in the United States. Next year the classes will visit the Courthouse as a continuation of their learning experience.



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Lt. Col. Railey Retires From Air Force



Lt. Col. Robert E. Railey of Deep Creek Lake recently retired from the United States Air Force after nearly 30 years of service. Lt. Col. Railey, left, was presented with a Certificate of Appreciation and Commendation by Lt. General Lyons, Commander of the Air Force Reserve, upon his retirement.

Lt. Railey joined the Air Force in 1948 as a private and progressed through airplane and engine mechanics school, Officer Candidate School, Air Force Flying School and Combat Crew Training during the Korean War. He was then assigned to Suwon, Korea,

where he flew 100 combat missions in the F-80, the first operational jet fighter in the Air Force.

Later assignments were as a Jet Flight instructor at Big Spring, Texas; Operations Officer and Commander, 121st Tactical Fighter Squadron at Andrews Air Force Base; Director of Safety, Buckley Air National Guard Base, Denver, Colorado; and Deputy Commander for Operations, 121st Tactical Fighter Group, Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio.

His last assignment was with the Tactical Fighter Division Directorate of Operations, USAF, The Pentagon.

During his Air Force Service, Lt. Col. Railey was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with two clusters, Korean Unit Presidential Citation and 21 other theater ribbons, commendations and awards.

Robert is married to the former Vava A. Helbig, daughter of Mrs. A. Leo Helbig, South Third Street, Oakland, and the late Mr. Helbig. He has recently joined Thomas E. Bernard as a partner in the real estate business, with offices on Route 219 north.

ARMED SERVICES REVIEW

Airman Darrel R. Evans, son of retired U.S. Air Force Master Sergeant and Mrs. David E. Evans of Rt. 2, Grantsville, has been selected for technical training at Keesler AFB, Miss., in the Air Force communications-electronics field.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex., and studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations. Completion of this training earned the individual credits towards an associate in Applied Science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Evans is a 1977 graduate of Northern High School.

AARP To Meet

It was announced by Ernest Spoerlein, president, that the local American Association of Retired Persons will meet Wednesday, February 15 at 1:30 p.m. in the Oakland Fire Hall, weather permitting.

Activities will include games, and refreshments will be served by Mrs. Wise and Mrs. Rohrbach.

Pleads Guilty

One person pleaded guilty in a Natural Resource violation and was fined last week.

Larry W. Cooper, RD 5, Oakland, pleaded guilty of having a loaded rifle in a vehicle. Judge Lewis R. Jones fined him \$15 and costs.

Local Southern States Members To Attend McHenry Meeting

Approximately 100 members of Southern States Cooperative's local board and committee members, agricultural workers and retail agency managers from this area, will attend a regional board meeting in McHenry, Md., on February 14. The session will be held at the Village Inn and registration will begin at 9:30 a.m.

Also attending the meeting as guests will be a number of young farmers from this area. A total of 19 of these regional meetings will be held by Southern States over a five-state area. The cooperative serves farmer-members who live in Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware and Kentucky and who hold a total of 354,600 memberships in the organization.

W. T. Milleson of Springfield, W. Va., a member of the Southern States 15-man board of directors will preside at the meeting. Milleson represents the cooperative's members in Northeastern part of West Virginia, 3 counties in northern Virginia and 3 counties in western Maryland. He has been a member of the board since 1962.

Featured at the session will be a look at "Agriculture — A 'Certain' Future" to be presented by Robert W. Bryan, the cooperative's director member and institutional relations, who heads a two-man management team that will attend the session. K. R. Cline, director, Seed, Petroleum and Supply Division, the other team member, will report on the cooperative's operations during the first six months of the 1977-78 fiscal year. Also on the agenda will be a look at "Service to Agriculture in Our Community," presented by A. H. Booth, a regional manager of the cooperative, headquartered at Clarksburg, W. Va.

Following an open-forum discussion and lunch, the session will adjourn. Those expected to attend the meeting from the Accident area are: Donald Fratz, manager of W. H. Fratz, Inc. and local board members: Marvin Kolb, James Margroff, Carl Bender, Dennis Margroff, Frank Paugh of Accident and R. Claude Bishoff of Friendsville.

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Also attending will be, W. E. Harsh, manager of W. E. Harsh and Son in Eggleston, WVA and local board members: Robert D. Harsh, David Stemple, Joe Stemple, Kenneth Cooper of Aurora and Wade Harsh and Claude W. Winters of Eggleston.

Also, Daniel S. Wampler, manager of U & W Clover Farm Store at Friendsville and local board members: Ruben Friend, Clarence Grove, James Frazee, Charles Enlow and John Bishoff of Friendsville and Barton Bartholomew

of Hazelton.

Also Jesse H. Harsh, manager of SSC Grantsville Service at Grantsville and local board members: Frank Stanton, Harry W. Hummel, Grantsville; George Shawley, Cleland Beitzel, Bittinger; Delvin Mast of Salisbury and Ira Stark of Lonaconing.

Also Charles T. Shafer, manager of S. S. Oakland Cooperative in Mt. Lake Park and local board members: W. Brooks Hamilton, Elwood R. Sanders, Ray H. Ridder, Keith Stahl, Dale C. Harvey all of

Oakland; Richard W. Helbig and Wilbert DeWitt of Deer Park.

Elks To Sponsor Shooting Match

Oakland Elks Lodge #2481 will sponsor a shooting match this Saturday, February 11, at the Lodge Hall on Hamill Street in Oakland, beginning at 1:00 p.m. Hams, turkeys and bacon will be awarded as prizes and all proceeds will go to the American Heart Association-Western Maryland Chapter.

NOTICE

TO WATER CUSTOMERS IN OAKLAND

The Town of Oakland has approximately 850 water customers. Some have experienced frozen water lines and others have let water run to prevent freezing. Some have shared with their waterless neighbors. Neither the Town nor the customers have been at fault in the situation. In fairness to both, where there is evidence that any of the above has occurred, the March quarter water bills will be adjusted as follows:

1. The least amount a customer will pay will be the minimum quarterly charge.
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Service Schedule For Area Churches

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Fourth and Oak Sts., Oakland, George D. Porter, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m. Nursery Provided.

Church of the Nazarene, 8th and Alder Sts., Oakland, Rev. Ellsworth McCracken, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Junior Meeting, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic, Oakland, Rev. Martin E. Feild, Pastor. Mass Saturday, 7 p.m.; also 5:15 p.m., summer. Sunday Masses, 8 and 10 a.m., winter; summer, 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Confessions before Masses. Immaculate Conception, Kitzmiller, winter, Sunday, 12 noon, and summer, Saturday, 6 p.m. Confession before Mass.

St. Mark's Ev. Lutheran, Oakland, Rev. Richard A. Seaks, Pastor. Sunday Church School, 8:45 a.m.; The Service, at 10 a.m. (Church Nursery).

St. Matthew's Episcopal, Oakland, The Rev. Manning Smith, Rector. Holy Communion Service, 8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sunday School, 10:30.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1022 John Drive, Oakland. Priesthood meeting, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sacrament meeting, 11 a.m.; Primary and APYW meetings, Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Pleasant View Baptist, Rev. I. M. Martin, phone 334-9630. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Wed., Boys and Girls in Action, 7:30 p.m.; Thurs., Young People's meeting, 7 p.m.

Loch Lynn United Brethren, Rev. O. W. Hull, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, Each Sunday Evening, 7:30 p.m.; Teenarama, each Sunday, 6:30 p.m.; Prayer and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Md. Rev. Eugene Bonnell, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Communion, 10:00 a.m.; Church Service, 9:00 a.m.

Bloomington-Swanton United Methodist Church, Rev. Frank Johnson, North Glade, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 10 a.m.; Mt. Zion, Worship, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 9 a.m., followed by Sunday School; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 5:30 p.m.; Swanton, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer Service, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; Chestnut Grove, Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 9:30 a.m., followed by Sunday School; Bloomington, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Ray Beahm, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m. Sun., Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Family Night and Youth Service.

Kitzmillers Presbyterian Church, Rev. H. Earl Baker, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m., every Sunday; Worship Service, 11:30 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays, each month.

Church of Christ (Meeting in the Mt. Lake Park Town Hall), John R. James, Evangelist. Bible School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Friendsville Assembly of God, Rev. I. V. Friend, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Fernside Baptist Church, Rev. Richard Tepper, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.

Interim United Methodist, Swanton, Rev. Frank Johnson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Prayer Meeting, Youth Fellowship Meeting, Boy & Girl Fellowship, all on Tuesday evening from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Paradise United Methodist, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Worship Service, 9:45 a.m.; Church School, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 2nd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 2nd and 3rd Sunday, 7 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran, Red House, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Service, 11 a.m. Rev. Bernard W. Carl, Pastor.

Bittinger Lutheran Parish, The Rev. James S. Mitchell, Pastor. St. John's, Meadow Mountain, Bittinger, Worship, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Zion, Jennings, Worship, 11:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m. Holy Communion in each Church, 1st Sunday of each month.

Christ Lutheran Church, Grantsville, Md. David E. Fetter, Pastor. Service at 11:00.

Zion Lutheran Church (LCMS), U.S. 219, Accident, Pastor, Fred Illick. Sunday Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran (Missouri Synod), Cove, Rev. Fred Illick, Pastor. Service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.

Faith Presbyterian Church, Oakland, John A. Ledden, Pastor. Sunday Bible School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Mid-week Services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Bear Creek Church of the Brethren, Accident, Rev. William C. Shimer, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Jennings Church of God, Rev. George Plants, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a.m.; Preaching at 7 p.m.; Y.P.E. every Thursday evening at 7 p.m.

Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Pastor, Mrs. Evelyn M. Bowman. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. Minnie Bittinger, Supt.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville, Philip J. Geoghan, Pastor. Sunday Worship Service, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

Mt. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 1005 Broad Ford Rd., John Schrimshire, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Service, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Women's Missionary Circle, 2nd Tues., 7 p.m. The Evangelistic Center of Garrett County.

Independent Full Gospel Revival Center, Loch Lynn Heights, E. W. Elliott, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, Sunday evening at 7. Mid-week Services, Wednesday evening at 7.

McHenry United Methodist, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Church School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. Evening Worship, 4th Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 1st and 3rd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Prayer Service and Bible Study, Wednesday.

Savage River Full Gospel Church, Rev. Hilda Cavey, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night services, 7:30; Wednesday night services, 7:30; Every third Saturday night of the month, regularly, Hymn Sing.

Sand Flat Assembly of God, Rev. Alvin Kyle, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Youth Service, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study Service, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Bayard Church of God, Bayard, W. Va. Rev. Chesley Noel Jr., Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Services, 7:30; Y.P.E. Services at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday.

Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; on Rt. 219, 1 mile north of Rt. 40. Rev. Earl Harper, Pastor.

Egdon Church of the Brethren, Maple Spring, Rev. Donald Westmoreland, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Gladeview, Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

First United Presbyterian Church, Terra Alta, W. Va. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00. Rev. Francis E. Thurman, Pastor.

Loch Lynn Church of God, Rev. Robert H. Fletcher, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

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ARE YOU HAPPY?

Lesson for February 12, 1978

Background Scripture: Psalms 34: 57, 146
Devotional Reading: Psalms 34: 1-10

It seems a simple enough question: Are you happy?

But try asking any number of people—friends, neighbors, fellow employees, even strangers—and you are likely to get very few direct affirmative answers.

Of course, you'll probably not get many direct negative answers either (few people like to come right out and admit it in so many words), but the evasions and equivocations, the discussions of "What do you mean happy?", and the long drawn out circuitous responses will lead you into a negative atmosphere.

Singing praises

One rather candid man replied with surprising directness, saying: "No, but then I never expected to be happy either."

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rare moments—a promotion on the job, winning the lottery, feeling "good" on a birthday or anniversary, the birth of a child—but is not likely to be sustained beyond those special events.

Thus, many people are comfortable, successful, satisfied, resigned, adjusted, "more or less o.k.," but not happy. Even having fun and being able to laugh and "cut up" are not to be equated with happiness. Some of the most miserable people I have ever met are those who nevertheless manage to be "the life of the party." It is not unusual to find that the ever-green, always-joking and laughing extrovert leaving a suicide note confessing deep despair.

Part of our problem may well be that people don't know what happiness is and therefore, not knowing, they cannot know how to find it. What is a happy person? The psalmist gives us a good picture.

POPULAR CULTURE:

Mirror Of American Life IV:

Editor's Note: This is the fourth in a series of 15 articles exploring "Popular Culture: Mirror of American Life." In this article, Ray B. Browne, Director of the Center for Popular Culture at Bowling Green State University, Ohio, traces some of the themes that have shaped our popular culture over the years. This series was written for *Courses By Newspaper*, a program developed by University Extension, University of California, San Diego, and funded by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

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AMERICA'S POPULAR CULTURE: GROWTH AND EXPANSION
By Ray B. Browne

The strands of American

popular culture have remained essentially the same from Colonial days to the present because they have always responded to and reflected life in this country.

Among the most important of these have been the sense that America was special, a belief in equality, a penchant for violence, and the concept of a melting pot. But above all has been the desire for entertainment.

From almost the earliest days, this cultural response was determined by the fact that this country was the "New World." It held, for whites, at least, the promise of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness — because, it was believed, God had willed that the people make it their "Promised Land," the place where their dreams could come true.

This attitude was strengthened through the years because the American genius for technological growth could work in a country politically amenable, incredibly rich in natural resources, and blessed with a generally moderate climate.

There have been changes in points of view and emphasis through the years, to be sure, as changing physical and intellectual conditions have modified the people's ways of life. But throughout, the amalgam of the people, the political system, and the land has developed a general and constant "American point of view," with various themes that we call "The American Way of Life."

A Nation Apart
One of the strongest of these themes was an insistence from almost the earliest days —

when the Puritans came to worship as they pleased — that this country was special.

People knew instinctively that "Americans" were different, as the 18th Century French philosopher Crèvecoeur noted in "Letters from an American Farmer" (1782). Benjamin Franklin, considered by many the prototypical native of this country, completely, though painfully, gave up his early allegiance to the king and thereafter thought and self-consciously acted like an "American."

The Revolutionary War forged a new nation, and the Civil War was fought so that, in words of Lincoln's "Gettysburg Address" (1863), this "New Nation" should "not perish from the earth."

This same feeling of special mission justified, in the people's eyes, their drive across the continent, as they pushed the Indian ever westward and took land from the Mexican. This sense of purpose also inspired the sacrifices

and was guaranteed by the Constitution, though only after the addition of the Bill of Rights and the 13th, 14th and 15th Amendments. It is the basis of the American Dream — the belief that in this country one is free to achieve any goal, to accumulate wealth, to live in any life-style.

The rise of the common man in national politics — Davy Crockett to Congress in 1827, Jackson (the common man's candidate) to the Presidency in 1829, and Lincoln in 1861 — was proof to many people of the Dream's reality.

Ironically and tragically, the Dream that has become reality to many WASP Americans has not been fulfilled for millions of others who have suffered discrimination and have been wracked by the violence that often accompanies inequality.

For example, the Puritans assaulted the Indians and other whites — the Quakers, for instance — who disagreed with their philosophy. Discrimination could be seen continuing in the 19th Century in the "No Irish Need Apply" signs and songs, and in the campaign against the "Yellow Peril." The "Whites Only" signs over drinking fountains and toilets in the South did not disappear until the 1950s and 1960s.

But violence was not restricted to use against minorities. It has constantly been a major muscle in the body of American popular culture. It was always a grim companion on the Frontier. The penchant for violent physical action can be traced throughout American literature, but especially in Western novels, pulp magazines, comic books, television, and movies.

Rural Vs. Urban

Much popular culture in America has been centered throughout the years on a conflict between ruralism and urbanism, the country and the city. From the time of the first settlements, when people huddled together for protection, there has been fear of the "Out-There," of the unknown. But to many of the earliest Americans, who came from poverty-ridden urban ghettos of Europe, the countryside represented freedom and dignity, the Garden of Eden.

Articulated by Jefferson and embodied in the movement of millions of pioneers and settlers, this feeling of the superiority of the country has persisted. The rural-urban conflict is revealed in the writings of most 19th Century authors, especially Hawthorne and Melville, and in our day by

numerous authors, for example, William Goldman and Irwin Shaw.

The pro-country mood is perhaps best demonstrated today by the exodus from the city to suburbia and exurbia. On the other hand, the city, with its theaters, parks, and museums, has always been a cultural magnet for many people. This attractiveness undoubtedly accounts for the current return wave from the suburbs to the city.

Another important theme has been the concept of America as a "melting pot" of cultures. Although Indians, blacks, and, to a lesser extent, other minorities were excluded, Americans through the centuries have prided themselves on their diversity. The Statue of Liberty became a symbol of refuge, inviting the world's tired and hungry to this country, where diverse people and cultures would be melted down into "The American Character."

Lately, however, this assimilation drive has been reversed. America now is encouraging instead a pluralism that urges people to rediscover and treasure their origins and identities. The power of this drive was seen in the extraordinary reception of Alex Haley's novel "Roots" (1976) and the television program made from it, which attracted the largest audience ever for any television show.

Entertainment
Perhaps the single most overriding theme in American popular culture from the 17th Century on has been the desire for entertainment. Though the Puritans opposed too much pastime activity, Americans generally have been not only hard-working but also hard-playing, encouraging all known kinds of diversion and creating others.

From the earliest Colonial days, jugglers, tumblers, parades, pageants, and cele-

brations flourished. The first permanent theater in America was built in New York in 1767. The Minstrel Show was well established by the time of the Civil War, and vaudeville by 1880. The girlie show, introduced in 1896, joined with the Minstrel Show and developed into the first musical comedy.

"The Wizard of Oz" (1904), giving birth to one of our favorite forms of theater today.

Numerous other pastimes developed through the years. Magazines and "bestsellers" started in the 17th Century. Baseball and football began in the mid-19th Century. Dime novels started after the Civil War, comic strips at the turn of the present century, and comic books in the 1930s. Wister's "The Virginian" (1902) set the pattern for Western fiction, detective stories, "created" by Edgar Allan Poe, came of age in the pulp magazines of the 1920s and 1930s, and science fiction began with Poe.

Music came with the Colonists, and proliferated and diversified into the numerous kinds with us today. By the 1890s, a movie industry was born. After 1920 radio became a saturating element in our culture, to be superseded by television after 1947.

Our popular culture reflects the American experience and

our strong drive to democratize our society.

Though we may rightly depise some aspects of it, on the whole we ought to take pride in it as a rich expression of our democracy. For, to paraphrase Pogo, we have created this culture and it is us.

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Next Week: Robert Sklar, Chairman of the Department of Cinema Studies at New York University, discusses "Hollywood: The Dream Factory."

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The orbit of the U.S. Skylab is said moving closer to earth.



DAVY CROCKETT, KING OF THE WILD FRONTIER — Davy Crockett, as he appeared on the cover of the Davy Crockett Almanack, 1837 (left) and in the television show,



starring Fess Parker and Buddy Ebsen, in the 1950s. Certain themes of our popular culture have persisted through much of our history.

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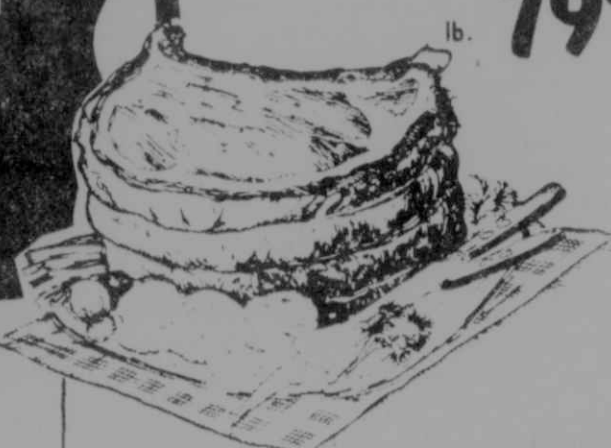
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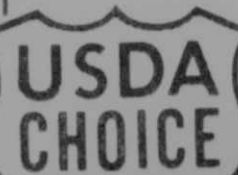
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Junior Woman's Civic Club Initiates Ten New Members February 2



New Junior Woman's Civic Club members are, front row, left to right, Judy Miller, Sharon Rowan, Gerri Frazee, Lynne Richmond, and Kate Hanley. Back row, same order, are Deborah Ann Shaffer, Mary Lynn Gibson, Debbie Paige, Marsha San Julian, and Alana Winters, membership chairman. Not shown is new member Mary Silber.

A panel discussion on children and initiation of new members highlighted the February 2 dinner meeting of the Junior Woman's Civic Club at Deer Park fire hall.

Panel members were Dr. Mark Sugar, pediatrician at Oakland Medical Center; Mrs. Ann Abrahamson, with coordinator of the county child abuse and neglect team; and Rev. John Grant, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Deer Park.

Cindy Stacy was program chairman. Arrangements chairman were Sheila Orr and Harriett Cannon. Debbie Martin was in charge of flower

arrangements. Initiation of ten new members followed the discussion. Alana Winters, membership chairman, introduced Gerri Frazee, Mary Lynn Gibson, Kate Hanley, Judy Miller, Debbie Paige, Lynne Richmond, Sharon Rowan, Marsha San Julian, Deborah Ann Shaffer and Mary Silber.

President Pat Stemple presided at the business meeting, reminding the group that the Club's Caper dance will be held February 18 at the National Guard Armory from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. Music will be provided by "The Good Times."

Assisting with the dance are Eleanor Callis, chairman; Francie Clark, co-chairman; Sue Hersman, tickets; Annie Steyer, raffles; Angie Biggs, stage; Mary Lou Stemple, vestibule; Patsy Stewart, ceiling; and Eugene Bosley, tables and chairs.

The club will start the glass recycling project Friday, March 3 at Browning's Foodland parking lot.

Council To Meet

The Garrett County Council of PTAs will meet Wednesday, February 15, at 7:30 in Southern High School. A program will be presented on Legislation.

DEER PARK

Mrs. Lillian Chisholm is a patient in Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dixon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Beckman, Deep Creek Lake, recently.

Two Plead Guilty Of Drunk Driving

Two pleaded guilty of drunk driving in District Court during the week ending February 7. One correction is to be noted.

Clyde Varner, Weirton, W. Va., and Galen Everett Beckman, Jr., E. Street, Mt. Lake Park, pleaded guilty of driving while ability was impaired by alcohol. Each was fined \$105 by Judge Lewis R. Jones.

David Carlton Bowman, N. Street, Mt. Lake Park, pleaded not guilty of failing to yield the right-of-way to a motor vehicle on a through highway. He was placed on probation before

judgment and paid costs.

Willard J. Stemple, RD 2, Oakland, pleaded not guilty of having an inadequate exhaust system, was also placed on probation before judgment and paid costs.

Last week Joseph R. Buckle had been noted as forfeiting collateral of \$30 for failing to drive to the right of center of the road. This charge actually applies to Regis Ray Mason, RD 1, Grantsville. The error is regretted.

Kenneth Charles Bingham, Hollidaysburg, Pa., had been charged with failing to stop after striking an unattended vehicle in September. Bond was forfeited in January and a

bench warrant was issued.

Last week he paid \$500. Two forfeited collateral: Bernard B. Melum, Alexandria, Va., operating without snow tires with snow emergency in effect, \$30, and

Atlee R. Snyder, McHenry, paid \$50 for placing hazardous material on a highway (snow). Amounts shown include fine and costs unless noted otherwise.

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The United Methodist its regular meeting for Women's Group has cancelled February.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy F. Kitzmiller, Jr., Mt. Lake Park, are parents of the bride. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Pennington of Hutton.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Donald Stull.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a floor-length gown of faille satin and embroidered lace. A chapel-length train was attached at the waist. Sleeves were of faille satin, embroidered lace and sheer organza.

Matron of honor was Carole Jackson, Oakland. Paul Jackson served as best man.

An open-house reception was held at the bride and groom's residence in Mt. Lake Park.

Number Of Marriage Licenses Remains Low

Marriage licenses issued remained low as is usual for this time of the year, January was likewise normally low.

Only eight licenses were issued during the week ending February 7. One was not to be published. Where a person is under 18 years old, parent's consent was given. Information is from records in the office of Richard L. Davis, clerk of the Circuit Court.

Roger Calvin White, 19, Terra Alta, W. Va. (Ga. Co. Res.), and Gale Sue Pennington, 18, Oakland.

Stephen Richard Haky, III, 17, and Nancy Jo Talpas, 17, both of Hopwood, Pa.

David Gerald Griffith, 18, and Patricia Rena Mick, 16, both of Mt. Lake Park.

Joseph Randolph Marecic, 17, and Debra Louise Kennedy, 17, both of West Mifflin, Pa.

Franklin Matthew Jackson, 41, and Sarah Kathleen Lesure, 22, both of Fairmont, W. Va.

Richard Lee Bowers, 27, and Priscilla Jane VanGilder, 23, both of Fairmont, W. Va.

Ronald Lee Murphy, 20, and Theresa Louise Root, 18, both of Oakland.

ACCIDENT

Personal Items

Miss Julie Bonafin, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma; and Miss Kathleen Kelly, Bemus Point, New York, were last Saturday overnight guests of Mrs. Mary Zinkan.

Mrs. Oretta Sechler and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fike, Somerset, Pa., were Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Rosalie Frazee.

Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Roth, Ylen, Village, were Wednesday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Illick and Rev. and Mrs. Fred Illick and children.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Frazee were

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Glass, Mrs. Selma Neil, Andrew Schlossnagle, Mrs. Mary Zinkan, Raymond Georg, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Georg, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fike and Mrs. Oretta Sechler, Somerset, Pa.; and Mrs. C. F. Dauphin, LaVale. Mr. and Mrs. William Keating, Cumberland, were Sunday dinner guests of the latter's parents, the Frazees.

Bruce Miller was a Saturday afternoon visitor of Mrs. John Bowman. Sunday afternoon visitors were Mrs. William Oester and James Allen, Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Reckart, Painesville, Ohio, were weekend guests of Mrs. Beulah Rush.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alexander were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Cox, Landenberg, Pa.; and Mrs. C. F. Dauphin, LaVale, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haentling.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kolb, Pittsburgh, were Tuesday

overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haentling.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hockman became the parents of a son Friday, January 27, in Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Minnick, Accident, announce the birth of a son, Michael Steven, Tuesday, January 31, at the Meyersdale Community Hospital. The mother is the former Michaela Smith.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Elvora Minnick, Finzel Road, and maternal great-

grandmother is Mrs. Helen Ault.

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Market report for February 6, 1978.

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30.00 to 34.00; utility, 27.00 to 29.50; canners, 22.00 to 28.00.

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Male Hogs, 28.00 to 31.00.

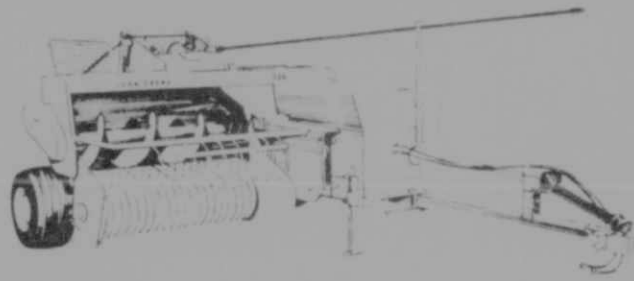
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Northern High Honor Roll List Is Released

Names of those students making the Honor Roll for the second term at Northern High School were released this week by that school's administration.

The following students were named to the Distinguished Honor Roll (receiving all A's): Linda Yunker, 7F; Diane Beiler, 10A; Nancy Collier, 10B; Randy Giotfelty, 10C; Tammy Thomas, 11E; Joanne Weimer, 11E; Mary Bowser, 12A; Paula Sue Frazee, 12B; Scott Giotfelty, 12C; Cora Humberston, 12C; Gerald Maust, 12C; Lois Maust, 12D; Vicki Miller, 12D; Patty Oester, 12D; Cynthia Vitez, 12E; Mary Wheeler, 12E.

Those students making the regular Honor Roll are as follows:

7A — Glenn Artice, Kathleen Baker, Lillian Bender, Patricia Blocher, Kathy Brimer, Eric Brobst, Karen Butler.

7B — Raymond Devine, Jo Ann Durst, Karen Durst, Stephanie Durst, Linda Fike, Thomas Fike, Gary Frantz, Robin Frazee, Cynthia Friend, Denise Friend.

7C — Sherri Golden, Scott Graham, Judy Green, Holly Harman, Keith Harman, Jona Marie Harshman, Vickie House, Mark Humberston, Richard Humberston, Michael Jonas, Jeanne Kissner, Cheryl Lancaster.

7D — Paula McCrobie, Peggy McFarland, Wilma Merrbach, Lori Meyers, Beverly Miller, Debra Nugent.

7E — Beth Ann Thomas, Tracy Sweeney, John Swauger, Laura Stanton, Jimmy Sisler, Thomas Schroyer, David Schroeder.

7F — Bonnie Thomas, Kelly Thomas, Julie Warnick, Catherine Wheeler, Heather Wilson, Carol Yommer.

8A — Schrilla Beachy, Tamera Beachy, Mary Beiler, O. Kevin Bender, Diane Bowser, Eugene Broadwater, Trudy Carpenter, Tawney Cowan, George Dailey, Danny Davis, JoAnn Deal.

8B — Frederick Fox, Jacqueline Gatterman.

8C — William Guthrie, Elizabeth Hanft, David Holler, Vicki Kamp, Shelly King.

8D — Lisa Moore, Barbara Oester, Karen Rexrode, Donna Ringer, Diane Rinker, Deborah Selby, Renee Sisler.

8E — Jeffrey Thomas, Ricky Thomas, Mark Uphold, Richard Wagner, Kimberly Wilburn, Rosemarie Wiley, Ramona Yoder, Timothy Yunker.

9A — Pam Barnard, Heidi Bittner, Barbara Breneman, Lisa Ann Clutter.

9B — Patty Durst, Terry Edgar, Douglas Fazenbaker, David Fike, James Fox, Lisa Frantz, Larry Frazee, Lois Frazee, James Friend.

9C — Jeff Frost, Marcia Gibellino, Don Gillum, Brian Glisan, Kirt Harshman, Tom Humberston.

9D — Tim Kinsinger, Barry Maust, Charlotte Maust, Dana Miller, Linda Miller.

9E — Patricia Sisler, Philip Smith, Colin Snyder, Cathy Spangler, Laurie Springman, Toni Sutton.

9F — Alan Sweeney, Cheryl Uphold, Vernon Wampler, R.

T. Wengert, Nancy Wilburn, Connie Wiley, Phyllis Yoder, Weldon Yoder.

10A — Marcia Baker, Donna Barefoot, Judi Bashore, John Beiler, Bill Bender, Belinda Blocher, Danny Broadwater.

10B — Kathy Carr, Donna Davis, Mark Diehl, Kelly Durst, Carol Edgar, Shirley Frazee, Steve Frazee.

10C — Barbara Garlitz, Galen Kamp, Kimberly Keeler, Rebecca Knox, Hilda Kolb, Kristine Maust, Urbane Maust.

10D — Shelly Metheny, Robin Miller, Jackie Nieb, Brenda Oester, Cathy Resh, Connie Schroyer, Patricia Sines, Denise Ringer.

10E — Carol Wengert, Ed Stanton, Renatta Yoder, Rose Yoder, Susan Sisler, Joyce Thomas, Judy Spangler, Amy Stanton, Donna VanSickle.

11A — Dan Beiler, Hillel Brandes, Alice Breneman, Donna Broadwater, Terri Broadwater, Don Davis, Judy Detrick.

11B — Debbie Giotfelty, Nancy Durst, Karen Edminston, Terry Fadely, Laura Fike, Rodney Fike, Sharon Fike, Kim Frantz, Phillip Frantz, Marsha Garlitz.

11C — Sharon Griffith, Arlene Guard, Larry Hanlin, Jeanette Harman, Rebecca Harman, Luther Huff, Jay Humberston, Duane Hummel, James Illick, Maureen Jenkins, Eugene King, Kevin Margroff.

11D — David Oester, Carol Ross, Howard Ross, Nancy Rush, Sandi Sisler, Celeste Snyder, Denise Tackett.

11E — Susan Thomas, Brenda Wagner, Brenda Wakefield, Patty Wiley.

12A — Lisa Beachy, Carla Bender, Patricia Bender, Anna Bowman, Rae Ann Breneman, Susan Carey.

12B — Diane Evans, Mary Fazenbaker, Greg Fratz, Lisa Frantz, Lori Frazee, Sherry Wiley.

12C — Tammy Glisan, Timothy Giotfelty, Mark Graham, Marie Guard, Juanita Hanft, Ann Hershberger, Teresa Hinebaugh, Karen Knox, Kurt Lear, Debbie Lively, Lucy Guthrie.

12D — Pam Metheny, Barbara Miller, Mary Miller, Allen Savage, Dave Savage, Marlin Schrock, Scott Schwing, Larry Sisler, Steve Sisler, Ethel Yoder, Millard Yoder, Elaine Rodeheaver, Carol Spangler.

12E — Becky Stanton, Nancy Uphold, Connie Wakefield.

Those students named to the Citizenship Honor Roll are: Shirley Fearer, 7B; Andy Zuckerman, 7F; Robin Miller, 10D; Anna Bowman, 12A; Cora Humberston, 12C; Vicki Miller, 12D; Patty Oester, 12D.

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9E — Patricia Sisler, Philip Smith, Colin Snyder, Cathy Spangler, Laurie Springman, Toni Sutton.

9F — Alan Sweeney, Cheryl Uphold, Vernon Wampler, R.

Tri-County Survey Slated To Pinpoint Fire Fighting Needs

The Maryland Fire Commission will be conducting a survey on firemen's training needs in Garrett, Allegany and Washington counties, according to information from the Allegany-Garrett Counties Volunteer firemen's Association Sunday meeting.

Richard Hymes, Hagerstown, has been appointed by the state commission to do the survey in western Maryland. Questionnaires are to be sent to each volunteer fire company.

In other business during the association's meeting, held at Midland, the association voted to endorse Senate Bill 590 requiring all high-rise apartment buildings in Maryland to install sprinkler systems by 1983.

The legislation was presented and explained by Del-

DeCorsey E. Bolden, (R-Garrett, Allegany) who attended the meeting as a representative of the Oakland fire department. Bolden asked the association for comments on the legislation.

A regional fire school will be conducted April 30 at the Celanese plant with lunch to be provided at the Bowling Green fire hall. Letters of invitation will be sent to fire rescue and training institutes. The instruction will cover flammable liquid, including the use of foam generators, search and rescue, officership and basic pumps.

Sixty-hour training sessions have been completed by Bloomington, McCoole, Deer Park, Cumberland, Friendsville and District 16 fire departments.

Bowling Green will have a special fire class February 28 and any fireman is welcome.

"FD" license tags for volunteer firemen will be available again this year through a committee consisting of Joseph

C. Stuckey, Corriganville; Robert Saville, Bowling Green, and Luther Metz, Barton. Applications must be submitted to the committee by February 28.

A spring dance is planned by the association April 1 at Clarysville Inn with music by "The Chinese Bandits."

Sunday's meeting was presided over by William Miller, president. Twenty-two companies were represented and 14 past presidents attended. Following the meeting, dinner was served by the Midland auxiliary.

Grantsville Charge Lists Special Lenten Services

Special Lenten services are scheduled for the next five Wednesday evenings at the five churches of the Grantsville United Methodist Charge. The first of the series was held last evening at the Grantsville Church. All services begin at 7:30 p.m. The following is a schedule for the remaining services:

February 15, Emmanuel; February 22, Jennings; March 1, Mt. Zion; March 8, State Line; March 15, Grantsville. Special music by the church choir is featured at each service.

An Easter Cantata will be presented by the charge on Palm Sunday at 7:30 p.m. at

St. Paul's Church, Grantsville. Holy Communion will be observed at each church during Holy Week. Good Friday services are scheduled at the Grantsville Church from 12 noon to 3 p.m.

Mrs. Sadie E. Triplett, pastor, invites the public to these services.

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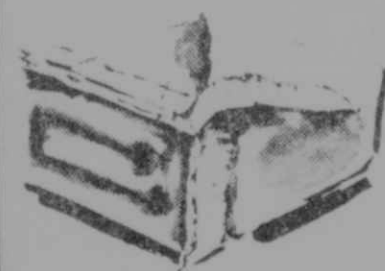
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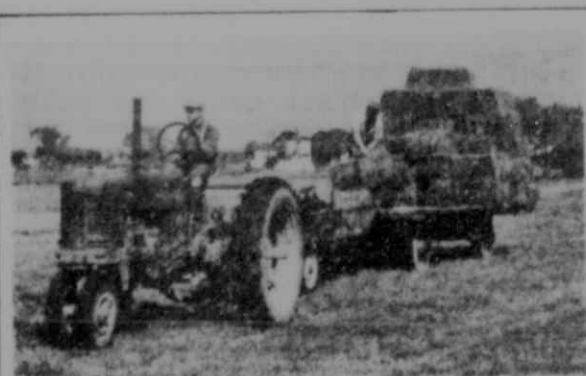
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Needlepoint Class

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Alice Heavner, 4-H Extension Agent and Jane Rentschler, Home Economics Extension Agent will be conducting a Needlepoint Class at Northern High School, February 16, from 7-9 p.m. Interested persons should phone 334-2145 for additional information and a list of supplies needed for the class.

In addition, the Mars Hill Homemakers Club will meet at the Casselman on February 14 at 12:30 p.m. and the Friendsville Homemakers Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Julia Skidmore at 1:30 p.m. on February 16.

Heart Association

Has Annual Dinner

The sixth annual educational kick-off dinner for the American Heart Association's Western Maryland Chapter was held February 1 at the Hill Top Inn near Grantsville.

Guests were welcomed by Fred Holliday, president of the Grantsville Rotary Club, Charles C. Bender was master of ceremonies and Rev. Earl Yoder had the invocation.

Dr. Harold J. Cordts, educational director of Frostburg State College, and head of the department of health, physical education and recreation at Frostburg, discussed physical fitness and heart disease. Dr. Cordts has been active with the Heart Association for a number of years.

Dave Evans, Deer Park, a charter member of the Southern Garrett County Rescue Squad, spoke on CPR, and showed pictures and described what to do in case of a heart attack.

Mr. Evans is a certified cardiac rescue technician and is in his third year of college. He is project coordinator of the CPR program for the public and is planning to enter medical school.

Attending were Shirley Hinebaugh and Charley Miller, co-chairmen of the Heart Association in Garrett County. Other Heart Association members of the various communities present were Mrs. Lewis and Jay Steger, Cumberland.

Rotary members were present from Meyersdale, Oakland, Friendsville and Grantsville. There were 57 members at the dinner.

The Grantsville area heart chapter is sponsored by the Woodment of the World Alcamp No. 41 with Phyllis Bender and Alice Younkin co-chairmen. Card parties to benefit the Heart Fund will be held on February 11 and February 25 at the American Legion Home in Grantsville, featuring 500. Prizes will be given and refreshments served. There will be a fee of \$2 per person, with proceeds to be donated to the heart fund.

The Casselman Valley Homemakers and the Cove Homemakers will be in charge of refreshments. Mrs. Ruth Newman is chairman of the card parties events.

Heart Fund Sunday is planned February 19 from 1 to 4 p.m.

COVE

The mid-week Lenten Service for the Accident Lutheran Parish on Wednesday, February 15, will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church, LCA, at 8 p.m. the service on Wednesday, February 22, will be held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Accident.

The mid-week Lenten Service on Wednesday, February 15, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, will begin at 8 p.m. Rev. Herbert B. Schutte, Sarnia, Ontario, Canada, will be installed as pastor of the church on Sunday, February 19, at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Wilmer Miller was in Cumberland with her mother, Mrs. Adam (Hazel) Oester, on Monday, where Mrs. Oester was admitted to Sacred Heart Hospital and remains a patient in room 428.

William Harman returned to his home here on Friday after being a surgical patient at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland.

Dean Hockman brought his wife and infant son from Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, to their home here on Friday evening. The infant, Dean Aaron, was born there on January 27.

Relatives here have learned that Louis Mallau, Cleveland, Ohio, is a patient at a hospital there after suffering a massive heart attack on his way from work on Monday. His sister, Mrs. Gertrude Seiler, Colwich, Kansas, went to Cleveland to be with him on Tuesday. They are former residents of this community. Louis was among the supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kamp, Cleveland, on Saturday evening to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Rose Kamp, whose birthday occurred that day, February 4. Mrs. Kamp is also a former resident of this community but is spending the winter months with her sons, Carl and Glenn and their families in Cleveland.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Deniker were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Deniker, Deep Creek Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Deniker, daughter Mr. and Mrs. Harold Georg, Accident; the Homer Denikers and the Roy Denikers were all Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. W. Richter, near Accident. The occasion was to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Walter Richter. Mrs. Homer Deniker and Earl Hanft were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collier and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Collier.

A surprise birthday party honoring Mrs. Herbert Harman was held on Saturday evening where guests were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Harman and sons, Accident; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harman and Miss Emma Krause.

Tuesday guests of Misses Alma, Esther and Claudine Opel were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Opel, Lebanon, Oregon; and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Maust, Louisville, Ohio. Recent supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gates, LaVale. Alma and Esther Opel were Thursday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Marteney, Meyersdale.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richter and family, Middletown. Mrs. Wilma Brown was a Sunday visitor.

Sunday supper guests of

Rev. and Mrs. Oren Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bender, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Moser and family, and Arlene Bender, Grantsville; Ron and Don Beitzel, Springs, Pa. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Yoder, Grantsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Maust and family, Accident.

Mrs. Everett McClintock and daughter, Donna, were Saturday shoppers in Somerset. Sunday afternoon visitors of the McClintock family were Emerson McClintock and Johnny Manges.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glass were Mrs. Anna Glass and son, Homer, Westport; Mr. and Mrs. George Hetz and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Georg, Mr. and Mrs. Hetz and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glass were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Georg, Accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bender and family were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Herschberger, Springs, Pa. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bender, St. Paul.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanft were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Resh, Mr. and Mrs. Resh and Mrs. Hanft and daughters were afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lohr, Addison. They also visited Mrs. Esther Turney, where other visitors were Mrs. Mayne Wright, Addison; and Kenneth Turney, Friendsville.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brennenman and family, Grantsville.

Mrs. Ron Georg and children, Terri and David, Accident, were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Friend and daughter were Wednesday evening visitors of Mrs. Sam Friend, Friendsville. Mrs. Woodrow Friend was a Thurs-

day supper guest of the Donald Friend family and was a Friday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Friend. Friday overnight guests of Mrs. Friend were Barbara and Keith Friend, Saturday visitors of Mrs. Friend were Mrs. George Fint and children, Kimberly and Jason, Aurora, W. Va.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman were Mr. and Mrs. Parley Deal.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Richter were Mrs. Edith Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Bittering, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hockman and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Wiley, Grantsville.

Harry Hockman and Ralph

Kolbfeisch were Sunday visitors of Edward Hachman and Mrs. Clara McRobie. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schmidt and family spent the weekend with Mrs. Schmidt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Arnold, at Guyandotte, W. Va.

Two Workshops For Dairymen Set

Garrett County has 44% of the dairy cows on production testing. This represents some 2,635 cows, according to James McHenry, Extension Agent, Agriculture.

Over the years of improving the information supplied to dairymen many changes have

been made, Mr. McHenry said. Two Record Workshops will be held in Garrett County February 16 and 17 in order to bring dairymen up to date on what is being offered in production testing. Dr. Lee Majeskie, Extension Dairyman of the University of Maryland, will assist in conducting the workshops.

On February 16 the workshop will be held in the Extension Office basement of the Post Office Building in Oakland, from 1:00 p.m. till 3:00 p.m.

On February 17 the workshop will be held in the Tech Center, Room 250, at Garrett Community College from 9:30

a.m. till 12:00 noon.

Garrett dairymen are invited to participate by bringing their barn sheets and record books. Any interested dairymen can

participate.

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ROUTE 495 - 12.45 acres woodland fronting Rt. 495 \$10,600.
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ROCK LODGE ROAD - 21 acres of sloping woodland with view of Deep Creek Lake. Ideal for private retreat or development of one (1) acre parcels. Map and plat available at office or look for our sign 2.2 miles from Rt. 219. \$6,000 down, balance over ten (10) years in monthly installments of \$169.86, 8% A.P.R. \$20,000.

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GRANTSVILLE - Beautiful one-acre level building lot. Perfect for retreat. Located off Amish Road \$1,500.
BACKBONE MOUNTAIN - 20 acres right on mountain top near Allegheny Heights' with spectacular view over Pleasant Valley \$20,000.

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FARMS

ROCK LODGE ROAD - Large beef farm, 200 level acres with 2 Harvestore silos. Contact this office for details.

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FAIRVIEW ROAD - 157 acres with old house, barn and outbuildings. Partially bordering Savage River State Forest. Owner will finance \$350 per acre

ROCK LODGE ROAD - 90-acre dairy farm with house, barn, milkhouse, trailer, 2 Harvestore silos and garage. Contact this office for details.

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MT. LAKE PARK - Modern 3-bedroom split-foyer home. Living room, kitchen-dining combination, bath and full basement. Situated on level lot \$31,500.

MT. LAKE PARK - Newer constructed wood frame split foyer home situated on a well landscaped lot with oak and pines. This cozy home offers three bedrooms, living room, family room with fireplace, bath, & utility room. Eat-in kitchen has sliding glass door onto the redwood patio. Two garages. Priced right at \$37,450.

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PARADISE POINT —

968 — 50-acre athletic camp on 400' useable lakefront. Has main lodge with dining room and kitchen (accommodations for 100) upstairs, sleeping rooms and baths, 2 fireplaces, one up and one down. Gymnasium with basketball court on maple floor. Stable for 8 horses and upstairs studio as well as corrals, 5 dormitory cabins sleep 90. Athletic fields and wooded trails as well as shooting range. Owner financing \$25,000 down, \$1,575 per month for 20 yrs. Interest only first 2 years. Ideal for tennis camp or recreational area. Call for more details.

ROCK LODGE ROAD —

1152 — Wooded half acre site on hard road. Has 100' of lake front and is perked and approved for building. \$21,000.00

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1261 — 195 acres + situated in the North Glade area of Deep Creek Lake adjacent to Sky Valley. Includes some lakefront suitable for power boats or canoes. There is also an excellent pondsite on the property. This property is ideal for R/V campground, recreational complex or subdivision. Call office for more details.

NORTH GLADE ROAD —

1133 — Half acre nicely wooded lot with electric to the property line. Building site already cleared. \$5,000.00

PENN POINT —

1101 — Approximately 2 acres of wooded building site overlooking lake. In quiet, secluded setting with 20' extension to water. \$17,000.00

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1172 — 3 bedroom cottage with beautiful views and 175' of lakefront, living room w/fireplace and kitchen overlooking lake. Full bath and utility room. Further amenities include a covered porch and a large deck to enjoy the views. An I.O. boat to enjoy the lake. \$65,000.00

HAZELHURST AREA —

822 — 1/4 acre + wooded lot with deeded 30' access across road. Good approach to water in sailing area. \$9,000.00

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

1140 — Twelve level wooded home sites near lake on paved road. Can be purchased in total or separate. Call for details.

MARSH HILL ROAD —

763 — Wooded 1/2 acre lot with 100 feet on Deep Creek Lake close to ski area for year 'round use. \$30,000.00

RED RUN —

1228 — 3 bedroom condominium at water's edge with 2 full baths, modern kitchen, living room w/native stone fireplace, patio & porch. There is a 2-car garage and a heated pool to add to your enjoyment. This unit is nicely decorated. \$62,500.00

ROMAN NOSE SPA —

929 — 2 lots improved with foundation home ready for builders. \$9,970.00

STATE PARK ROAD —

965 — Half acre wooded lot situated in secluded area of State Park Road. The perfect spot for your vacation retreat. \$5,000.00

OLD 219 —

1226 — Two bedroom lakefront townhouse apartments (complete with modern built-in kitchen, fireplace, carpeting and furniture of your choice). A lovely deck, close to the lake, adds to your enjoyment. Close to ski area and this condominium will make your enjoyment of our year 'round retreat completely carefree. While they last. \$44,900.00 and up.

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1239 — Three quarter acre wooded lot located just minutes from ski area. Improved with 3 bedroom mobile home and septic system. Ideal for hunting, skiing, or vacation retreat. \$8,500.00

LAKE SHORE DRIVE —

1222 — Half acre + lot with 150' on water's edge, wooded and maintained in its natural state. Improved with 4 bedroom A-Frame with large dormer overlooking lake. Large rustic living room w/fireplace. Features glass wall with view of lake, kitchen with built-ins, 1 1/2 baths, decks front and side, heat supplied by oil-fired forced air furnace. Additional building at rear of property, houses a game room, full bath & bunk room. \$87,500.00



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874 — 1 acre landscaped lot close to beach and marina area. Improved with 3-level, 3 bedroom chalet suitable for 4 season recreation and relaxation. Native stone fireplace in both family room and living room. All this plus a wrap-around deck that affords a magnificent view of Deep Creek Lake. \$65,000.00

1004 — Well maintained 1/2 acre lot with lake and club privileges improved with new Lincoln Lodge beautifully decorated. Three bedrooms and full bath in upper level. Large living room with hanging fireplace, dining room/kitchen with self-cleaning range, disposal and frostfree refrigerator. Large deck off living room. Includes furniture except for living room. \$49,900.00

1217 — Brand new 2 bedroom rancher on beautifully wooded lot. Includes furnished kitchen, wall to wall carpeting and brick fireplace. \$31,950.00

931 — One of the large lots improved with 3 bedroom A-Frame. Modern kitchen and bath, large living room with fireplace. Thermopane doors opening onto 25' deck. Full basement with single car garage. \$36,500.00

1183 — 1/2 acre wooded lot improved with unusual stone and cedar chalet, consisting of 3 bedrooms, full bath, kitchen, living room featuring a massive stone fireplace, 2 large decks. Full basement with game room area and 2nd large stone fireplace. 100% carpeted. Total electric & fully insulated. \$64,500.00

COMMERCIAL - LAKE

ROUTE 219 —

434 — 65 acres with 600' lakefront (formerly Thayer's Barn).

1231 — Presently an operating Texaco service station and auto-truck repair garage, containing 2600 sq. ft. with 2 auto service bays and a large service area for trucks. This business is located at the intersection of Mayhew Inn Road and U.S. Rt. 219 and enjoys an excellent following. Tools and fixtures may be purchased. Call office for further details.

GLENDALE ROAD —

1240 — A tavern, presently operating profitably, including living quarters. A 28x34 serving area w/horseshoe bar, stools, tables & captain's chairs. Upstairs has a 4 bedroom apt. with living room, kitchen, full bath and family room. Many extras. Situated on 1.59 acres with 347' road frontage. Call office for details.

McHENRY —

1170 — Excellent restaurant location on Rt. 219 close to Deep Creek Lake. Presently in operation and doing a very good business. \$69,500.00

OLD U.S. RT. 219 & SANG RUN RD. —

1257 — Commercial corner 4 season traffic. 2.5 acres, 400' frontage on Old 219 and Sang Run Road. Also improved with 2 bedroom farm house. Newly remodeled A-frame ready to use. All within view of ski slopes. Call our office for details.

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

1139 — Nice operating 1/2 acre site in addition to several other outbuildings. \$75,000.00

SWANTON —

1211 — Well operated gas station/grocery store and 4 bedroom apt. located minutes from the largest development on Deep Creek Lake. This business has grown steadily over the years and continues to do so. Improvements include 2 story masonry bldg. in good condition with over 1500 sq. ft. of floor space. Sales includes refrigerators, freezers and inventory. Carry-out beer license. Shown by appointment. Contact this office for further details.

RESIDENTIAL

OAKLAND — COUNTRY CLUB ACRES —

1207 — Nice medium sized rancher on gently sloping lot in Country Club Acres. Contains 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, modern kitchen, dining room with sliding glass doors opening onto redwood deck, den and one-car garage with automatic door. Fine views from this setting in a quality subdivision. \$45,000.00

1205 — Fabulous home situated in Country Club Acres. A 4-level brick dreamhouse which consists of the following: 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2 half baths, kitchen, family room, formal dining room, living room with foyer, music room, office, rec. room, shop, 2 car garage, golf cart garage, patio with planters front and covered patio in rear. Contact our office for more details.

1252 — Excellent building lot in city limits. Near schools and shopping. Very nice neighborhood. All utilities available. \$6,250.00

1060 — Older 2-story home entered into 3 apartment rental units. An excellent investment. \$38,500.00

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A woody 1 1/2 acre homesite improved with a four bedroom home. Includes eat-in modern kitchen, living room with stone fireplace, family room with fireplace, master bedroom suite with full bath and den, full basement, 2 1/2 car garage. New oil-fired hot water heating system. Country atmosphere. - just minutes from golf course and town conveniences. \$68,500.00

DENNETT ROAD —

1238 — A 3-bedroom brick rancher close to schools, hospital and downtown, yet situated on a full 1/2-acre lot. Features full basement, separate kitchen and dining areas plus a Ben Franklin fireplace in the living room. Electric ceiling heat. \$45,500.00

BETHLEHEM ROAD —

1260 — Nice 3 bedroom rancher situated on a partially wooded 1-acre lot. Contains full bath with double vanity, built-in kitchen, large paneled living room and pantry. Also an outside storage building with fruit cellar. A lovely brick barbecue for those special times with family and friends. \$32,900.00

BOY SCOUT ROAD —

988 — 1 bedroom bungalow suited for year 'round use. Additional 1/2 acre building lot included. Fuel oil heat. \$21,750.00

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1249 — 3 acres + improved with 3 bedroom 2 story log home, 3 yrs. old. Modern kitchen & bath. Stone fireplace. Outside is complete with stone patio and fruit cellar. Fishing from front door. \$53,500.00

MT. LAKE PARK —

1192 — Three bedroom ranch on town lot with utility kitchen in basement; game room and fireplace; kitchen, dining room, living room and full bath on first level. \$33,000.00

1254 — "D" Street - 5.6 bedrooms, 2 kitchens, 2 1/2 baths, living room, family room with native stone fireplace and built-in bar. This 2 level home offers the choice of 2 family living or comfort to a large family. City water & sewer, gas, hot water heat and situate on a 75x200 lot. \$54,500.00

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1125 — One to four-acre building sites near Broad Ford Recreational Lake. Perked and ready for building. \$6,000.00

1200 — 4 bedroom contemporary beautifully situated in the middle of 86 wooded acres fronting on Broad Ford Lake. Home features modern kitchen, 2 full baths, cut stone fireplace and lots of glass. 1/4 acre pond with beach adds to the desirability of this fine offering. Can be purchased with less acreage if desired. Call office for more details.

DEER PARK —

1248 — One hundred year old bungalow with kitchen, 2 1/2x25' living room, bath w/shower, unfinished loft & fireplace. Owner has added a new redwood deck, roof, well & septic system. Old houses never die, they just sell. \$12,500.00

GRAVELLY RUN —

1165 — Exceptionally nice two bedroom ranch home with corner fireplace, recently remodeled interior and two extra 100' lots fronting on Gravelly Run Rd. \$41,000.00

FRIENDSVILLE —

934 — Lovely, historic old home located on 20 acres and fronting on the picturesque Bear Creek Road. The hundred year old home has been renovated and contains six bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, modern kitchen, 2 fireplaces and detached garage. \$57,900.00

McHENRY —

1102 — Lovely, well-kept 2 bedroom double wide on .61 acre landscaped lot featuring view of lake and minutes from ski area. Large, 1 1/2 story, 28x40 stone and aluminum siding garage is oil heated and has potential for shop area or additional living space. \$32,500.00

RT. 135, PAUGHVILLE —

422 — Rancher situate on a level wooded lot with 200' of road frontage. Home contains 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, dining area/kitchen with built-ins, living room, carpeted. Full basement, large game room w/wet bar. Complete with 18'x36' swimming pool and all equipment. \$38,500.00

SHADY DELL ROAD —

1265 — 1 acre +, cleared, improved with 12x70 mobile home containing 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining room. Oil forced hot air heat. Basement under part of unit. \$14,750.00

SHALLMAR —

1255 — Older two bedroom cottage situate on town lot. In need of repair, yet priced with that in mind. \$4,600.00

SWALLOW FALLS —

1186 — 63 acre of woodland improved with 3 bedroom modified A-frame with large kitchen, living room with native stone fireplace. Hardwood floors throughout. Total electric heat, excellent area for year 'round recreational use. \$34,900.00

U.S. RT. 219 NORTH —

1070 — A three-bedroom home situated on .63 acre with modern kitchen, dining area, full bath, living room, family room, full basement. Maintenance free aluminum siding and separate garage. \$53,500.00

1237 — 11th St. Beauty & convenience. A brick colonial style home located in an excellent location near shopping & schools. With a large back yard and beautiful landscaping, this home includes 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining area, 1 1/2 baths, utility room, full basement and 1-car garage. \$50,000.00

RT. 38 —

647 — This exclusive home was especially designed to take advantage of the intrinsic beauty of its surroundings. Ten acres of rolling meadows and woodland encompass this stone and redwood architect's dream. The home was constructed in 1972 and contains 13 rooms, 2 1/2 large baths, a two-car garage and workshop area. All 3500 sq. ft. of living space has been apportioned most advantageously for all family activities and day-to-day happenings. Includes five bedrooms, playroom, dining room, huge living room with massive stone fireplace, dining room, TV room, utility room, studio, and the best in kitchen convenience. \$135,000.00

FARMS & ACREAGE

BEAR CREEK —

973 — 7 1/2 acres wooded land close to trout fishing. \$6,000.00

BRAY SCHOOL ROAD —

1202 — 1/2 acre wooded lot close to the lake with frontage along a paved County road. Ideal for winter or summer use. Close to the lake but still secluded for privacy. \$5,500.00

1208 — 2+ wooded acres just minutes from Deep Creek Lake. \$6,000.00

DEER PARK AREA —

1253 — 42 acres partly cleared and private with access off Old Deer Park Road. \$500.00 an acre

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1221 — 265 acres overlooking Deep Creek. 14 lots already subdivided, and ideal for small acreage ranchettes. Owner financing with 20% down. \$596.00 an acre

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DRY RUN —

71224 — 50 acres of beautiful views adjoining State Forest. Improved with farm house with new additions containing large fireplace, lots of room for family. Large barn with new siding and roof. Total electric. \$97,500.00

YOUGH, RIVER —

1209 — 300 acres of wooded and cleared land with frontage on river. \$600.00 per acre.

BACKBONE MT. —

945 — Over 7 acres of wooded land bordering on State Forest. Level hard road frontage. \$1,000.00/acre.

945 — Excellent building site containing 1.63 acre. Wooded and bordering on State Forest. \$3,000.00

864 — 8 1/2 acres adjoining State Forest with 200' road frontage. \$8,500.00

RED HOUSE —

1149 — 40 acres, more or less, with approximately 900' of frontage on Rt. 50. About 1/2 of this land has been cleared for farming, balance wooded and would be suitable for development. Call office for details.

SPRING LICK ROAD —

930 — 57+ acres bordering on Crabtree Creek and Potomac State Forest. Ideal wooded retreat near Savage River Dam. \$450.00 an acre.

WHITE ROCK —

1233 — Hunters - This one is for you! Beautiful cabin site on 1 acre, nicely wooded, electric and telephone available, fronting on County Road and situated in the heart of game country. Owner financing is available. \$2,550.00

NEW GERMANY ROAD AREA —

1234 — A hunting you can go on this 27+ acre parcel completely surrounded by the Savage River State Forest! Ideal for camping retreat too! \$700/acre

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1259 — 80 acres of rolling farmland with all the improvements to make this property one of a kind. They include a 4 bedroom home newly remodeled and decorated throughout, town hall (separate entertainment bldg.) including wet bar, dance floor and large fireplace. Tennis court. Patio with stone barbecue, Springhouse with workshop above, 2-story barn, 3 ponds (stocked). All this protected by white board fence, 5 mins. from Deep Creek Lake and Wisp Ski Resort. Call for details.

McHENRY —

182 — Wooded acre building site, hard road frontage. \$5,990.00

FOSTER ROAD —

1132 — 57 acres divided into 10 acre parcels suitable for first or second home building sites. Stream on property. \$750.00 an acre.

WEST VIRGINIA —

CRANESVILLE —
951 — 3.5-acre wooded parcels, ideal for second home or hunting hideaway. Priced from \$3,500.00, 7% simple interest.

AURORA —

1096 — Rhododendron and streams aplenty on this 8 1/2 acre tract of land. Close to conveniences, yet secluded and private. Three ponds have already been constructed and there are several excellent cabin or camping sites \$10,000.00

1083 125 Acres of "Almost Heaven" located off Rt. 50

Partially wooded and the balance is tillable fields. This property is improved with a 2-story chestnut barn in good condition, a 2-story three-bedroom farm house suitable for year 'round living and various other outbuildings. Potential as working farm, hideaway or hunters'

FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

Election
Election for Mayor and three councilmen will be held Tuesday, February 14, from 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. at the library. On the ticket for Mayor is Carol Rush; for councilmen: Carl Lefferts, Ross Selby and Eugene Sines. When elected, they will serve for two years. Holdover councilmen for one more year are Charley Miller, Raymond McCullough and James Spear.

Homemakers to Meet
Mrs. Julia Skidmore will entertain members of the Homemakers' Club at her home on Thursday, February 16, at 1:30 p.m., weather permitting.

Two Register
Two people registered on Monday, February 6, at the library to be eligible to vote on Tuesday, February 14. Thirteen names were removed from the books, and there are 208 eligible voters, according to Mrs. Oselane Fisher, Chairman of the Registration Board.

W.C.M.S. To Meet
The Women's Christian Missionary Society will meet on Tuesday, February 14, at the home of Mrs. Patricia Schmidt at 7:30 p.m. The hostess will give the program.

Rangerettes To Meet
Rangerette Unit 135 of the W.O.W. will meet on Saturday, February 11, at Blooming Rose Methodist Church Social room at noon.

U.M.Y.F. Meets
The United Methodist Youth Fellowship met Sunday, February 5, with 21 youth and counselors Sherry and Gene Allen Fike and Mrs. Carole Frazee attending. The attendance banner was given to Blooming Rose Youth. The devotional program was given by Jana Harshman and a Bible Quiz was conducted by Mrs. Carole Frazee. President Greg Friend conducted the business session. Plans were made to go bowling on Saturday, February 18, meeting at the Friendsville Methodist Church at 11:30 a.m.

Future activities and events were discussed. The March 5 meeting will be at the Friendsville Church at 6:30 p.m. Shelly King served refreshments.

Honored On Birthday
Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Griffith and Sherry entertained at a dinner with ice cream and a cake honoring the 14th birthday of their daughter, Tracey Lorraine, on Sunday, February 5, at their home. Other dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ross and sons Jody and Jay.

Rotary News
Ten Rotarians and Rotary-ans attended the annual Heart Fund dinner at Hill Top, Grantsville, on Wednesday evening. Dr. Harold Cordts, Head of Physical Education Department of Frostburg State, was guest speaker. Rotarians attended from Oakland and Grantsville.

On Monday, February 6, Rotarians met at the Hamburger House. A general business discussion on pending business matters for programs was held. Harry Savage will have the program on Monday, February 13, at 6:30.

Dr. Kamons Dies
A practicing physician and a former member of the Uniontown Area School Board died February 2.

He is 53-year-old Dr. Harold O. Kamons of Route 40 West, Markleysburg, who served on the board of education for six years.

The member of the American, Pennsylvania and Fayette County medical associations had been a practicing physician in Markleysburg for 25 years.

Dr. Kamons, who was a graduate of West Virginia University and the Medical College of Virginia, served on the staffs of Uniontown Hospital and Meyersdale Hospital.

He was a member of the Tree of Life Synagogue and a charter member of the Mountain Fellowship Center, Rt. 40.

Dr. Kamons is survived by his wife, Shirley Oshry Kamons; three children, Joshua B., Portia A. and Lawrence A.; and a brother, Dr. Edwin J. Kamons, all of Markleysburg.

The body was at the Johnston Funeral home in Uniontown.

At 1:30 p.m. Sunday Rabbi Pincus Miller held services and burial was in Pittsburgh's West View Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that contributions be made to a favorite charity.

Many folks of tri-state area were patients of Dr. Kamons and was well-known in the

area.

Former Resident Dies
Friends here received word of the death in Tucson, Arizona, of Mrs. William Lewis (Lillian East) Reynolds, 72, on Sunday. She was a daughter of the late William and Melinda (Herrick) East of Friendsville, and a former elementary teacher here. The family resided in Barberton, Ohio, for many years before moving to Arizona. Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Lela (East) Dawson Helbig, of Richmond, Va. Three brothers, Charles, William and Laverne East, preceded him in death.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde VanSickle and Max, Hopwood, Pa., were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde VanSickle and Jill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friend visited on Wednesday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Frank Ryan, Bruceton, W. Va.

Lucille Fike and Tony Balsamo, Pittsburgh, Pa., were weekend guests of the former's twin sister, Mrs. Lillian Bates. Mrs. Patricia Schmidt, Mrs. James O. Ross, Sr., and daughter Karen, visited on Saturday with Mrs. James (Margaret) Tortorice, Oakland.

Mrs. Effie Van Horn, Smicksburg, Pa., is spending a month here with her sister, Mrs. Olin Friend. Another sister, Mrs. Doris Friend visited them on Monday, January 30. On Friday, Mrs. Van Horn became ill and was admitted to the Uniontown, Pa. Hospital, where she remains in the intensive care unit. Her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Frye, Marion Center, Pa., were Saturday overnight guests of the Friends and visited her mother at the hospital. On Monday Mrs. Olin Friend, Mrs. Gladys Frantz, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Friend visited Mrs. Van Horn at the hospital.

James Griffith, Washington, D.C., spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffith. Other Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buckel, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Buckel and Kandy, Bittinger, and Patty Sisler. James had been stationed with the service in Washington, D.C., for 2½ years and is now a student at Capitol Institute of Technology in Washington, D.C.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Friend and Denny, Blooming Rose, were Saturday evening callers of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ray Friend.

Mrs. Carol Frazee, Mrs. Janice Fisher and Mrs. Martha Friend, Blooming Rose, were visitors during the week of Mrs. Manilla Friend. She continues to improve at her home.

Mrs. Scott Holliday, Addison, Pa., was a Friday caller of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Miller and Eddie.

Mrs. Eileen Wahl, McHenry; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stemple, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde VanSickle and Jill visited their granddaughter, Miss Michelle VanSickle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen VanSickle, Hopewood, Pa., at Uniontown, Pa. Hospital, during the weekend.

Mrs. Dave Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Evans and family, Oakland, and Tonja, Adrian and Tyler Cowen, Accident,

were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friend, during the weekend.

Charles Dixon and Ella Louise, Morgantown, W. Va., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Thomas. Ralph Thomas was a caller.

Rick Bates spent the weekend with Rick Shoemaker in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. David Davis, Donna and Danny, Accident, were Friday visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Fike.

Mrs. F. C. Couch and daughters, Rt. 40, were Tuesday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Herring, Hagerstown, visited from Wednesday until Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Thelda Frazee. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Reckart, Painesville, Ohio, spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Frazee, here, and her mother, Mrs. Beulah Rush, at Accident. Mrs. Lillian Bates was a Thursday dinner guest at the Frazee home. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Livengood, Mrs. Rickie Kiser and children, Bruceton, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaffer, Uniontown, Pa.; Miss Lucille Fike and Tony Balsamo, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Kiser, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Thomas and children, Kingwood, W. Va.; Clayton Rodeheaver, Mt. Dale, W. Va.; Mrs. Mary Jane Fike, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas visited his sister, Mrs. Gladys Cole, at Markleysburg, Pa., on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willey Cooley and sons, Bruceton, W. Va., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Friend and family. Visitors were Lowell Hoff and daughter Brenda Kaye and Christy Beckman of Pt. Marion, Pa. Reuben Friend had spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Hoff, Pt. Marion, Pa.

Visitors of Mrs. Bessie Frantz during the week were Mrs. Mary Frantz, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas, Mrs. Rob Smith and daughter, and Mrs. David Luscombe.

Mrs. Vida Sullivan and Mrs. Thelma Kelly, Baltimore, visited their father, Cecil

Shroyer, here, during the past week and with their mother, Mrs. Evelyn Shroyer, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Kimmell Humberston, 97, passed away Monday, February 6, at Spear Nursing Home, Markleysburg, Pa. The body is at Williams Funeral Home there, and burial will be in Asher Glade Cemetery. He is the father of Mrs. Bruce (Nellie) Frantz, Selbyport.

The Rush Baptist Missionary Society meeting was cancelled Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Jean Selby, and no meeting will be held until March due to weather conditions.

Mrs. Kathleen Fratz, Accident, and Mrs. Margaret Rush spent the weekend with the latter's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Schroyer, Hagerstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thomas were weekend guests of their son, Randy, at Sulland, and with their daughter Roxanne, Washington, D.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Rush, Accident; Mrs. Clyde Sanner, Sr., Elder Hill, and Mrs. Jessie Rush and Robert were visitors of Mrs. Margaret Rush during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgett Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne

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1976 F-150 4x2 Ranger, V8, 3-Speed Standard, PS, Radio, Mirrors, Bumper.
1976 F-100 V8, 3-Speed, Radio, Bumper, Mirrors.
1975 Ford F-250, Super Cab, V8, AT, PS, Jump Seats, Radio, Mirrors, Bumper.
1975 F-100, AT, PS, PB, V8, Ranger XLT, 20,000 Miles.
1975 F-250, V8, AT, PS, PB, AM Radio, Ranger Pkg., Step Bumpers and Mirrors.
1975 Chevrolet C-20, V8, 4-Speed, PS, Step Bumpers, Mirrors, Radio.
1975 Ford F-100 Ranger, V8, 3-Speed, Mirrors, Bumper, Radio.
1975 F-100, AT, PS, PB, Mirror, Step Bumper, AM Radio, One Owner.
1974 F-100 V8, 4-Speed, 22,000 Miles.
1974 F-100, 3-Speed, V8, Ranger, Bumper, Mirrors.
1974 F-100 V8, 3-Speed, PS, Radio, Bumper, Mirrors.
1974 Toyota Pickup, 4 Cyl., AT.
1974 Datsun, 4-Cyl., 4-Speed, Camper Top, Only 8,000 Miles.
1973 F-100 Explorer, V8, AT, Mirrors, Step Bumper.
1973 Dodge D-100, V8, AT, PS, PB, Mirrors, Step Bumper.
1973 Ranchero V8, AT, PS, Bed Cover.
1972 Mazda, 4-Cyl., 4-Speed, AM Radio, Bumper, Mirror.
1972 Ranchero V8, AT, PS, PB, Vinyl Top, Radio.
1971 Dodge D-100 V8, 3-Speed, AM Radio, Step Bumper, Mirrors.
1970 F-100, AT, V8, Mirrors, AM Radio, Step Bumper.
1969 F-250, V8, 4-Speed, Mirrors, Step Bumper.
1965 F-300 Ford Dump, V8, 4-Speed.

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1974 Bronco Wagon V8, 3-Speed, Standard, PS, Rear Seat, Lock Out Hubs, Snow Blade.
1974 Chevrolet C-20 4x4, 4-Speed, V8, Mirrors, Step Bumper.
1974 Dodge Ramcharger, PS, PB, AT, V8, White Spoke Wheels, RWL Tires.
1973 Jeep CJ-5, V8, 3-Speed, Roll Bar.
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Health Planning

Executive Board

Meets Jan. 30

Dr. Peter G. Callas chaired a meeting of the Executive Board of the Health Planning

Council of Appalachia Maryland held in Cumberland on January 30.

Project applications which were approved by the Board included the Accident Primary Care Center Implementation and the Interstate Emergency Medical Services Consortium

continuation of Garrett, Allegany and Washington counties.

There were also three nominations for council membership which were approved. They included: James F. Delaney, Allegany County; Arleight Hauser and C. Hoover Pelton, Garrett County. The Board accepted the resignation of Sister Margaret James and expressed appreciation to her for her efforts on the council.

In other business, Ms. Ann M. Smith, project developer, gave the Board an update on the FY 1978 Project Package. Three projects were approved for removal from the package. They were: Children's Evaluation, from Brook Lane Psychiatric Center; Radiologic Technology, from Allegany Community College; and Adult Health Screening and Intervention, from Garrett County. The requests for deletion from the Project Package were made by the applicants.

Dr. George Allen, of the Regional Education Service

Agency (RESA), made a presentation to the Board on a Service Communications Satellite System for Medical Education. The HPCAM Board tentatively decided to become a co-applicant with RESA for a survey project for such a program.

Members attending the meeting from Garrett County included Mrs. E. I. Baumgartner, Dr. Harold C. Ashby and Merritt Feather.

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Governing Body

Meeting Stated

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Governing Board

Of Health Systems

Agency Meets

The Governing Board of the Health Systems Agency of Western Maryland met on February 2, 1978, at the Sheraton Motor Inn, Hagerstown. Commissioner Sterling E. Bollinger, Sr., president, presided.

The Governing Board officially approved the Governing Body actions for the quarter.

During the meeting, the Governing Board: (a) approved a recommendation to retain an attorney; (b) voted to pursue the matter of Orientation Seminars to make the public more aware of the functions of the Health Systems Agency; (c) were informed of the four new Governing Body members appointed by their respective county commissioners as follows: Allegany County, Dr. George M. Breza, Mrs. Barbara Howard, Frederick County, Mrs. Dixie J. Miller, and Washington County, Mr. John Lloyd.

The Governing Board's next quarterly meeting will be held on Thursday, May 4, 1978, 10:30 a.m., in Garrett County.

Those members attending from Garrett County were: Com. George C. Edwards, Com. Don S. Bender.

Executive Director of the Tri-County Council for Western Maryland Inc., Edward I. Heath, announced this week that during the month of January the Tri-County Council had reviewed thirteen projects totaling \$930,139. The individual project breakdown is as follows:

Interstate Emergency Medical Services Consortium, \$60,246; Accident STP Dechlorination, Garrett County, \$7,400; Georges Creek Valley Facilities Plan — Step 1, Allegany County, \$85,000; American Lung Association of Maryland, Easy Breathing Program, \$10,847; Massive Cardio-pulmonary Resuscitation Training Program, Washington County, \$52,973; Crossroads Work Activity Center for the Mentally Retarded, Washington County; Friendsville STP Dechlorination — Step 1, Garrett County, \$9,600; Energy Impact in Western Maryland, Allegany, Garrett Counties, \$60,000; Capital Improvement Grant for the Purchase of Vehicles and Equipment, Statewide, \$436,250; Cooperative Education Field Placement Coordinator, Washington County, \$19,500; VA Housing Feasibilities, Londontowne, Washington County, Psychiatric Day Treatment, Allegany County, \$98,421; and General Project, Environmental Education, Allegany Project, \$89,902.

It was further noted by Mr.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all of my co-workers, friends and relatives who sent me cards and flowers during my stay in Garrett Memorial and Sacred Heart Hospitals. They were greatly appreciated. Also, many thanks to Dr. Feaster.

A Paul DeWitt

Adv. 50-11.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Savage River Church, friends, neighbors, and relatives for the food, flowers, and their kind expressions of sympathy following the death of our sister, Mary Wilt. Our thanks to Dr. Grant and the staff at Garrett Memorial Hospital for their care. A special thanks to the staff at the Cuppet-Weeks Nursing Home for the care during her stay there. Also, special thanks to Rev. Frank Johnson and the Board Funeral Home.

May God bless you all.

Charles & Emma Wilt

Adv. 50-11.

IN MEMORIAM

In remembrance of Clarence L. (Shorty) Taylor who passed away February 4, 1978.

We miss your smile, your laughter and all the happiness you gave. Our memories are more dear with each passing day. Our hearts still ache and our eyes fill with tears. We are still lonely as the time moves quickly into years. Friends often say "he was well thought of." Only he's gone. One question is always asked, "Why? God only knows best, on this we must rely."

Sadly missed by son, David Taylor & family

Adv. 50-11.

STATE OF MARYLAND

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

AND

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF

GRACE M. ROMENBURG

This is to give notice that the undersigned, Barbara Uphold, whose address is Rt. 4, Oakland, Md. 21558, has been appointed personal representative of the estate of Grace M. Romenburg who died on November 23, 1977 with a will.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

CARD OF THANKS

All persons having any objection to such appointment or to the probate of the decedent's will, shall file the same with the Register of Wills of Garrett County on or before August 9, 1978.

All persons having claims against the decedent must present their claims to the undersigned, or file the same with the said Register of Wills on or before August 9, 1978.

Any claim not so filed on or before such date shall be unenforceable thereafter.

Barbara A. Uphold
Personal Representative
Joseph H. Welch
Register of Wills

Date of first publication:
February 9, 1978
Adv. 50-11.

STATE OF MARYLAND

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

AND

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF

ROBERT MICHAEL MARONEY

This is to give notice that the undersigned, Iris Helene Maroney, whose address is 3 S. 35th St., Oakland, Md. 21558, has been appointed personal representative of the estate of Robert Michael Maroney, who died on February 11, 1977 with a will.

All persons having any objection to such appointment or to the probate of the decedent's will, shall file the same with the Register of Wills of Garrett County on or before August 9,

FOR SALE—Farm Equip.

FOR SALE — New Farm Machinery: 16-hoe Ontario drill with seeder, 6-16" bottom case plow, spring trip, 12" case chisel plow, 578 Case tractor with cab, heater and air; 676 New Holland spreader, 200 bushel; 368 New Holland tank spreader with tandem wheels, 250 bushel; 346 New Holland spreader, 200 bushel; 19 h.p. Satoh tractor, gas; 27 h.p. Satoh tractor, gas; 48 h.p. Satoh tractor, diesel. Used machinery: 1200 David Brown, excellent shape; Oliver baler with thrower, Allis Chalmers baler with thrower, 400 New Holland haybine, 479 New Holland haybine. More items too numerous to mention. See us for better sales and service. Free financing on all New Holland machinery. We service anything, anywhere, anytime. Miller Motor Mart, P.O. Box 1, Addison, Pa. Phone 814-395-3321. With pick up and delivery service. —Adv. 48-131.

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FOR SALE—Automotive

FOR SALE — 1974 Plymouth Valiant, 4-door, auto., PS, 6-cylinder, 30,000 miles, like new. Phone 334-2121 and ask for Charlie. —Adv. 47-131.

FOR SALE — 1965 four-wheel drive Chevy, V-8, four-speed trans., new tires, \$700. Call 387-868. —Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — 1977 Ford F-150, 4-wheel drive, 6 cylinder, 4-speed, low mileage, power steering, radio, \$5,800. Phone 334-9349. —Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — 1969 Ford Fairlane truck, model 350 with 360 engine, heavy duty trailer hitch. Call (301) 387-4804. —Adv. 48-41*

FOR SALE — 1970 Plymouth Fury III, excellent condition, auto. trans., PS, new tires, new battery. Call 387-6890. —Adv. 48-131.

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Excellent Condition Inside & Out. No Rust. Low Mileage.
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FOR SALE — 1973 Jeep Wagoneer, air conditioning, automatic, good condition, \$3,500.00. Call 387-5528. —Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — 1975 Dodge Dart, low mileage, excellent condition. Phone 334-2860.

FOR SALE — 1972 Ford Galaxie with air, good condition. Contact Ronald Frazee, 746-5260. —Adv. 49-31.

FOR SALE — 1976 Chevy walk-in van, 1 ton, excellent condition, 13,000 actual miles, \$3,400.00. Phone 334-8296. —Adv. 49-31.

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FOR SALE — 1976 Monza Coupe, white with red interior, two new summer tread, 25,000 miles, perfect condition. Call 387-6327. —Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — Opel with 1973 motor, R and H, in very good condition. \$275.00. Phone 387-5230. —Adv. 48-131.

FOR SALE — 1977 Pontiac Firebird, AM-FM tape, must sell, \$3,500.00. Phone 746-5943. —Adv. 50-11.

FOR SALE — 1973 Plymouth Satellite, clean, good condition, \$750.00. Call 334-8729. —Adv. 50-31.

FOR SALE — 1966 VW bus, 2-tone blue with bucket seats. Will pass state inspection, new battery and good tires. Priced \$225; camper top for 8 ft. Fleetside pickup bed, air vent, roof rack, insulated and paneled with lights. Excellent condition. Price \$225 firm. Phone 334-9755 after 4 p.m. Anytime weekends. —Adv. 50-11.

FOR SALE — 1973 Volvo station wagon, 4-speed, 145 series, fuel injection, AM-FM radio, just painted, \$3,000. Ph. 334-8656 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. 387-4649 after 6 p.m. —Adv. 49-31.

FOR SALE — 1972 Chevy Chevelle 1/2 ton pickup, V-8, auto. trans., AM-FM radio, PS, heavy duty springs, post-traction rear, low mileage, excellent condition, loaded with options. Needs some body work or bed, \$1,495.00 firm. Call 334-8394. —Adv. 49-31.

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73 Ford F-100, 4WD, Auto. Trans. As is \$1995.

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FOR SALE — 1974 Chevy Vega, new tires, tape player, \$550.00. Phone 334-9742 or 387-4772. —Adv. 47-41.

FOR SALE — 1972 International Scout, 4-wheel drive. Also, 1975 Vega GT Hatchback. Phone 693-7677. —Adv. 50-31.

FOR SALE — 1972 Dodge Polara Custom, V-8, auto., PS, PB, air cond., cruise control, \$700.00; also, 1970 Dodge Challenger, V-8, auto., PS, air work car, \$375. Ph. 387-4580 after 4 p.m. —Adv. 49-41.

FOR SALE — 1968 Chevy C-10 pickup, Ph. 304-726-4003. —Adv. 49-31.

FOR SALE — 1969 AMC Rebel, 4dr., 343 engine, good rubber, good running condition. Ph. 746-5126. —Adv. 49-21*

FOR SALE — 1975 Volkswagen Dasher, silver with black interior, AM-FM stereo, 31,000 miles. Must sell, \$2,995.00 or best offer. Call 334-3955. —Adv. 49-31.

FOR SALE — 1975 Nova, 6-cylinder, 30,000 miles. Phone 334-4800. —Adv. 41-131.

FOR SALE — 1974 Dodge D-200, 4x4, as is; 1967 Ford Van, stock; two 396 engines; 327 engine, 300 engine, two 400 turbo hydromatic transmissions, 3500 watt Homelite portable generator, Regency Scanner, model ACT-E16 H/L/U; six 1020 Dayton wheels with tires & tubes, 1 1/2 ton floor jack. Phone 689-3264. —Adv. 49-131.

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FOR SALE — 1976 Chevy walk-in van, 1 ton, excellent condition, 13,000 actual miles, \$3,400.00. Phone 334-8296. —Adv. 49-31.

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Condominiums at Will 'o the Wisp on Deep Creek Lake
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FOR SALE — One acre of land with 4-room house with bath, full basement, garage and large lot that could be used for bedroom. Close to lake on Rock Lodge Road, \$15,800. Phone 381-3617. —Adv. 49-31.

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Need homes for one Short-haired English Springer Spaniel female, 11 months old, house broken. Top U.S.A. bloodlines. Adores children and cats. Also seven puppies, black and white or liver and white. Males and females available, reasonable terms. Phone: Jim, 334-3963, or 334-8734 evenings and weekends.

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HELP WANTED — We would like to help you get your high school diploma. If you are 16 or older, join an adult basic education class now. No charge. Garrett Community College, Oakland Center. Phone 334-8266. —Adv. 29-401.

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WANTED — Small farm. Contact Delbert Cooper, 2308 Essex Street, Baltimore, Md. 21224. —Adv. 43-131.

WANTED — Elderly gentleman to room and board. Call 1-304-789-2764. —Adv. 45-81.

WANTED — Old furniture, China, glassware, sterling silver, brass beds, etc. boxes, etc. Must be old. Will buy one piece, a collection, or a houseful. Phone 334-9078. —Adv. 45-131.

WANTED — Good used feed bags. Grange Supply Center, Oakland, Md. —Adv. 50-31.

WANTED — Cocktail waitress. Call 387-5581. —Adv. 50-21.

WANTED — Silver coins before 1965. Will pay double face value. Call 6:30 to 10:00, 893-7582. —Adv. 50-41.

WANTED — 2 or 3-speed belt-drive drill press. Must be in good condition. Write Noah C. Zook, Rt. 2, Box 148, Oakland, Md. No phone, state price. —Adv. 50-11.

HELP WANTED — Two Vista positions available for dedicated persons 18 or older to work on youth-related projects. Knowledge of education and/or recreation and experience with youths ages 10 to 21 required. Living allowance plus stipend and health benefits. Apply by Feb. 13, 1978 to Garrett Community Action, 334-9451. —Adv. 50-11.

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FOR RENT — Two and three-bedroom lakefront apartments: furnished or unfurnished, wall to wall carpeting, refrigerator, dishwasher, stove, fireplace, deck included. Beautiful view from patio or deck. Call (301) 729-8073 after 6 p.m. —Adv. 48-131.

FOR RENT — Two-bedroom apartment in Mt. Lake Park, unfurnished. No pets. Water and sewerage provided. Call 334-9410. —Adv. 49-131.

FOR RENT — Sleeping rooms or room and board. Phone 334-8236. —Adv. 49-41.

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FOR RENT — Attractive 3-BR lakeview house near ski slopes. Also, luxurious 1-BR lakeside apt. near Four Hoopole South. For weekend or week. Phone 387-6344. —Adv. 50-41.

FOR RENT — 1-BR apt. on Hazelhurst Road. Furnished, no pets or children. \$200 utilities included. Phone 387-6208. —Adv. 50-131.

FOR RENT — Trailer spaces in Sunview Mobile Court. Phone 387-9617. —Adv. 40-131.

WILL DO babysitting in my home, two miles from Germania. Call 334-2078. —Adv. 50-21.

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FOR RENT — Store building on Alder Street. Formerly occupied by Exotic Pet Store. Phone 334-2923. —Adv. 46-131.

FOR RENT — 2 BR mobile home on 1/2 acre lot, all utilities included, located on Rt. 219 south of Accident. Phone 826-8126. —Adv. 46-131.

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WANTED — Housekeeper for farm home. Would consider married couple. Write Joe Holschneider, Rt. 1, Oakland, Md. —Adv. 45-131.

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Linda Lantz, 21, has signed a one-year recording contract with Nashville Artists and Repertoire to produce country music records.

Miss Lantz was a former

resident of Crellin and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lantz of Aurora, and a niece of Ms. Donna Sharpless of Mountain Lake Park.

Miss Lantz travelled to Bloomington, Ill., recently to sign the contract. She will go to Nashville in January or February for the recording work.

The company will provide the studio, musicians and any backup vocalists. Although she has not appeared often in public, Miss Lantz has been in numerous jam sessions. She also sang at the CB Jamboree in August, held at the Medina County fairgrounds.

Her parents, also former residents of Crellin, are Richard Lantz, 207 Mill St., Lodi, Ohio and Mrs. Lois Weaver of Wooster, Ohio. Miss Lantz presently lives and works in Wooster.

Artist/Title	Ranking Last Week	Weeks on Chart
1. SOUNDTRACK Saturday Night Fever	1	11
2. ROD STEWART Foot Loose & Fancy Free	2	11
3. EARTH, WIND & FIRE All N' All	3	10
4. QUEEN News Of The World	4	11
5. ELECTRIC LIGHT ORCHESTRA Out Of The Blue	5	11
6. FLEETWOOD MAC Rumours	6	10
7. NEIL DIAMOND I'm Glad You're Here With Me Tonight	7	10
8. STYX The Grand Illusion	8	10
9. BILLY JOEL The Stranger	9	10
10. JACKSON BROWNE Running On Empty	10	12

Trauma Workshop For Nurses Is Slated At ACC

A workshop on "Trauma" will be held for Region 1 area nurses at Allegany Community College, February 15, 16, and 17. The three-day program is designed to increase the nurses' knowledge of rapid, as well as a more refined, assessment of the patient with multiple trauma. The topics covered are pathophysiology and management, neurological injuries, chest injuries, skeletal injuries, abdominal injuries, equipping a trauma room, and complications of trauma. Case studies and skills laboratories are included.

The workshop will be held at Allegany Community College, Williamsburg Road, Cumberland, and will run from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. each day. Persons should report at the College Center at which time the appropriate room will be announced. A registration fee of \$2.00 per nurse will be collected to cover costs incurred by the college.

Persons having questions concerning this workshop should contact David P. Ramsey, Regional Coordinator, at 895-5534, P.O. Box 34, Grantsville, Maryland 21536. Pre-registration is required. This may be accomplished by calling Mr. Ramsey's office or Nursing Director.

Birth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. John Frederick Mellinger, III, of Swanton, announce the birth of their first child, a son, born February 2, at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland. The mother is the former Sandra Jean Giotflety. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mellinger, Jr., Swanton, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Willis J. Giotflety, Mt. Lake Park.

Delbert Proudfoot Is Certified As Quality Engineer



Delbert A. Proudfoot has been certified as a quality engineer by the American Society for Quality Control.

Proudfoot is only the fourth in the Kelly-Springfield organization to receive this distinction.

In a letter to Proudfoot, Richard L. Ball, director product quality and product safety, said, "I was very pleased to hear of your successful examination for the American Society for Quality Control Engineer certificate. I know you now feel the six weeks of home study that was necessary to pass this difficult exam was worth it."

The American Society for Quality Control is a society for professionals engaged in the management, engineering and scientific aspects of quality and reliability. It recognizes individuals, through examinations, as competent in the field of Quality Engineering. A native of Cumberland, Proudfoot joined the company

in June 1968, as a management trainee. He has served as an industrial engineer, quality control inspector, and a quality control engineer. Proudfoot was graduated from Fort Hill High School and The University of Maryland with a bachelor of science degree.

He, and his wife, Patricia, have two daughters, Ann and Laura. They live at 166 Star Route in Grantsville.

Cub Scout Pack 49 met for its monthly meeting on Thursday. John Hepler, a wood craftsman, was the special guest and he demonstrated the construction of pinewood cars in anticipation of the Pinewood

Derby scheduled for March. Cubmaster, Bob Diehl, presented awards to the following boys: Mike Schroyer, Bear badge; David Benson and David Jones, progress towards rank head; Webelos scouts: Tom Adams, Webelos badge, citizen and craftsman pins; Brett Hassenbuhler, Webelos badge, craftsman, showman.

Announcement of a bake sale was made, to be held on Saturday, February 11, at the Grantsville Foodland to benefit the Scout treasury.

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Nixon Was Right . . .

Criticisms — we hear them every day. We read about them in the newspaper. Some groups and individuals seem to be susceptible to perhaps more than their share of criticism and far less than their share of praise and recognition.

The town and county roads crews of Garrett County have been lambasted repeatedly lately by persons who feel they are not doing their jobs. Yet, the Garrett County crews are probably among the best snow removers in the country. They always get criticized for the few roads they miss and almost never receive recognition for the hundreds of miles of road they keep open faithfully.

Hospitals, Garrett County Memorial included, are always raked over the coals for their imperfections. People quickly forget about the many hundreds of lives which have been saved at Garrett Memorial. People forget what it was like before this county had a hospital.

What about policemen and deputies? Now there's a good example. Always criticized, rarely praised. With a show of hands out there, how many would like to have the responsibility of a deputy's job?

School teachers! How in the world do they put up with the amount of criticism they must face each day, from six dozen parents who each prescribe a different way to best teach their children? Teaching is the most important job in the world. It takes a special person to be a good teacher. They deserve credit.

Constructive criticism is healthy, but many times criticism is not even justified, originating through innuendo, misinformation and ill-founded conclusions. It is often meant to hurt, rather than to help.

Every organization, institution, industry, occupation and profession depends on decisions which must be made by human beings. As long as this is the case, there will always be imperfections. With progress and advancement, the imperfections will become fewer and fewer, but as long as man is at the helm, that margin of error will always be present.

Criticism often comes from just a few people who scream the loudest. Praise and recognition rarely reaches a loud roar. Nixon was right, there is a silent majority out there.

Fred W. Tichnell Residence Heavily Damaged By Fire

The cause of a blaze which heavily damaged the residence of Fred W. Tichnell, 19 West Liberty Street, Oakland, last Friday morning is still under investigation by Robert Shiner, fire investigator for Allegany and Garrett Counties.

Oakland firefighters were called to the scene at 11:29 a.m. and found the entire rear portion of the wood frame house in flame. Firefighters immediately attacked the fire from the inside of the house, and assumed control in about 30 minutes. The Deer Park Fire Department was also summoned to the scene minutes after the arrival of Oakland.

Mr. Tichnell had been at the residence just 20 minutes before the alarm and noticed no fire or smoke.

The fire was contained in the rear hall of the house, but extreme heat and smoke caused considerable damage throughout. Some furniture was carried out unharmed. Mr. Tichnell said that he does have insurance on the house and belongings.

Fire fighters remained on the scene until about 2:30 p.m. and were dismissed from the fire hall at 3:50 p.m. Oakland

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County Officials Respond to Bolden's Opinions Against House Bill No. 647

County officials in favor of the bill, House Bill #647, responded to Delegate Bolden's opposition this week. The bill basically provides a "special fund for the development, operation, and maintenance of recreational facilities, opportunities and services related to Deep Creek Lake in Garrett County."

According to Gary Yoder, capital programs administrator for the Department of Natural Resources, assigned to the Deep Creek Lake project, the bill is a result of some seven years of groundwork and negotiation which included 28 public meetings.

Mr. Yoder said, "The conclusion reached by those involved, including Deep Creek Lake property owners, the Garrett County Commissioners, businessmen and various service organizations, is that the Department of Natural Resources is the logical entity to most effectively protect the ecological integrity and recreational quality of Deep Creek Lake."

"The DNR," he continued, "can best meet federally mandated recreational guidelines and eliminate overlapping responsibility of local, state and federal government, as well as protect the rights of the Deep Creek Lake property owners who have already developed land."

Delegate Bolden stated that the bill "gives too much unrestricted authority to the DNR and should be amended."

In response to that, Mr. Yoder said that the bill actually limits the scope of authority of the DNR because it obligates that money generated at the lake — from dock fees, boat fees, etc. — be returned to Deep Creek Lake for use in protection and the development of recreational facilities.

"Penn Elec is presently under no obligation to return collected fees to benefit the lake or its users. HB #647 earmarks this money to come back to Deep Creek Lake," Yoder added.

Tim Dugan, Garrett County Planning Director, also stated

that he supported the bill.

"As far back as 1972, everyone involved agreed that Deep Creek Lake needs effective management for environmental, as well as recreational purposes. Penn Elec is not in the recreation business — they don't want to be. Federal law requires a sound system of management for the lake and the burden of management would be far too great for the county. That was decided in 1972 that the state would be the most appropriate agency to manage it."

The Department already patrols the lake, stocks it and manages the state parks," Mr. Dugan said.

"Actually the Department already has full authority to establish regulations and fees and HB #647 merely confirms that authority with the added feature of earmarking generated money to be returned to the lake," Dugan concluded.

County Commissioner Wayne Hamilton also voiced his support of the bill, saying that "House Bill #647 was geared to the wishes of the Deep Creek Lake property owners from the very beginning. All the public meetings conducted in the preparation of this bill were well attended and well participated in by the property owners. The bill insists that any money generated at Deep Creek Lake will be returned to Deep Creek Lake for the benefit of Garrett County citizens."

Bolden stated that this issue reminded him too much of "the way the DNR handled the Youghiogheny River Corridor situation."

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FFA AT 50 — The Board of County Commissioners adopted a proclamation declaring next week FFA week in the county, as part of a nationwide 50th anniversary celebration for the organization. Garrett County's FFA membership is now 214, with 74 in the Junior North Garrett Chapter, 43 in North Garrett, and 77 in Oakland. Shown, left to right, are Wayne Hamilton, commissioner and an early FFA member; George Edwards, chairman of the commission; and Don S. Bender, commissioner. In the second row are Valerie Lougheir, state vice president for Region I; James Friend, president of Junior North Garrett Chapter; Rick Broadwater, president of North Garrett; and Norman Hanline, president of Oakland Chapter.

James M. Murray Certified C.P.A.



The Virginia State Board of Accountancy recently announced that James M. Murray has successfully completed the Uniform Certified Public Accountants examination.

Mr. Murray earned his certificate after obtaining his Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting from Strayer College, Washington, D.C.

After working for two years in Washington for a CPA firm, Mr. Murray and his wife Susan returned to the Oakland area where he is employed by Smith, Elliott, Kearns and McLaughlin, CPAs.

He is a son of Allen and Joan Murray, Mr. Lake Park. Mr. and Mrs. Murray are residing at 722 E. Oak Street, Oakland.

Bolden Proposes School Calendar Changes Be Made
Delegate DeCorsey Bolden (R-Allegany and Garrett Counties) announced this week that he has introduced House Bill 1247 to permit the State Board of Education to reduce the minimum number of required school days upon request by the County Boards of Education.

Delegate Bolden stated, "I believe that the local Board of Education often finds itself compelled not to close the public schools during unsatisfactory weather conditions because they are required by state law to maintain 180 days in the school year calendar."

If House Bill 1247 is passed by the Maryland General Assembly, the county school boards throughout Maryland will be able to request the State Board of Education to reduce the presently required 180 days of school attendance for reasons of natural or civil disaster, or severe weather conditions which prevent normal school attendance in their localities.

"This bill will help local officials to always consider safety first without the pressure of school day requirements influencing their decision as to whether or not to close the public schools due to treacherous weather."

The delegate continued, "It will also change the law so there would be an alternative to requiring children to attend school extra hours of the day, or extra days during summer vacation."

Terry Colaw, Top Commission Asks Investigation Of Airport Operation

Terry I. Colaw, 38, former athletic standout at Southern High School and varsity basketball and soccer coach at Aberdeen High School, died unexpectedly of a heart attack last Tuesday, February 9, in Havre de Grace Memorial Hospital.

A native of Orville, he was born April 24, 1942, a son of Mrs. Madeline V. (Miller) Colaw and the late Ernest F. Colaw, Jr.

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Board Allocates Anti-Recessional Funds To Roads

The Board of Garrett County Commissioners held a public hearing Tuesday morning to discuss and budget anti-recessional funds allocated by the federal government.

The amount allocated to the county for the last fiscal quarter was set at \$24,672. Anti-recessional funds are keyed to unemployment rates. After a 4½ percent rate of unemployment is reached, the federal funds are available to assure maintenance of basic services.

The commissioners voted to allocate the funds this quarter to the county roads department. There were no dissenting voices heard during the meeting.

Most of the \$150,000 received in anti-recessional funds to date have been forwarded to the roads department.

A delegation from the Friendsville branch of Western Maryland Health Care Corporation met with the commissioners to continue work pertaining to the transfer of the kindergarten building in Friendsville to the health care corporation for establishment of a clinic.

In action Tuesday, the commissioners unanimously voted to sell the building to the corporation for the sum of \$1, and agreed to serve as second cosigner for a bank loan to be used to convert the building into a clinic.

Members of the Friendsville delegation were Charlie Miller, Chauncey Friend, Bruce Jenkins, William Umbel, Dr. Stolz, and Dr. William Pope, Jr.

The commissioners also signed a proclamation declaring February 18-25 as Future Farmers of America Week in Garrett County. The proclamation was witnessed by members of the county chapters, including Valerie Lougheir, Norman Hanline, Rick Broadwater and James Friend.

The proclamation declares that FFA is observing a half century of outstanding service to the agriculture industry, and is composed of students who are studying vocational agriculture in preparation for careers in American agriculture.

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C Street Crossing To Be Equipped With Gates, Lights
Delegate DeCorsey E. Bolden (R-Garrett & Allegany Counties) announced this week that the Chessie System has decided to upgrade the "C" Street railroad crossing west of Oakland near the Sterling Processing Plant.

The crossing, which is presently equipped with warning bells, will be provided with short arm gates and a flasher system. The Chessie System, in consideration of the extensive use by fuel truck and tractor-trailer traffic, has also agreed to widen and improve the crossing surface this summer in conjunction with the Maryland State Highway Administration.

This action was pursuant to the efforts made by Delegates DeCorsey Bolden and William Byrnes to investigate what measures were needed to curtail the high rate of accidents occurring on the Chessie railroad in recent years due to washed-out roadbeds, poor crossings, defective rails, and faulty equipment.

The delegates have received a firm commitment from W.F. Howes, Jr., Vice President of the Casualty Prevention Department of the Chessie System, that railroad maintenance has been given a high priority in this year's budget.

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FIGHTING FIRE — Oakland firefighters Jim Crabtree and Smokey Stanton provide protection for their comrades who are on the inside of Fred Tichnell's house on Liberty Street which sustained heavy damage last Friday morning. (See separate story.)

Obituaries

THELMA S. MCCARRIAR
Thelma S. McCarriar, 65, of Hamilton, Md. died suddenly at her home February 4.

Born May 1, 1913 in W. Piston, Pa., near Scranton, she was a member of the Women's Club of Hamilton, and the Episcopal Church of the Messiah. She volunteered many hours of work at Montebello State Hospital in Baltimore.

Survivors include her

husband, Francis D. McCarriar, Jr. Hamilton; four daughters, Mrs. Bev. Trautwein, Oakland; Mrs. Ethel Smith, Lexington, Ky.; Mrs. Barbara Henderson, Sewickley, Pa.; and Mrs. Sara Stroh, Baltimore; one son, Francis D. McCarriar, III, near Baltimore; one sister, Mrs. Ruth Turski, Mechanicsburg, Pa.; and 11 grandchildren.

A memorial service was conducted at Ruck's Funeral Home in Baltimore February 6.

ROY E. SAVAGE

Roy Elton Savage, 58, of Morgantown, W. Va., died Thursday, February 9, at the University Hospital.

He was born May 22, 1919, in Friendsville, a son of the late Leslie and Ruth Teets Savage.

He was an employee of the Borg-Warner Chemical Company and a former employee of the Olin-Matheson Chemical Co. He was a member of the Terra Alta Moose Club, the Keeler Glade Church of God and the Woodmen of the World.

Survivors include his wife, Alberta Chidester Savage; four daughters, Mrs. Ruth Glatfely, Carlisle, Pa.; Mrs. Joan Dixon, Oakland; Mrs. Diane Sisler, Friendsville; and Mrs. Betty Hamilton, Star City; two brothers, Robert Savage, Greenbelt; and Ernest Savage, Friendsville; one half-brother, Harry Savage, Friendsville; four half-sisters, Mary Frances and Linda Bosley, both of Friendsville; Dorothy Reibahan, Downey, Calif. and Carolyn Friend, Elgin, Ill., and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Monday at the Fred L. Jenkins Funeral Home with Rev. William Camp officiating. Burial was in the Blooming Rose Cemetery at Friendsville.

JOSEPH C. DEWITT, SR.

Joseph C. DeWitt, Sr., 83, of Star Route 2, McHenry, died Tuesday, February 14, in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born near Sang Run, he was a son of the late Stephen W. and Clarissa J. (Kodeheaver) DeWitt.

Mr. DeWitt was a veteran of World War I and a retired farmer and lumberman. He was a member of Oak Grove Church of the Brethren and Proctor-Kildow Post 71, American Legion.

Surviving are his widow, Mary E. (Savage) DeWitt; three daughters, Mrs. E. Marie Keller, Winona Lake, Ind.; Mrs. Elva J. Frantz and Mrs. Alice J. Strobel, both of McHenry; two sons, Edward C. DeWitt and Joseph C. DeWitt, Jr., both of McHenry; two sisters, Mrs. Delilah Savage, Hopwood, Pa.; Mrs. Mary Carr, McHenry; four brothers, Richard DeWitt, Rosedale, Alvie DeWitt, Stephen DeWitt and Milton DeWitt, all of Friendsville; 24 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland. Services are being

conducted at 2 p.m. today in Oak Grove Church of the Brethren by the Rev. Donald Matthews and the Rev. Jonas Sines. Interment will be in Oak Grove Cemetery.

MRS. GEORGE RECKNER

Mrs. Jessica B. Reckner, of 461 South Prospect Street, Ravenna, Ohio, died there Tuesday, February 14.

A native of Garrett County, she was a daughter of the late Frank and Mary (Wilburn) DeWitt. Her husband, George Reckner, also a native of Garrett County, preceded her in death.

Surviving are five sons, Leo Reckner, Erie, Pa.; Donald Reckner and Wayne Reckner, both of Ravenna; Eugene Reckner, Niles, Ohio; George Reckner, Jr., Oldsmar, Fla.; a daughter, Miss Marion Reckner, Ravenna, Ohio; a foster daughter, Miss Janice Reckner, Ravenna; a brother, Wayne DeWitt, Deer Park; three sisters, Misses Glenna DeWitt, Helen DeWitt and Mrs. Wilma C. Calhoun, all of this area; 13 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services are being conducted today at 3 p.m. in the Short's Funeral Home, Ravenna. Burial will be in Ravenna.

E. H. BRAATEN

Elester H. Braaten, 75, of Rt. 2, Swanton, died Tuesday, January 31, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital in Oakland. Born June 13, 1902 in Ocatoma, Minnesota, he was the son of the late Carl and Marie (Lien) Braaten.

Mr. Braaten was a retired industrial engineer and had been employed by Westinghouse for many years.

He is survived by his wife Ethel M. (Coffman) Braaten; one son, Larry L. Braaten, Gainesville, Florida; two sisters, Mrs. Cora Sill, Scottsdale, Arizona and Mrs. Mamie Dunlop, Aberdeen, and two brothers, Blaine Braaten and Dale Braaten, both of Austin, Minnesota.

The body was at the Stewart Funeral Home where services were held on Thursday, February 2 with Rev. James F. Remley officiating. Interment was in the Garrett County Memorial Gardens.

VFW To Meet

The VFW Post #10077, will hold its regular monthly meeting February 26 at the Post Home at 2 p.m. There will be nomination of officers, according to Arlie Breedlove, adjutant.

PAUL L. YOMMER

Paul L. (Pete) Yommer, 57, of 124 Scott Street, Oakland, formerly of Grantsville, died Friday in West Virginia University Medical Center, Morgantown.

Born May 8, 1909 in Grafton, West Virginia, he was the son of the late Cleveland P. and Mary R. (Flowers) White. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Geneva M. (Winters) White in January of 1976.

A member of St. Mark's Lutheran Church in Oakland he had been employed by the Carnation Milk Co. for 32 years until his retirement. He was a retired member of the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Rebecca W. Harvey, LaVale, and Mrs. Lucinda J. Sharpless, Dorothy G. Brady, Grafton, and five grandchildren.

The body is at the Stewart Funeral Home where friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. this evening. Services will be held at the funeral home Friday at 1:00 p.m., with Pastor Richard A. Seals officiating. Interment will be in the Garrett County Memorial Gardens.

BREWNER B. GOSS

Brewner B. Goss, 82, of Route 2, Somerset, Pa., died Tuesday, February 14, in Somerset Community Hospital.

Born at Bayard, W. Va., November 3, 1896, he was a son of the late David and Mary (Harvey) Goss.

Mr. Goss was a retired Western Maryland Railway general agent for Somerset County with 42 years' service.

He was a member of Christ Casebeer Lutheran Church, the Men's Bible Class of the church, Cumberland Lodge 63, BPO Elks; a veteran of World War I and a member of Somerset Post 554, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Somerset Post 181, American Legion.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Rose (Dick) Goss; a daughter, Mrs. Evelyn B. Gelpi, Somerset; six grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Robert Halverson Funeral Home, Somerset. Services are being conducted in the funeral home at 1:30 p.m. today by the Rev. Robert R. Clark. Interment was to be in Casebeer Church Cemetery.

HOWARD J. WHITE

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MRS. HUGH FORMAN

Mrs. Pearl M. Forman, 94, Aurora, W. Va., died Friday, February 10, at Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home, Oakland.

A native of Brookside, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late Newton and Lyndia (King) Wotring. Her husband, Hugh W. Forman, died in 1969.

She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Violet Bowser, Oakland; Mrs. Nellie Friend, College Park; Mrs. Eileen Slaubaugh, Beltsville; Mrs. Dove Stemple, Aurora; a sister, Mrs. Nellie Wolfe, Oakland; a brother, Alfred Wotring, Aurora; six grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

The body was taken to the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland. Services were conducted in St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday at 2 p.m. with Rev. Richard A. Seals officiating. Interment was in the Aurora Cemetery.

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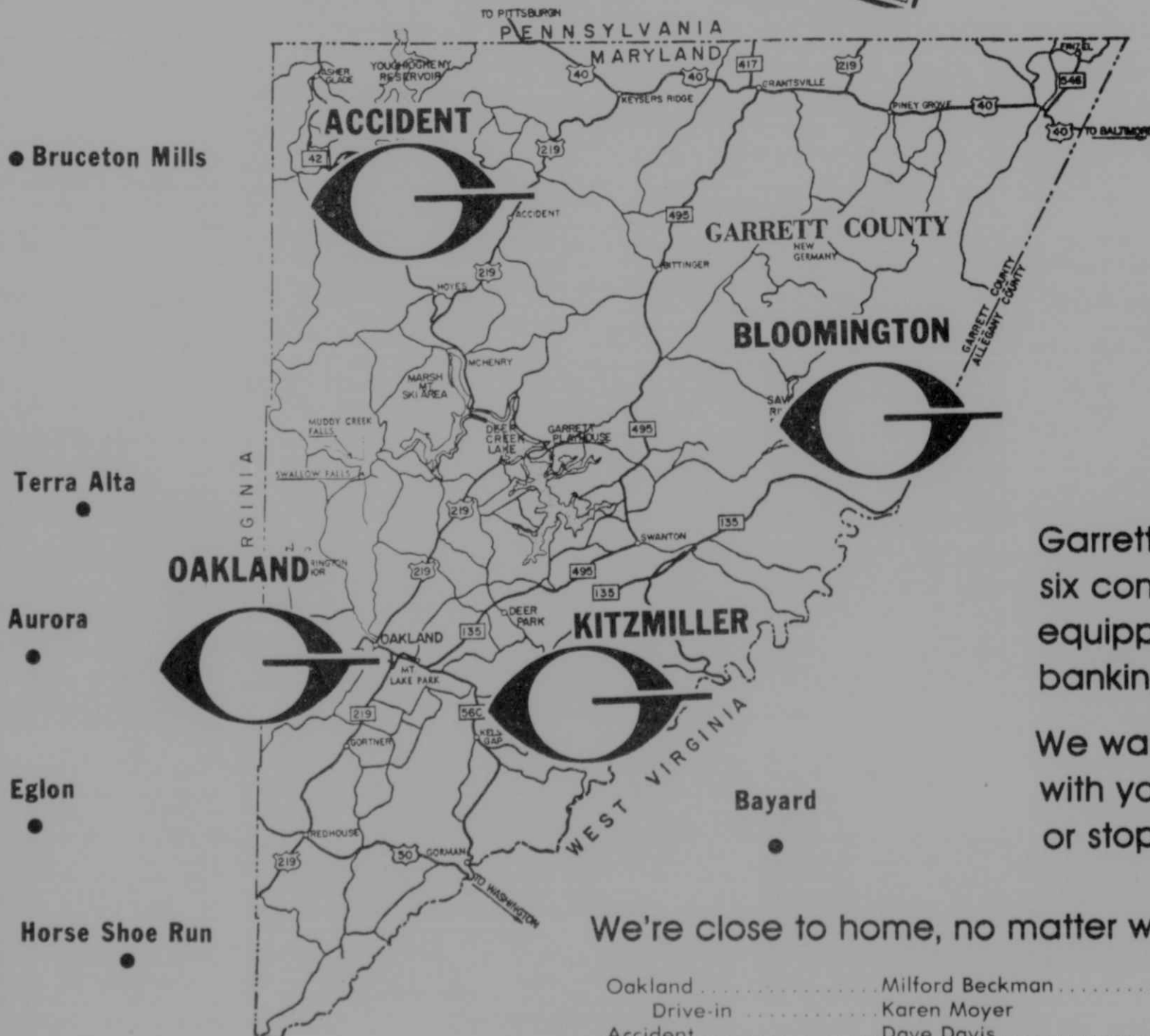
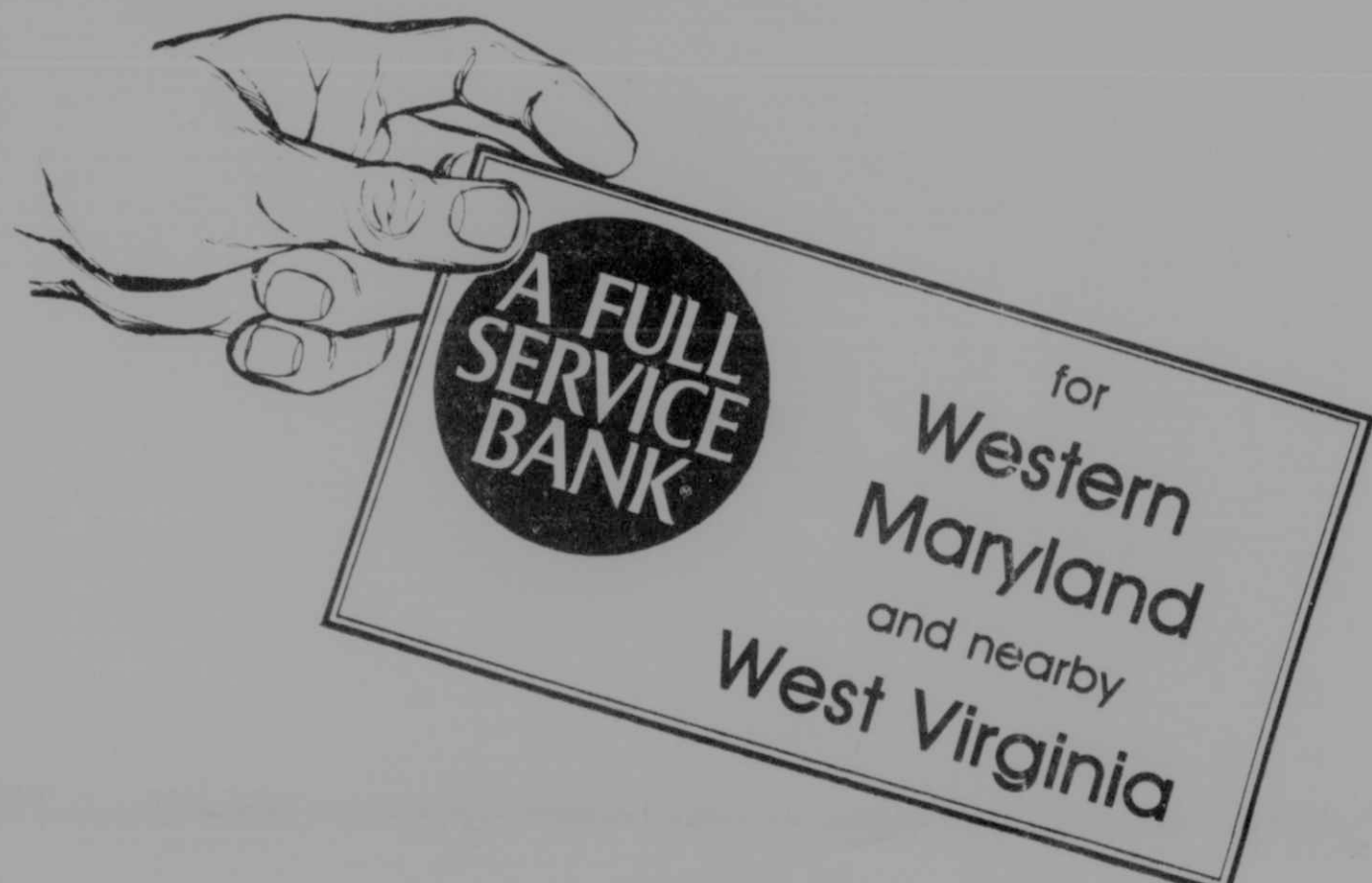
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Marion County — 112.86 acres near Grant Town. Young timber on half the acreage. Jeep or 4 wheel drive access. Mostly fenced. Good for hunting or vacation camp. Call for details.

Snow Shoe Ski Area — 317 acre farm within one mile of Snow Shoe Ski Area in Pocahontas Co., W.V. Frontage on Rt. 219. Improved with farm house, two barns, cement g. other outbuildings, apple orchard and sugar maple orchard, pond and stream running across width of property. Ideal for motel or ski chalet development... \$125,000.

Mrs. Broadwater Files For Position As Commissioner



Marjorie Blanche Broadwater of Accident has filed on the Democratic ticket for the office of County Commissioner, representing Commissioner District No. 2.

A native of Garrett County, Mrs. Broadwater is a graduate of Accident High School and has attended Frostburg State College and Catherman's Business School.

She was a substitute teacher at Northern High School for eight years; assistant cashier and head teller for the Garrett National Bank for seven years, and is presently assistant to the business director of Garrett Community College, a position she has held for the past six years.

Her husband, Guy E. Broadwater, is a dairy and beef farmer and a veteran of World War II. Their children are daughter Patricia, registered nurse in Lake Park, Fla., and Gary E. Broadwater, a dairy farmer. They have three grandchildren.

Mrs. Broadwater is a daughter of Mrs. Carrie B. Brobst, Accident, and the late Coramany G. Brobst. She is a member of the Bear Creek Church of the Brethren, and has taught a Sunday School class of young adults there.

RESA Plans Public Seminar On Energy

"Renewable Energy Alternatives for Western Maryland" is the theme of a public seminar designed to acquaint the area's citizens with the various renewable energy sources and their appropriate uses. Sponsored by the Regional Education Service Agency (RESA) of Appalachian Maryland, the program will be a one-day forum followed by three evening workshops.

According to Anthony South, the program director, the energy sources to be explored are solar, wind, methane and wood.

The one-day meeting will be held March 4, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., at the Western Maryland Vocational Resource Center in Cresaptown.

The evening workshops will be held March 13, 20 and 27, starting at 7 p.m., and running until 10:30 p.m., at the Resource Center.

The workshops will be designed to address the specific energy needs of the audience. The workshops will be conducted by technical consultants who have experience with the different energy sources.

The three types of energy applications will be residential; commercial, industrial and institutional; and agricultural.

"In the near future, home owners, public officials and the business community will be faced with the need to exercise technical judgments in these energy matters," South said. He noted that new technologies for alternate power sources are presently under consideration for home use. "Seminar participants will be able to assess the merits of utilizing one energy form over another," Mr. South added.

The program is being presented by RESA as a community service and is intended for all interested persons.

South said that there would be no charge for the one-day seminar or for the three workshops. Funding for the program is provided in part by the Maryland State Board for Higher Education Under Title IA of the Higher Education Act of 1965.

Program assistance is being offered by the Maryland State Department of Education and the University of Maryland, Department of Agricultural Engineering.

Inquiries should be directed to Mr. South, Regional Education Service Agency, 13202 6th Avenue, Cresaptown, Md.; phone 729-1604.

Four Children's Movies Slated At Library Saturday

"The Ski Wheelers," "A Good Deed in Time," "The Magician" and "Johnny Appleseed" are the movies to be shown at the Ruth Enlow Library on Saturday, February 18, at 1:30 p.m. Admission is free.

New books on the library shelves include a number of enjoyable biographies and volumes of reminiscences. Among them are Agatha Christie's "An Autobiography," Charles Lindbergh's "Autobiography of Values," "The Melodion" by Glendon Swarthout, "All My Meadows" by Patricia Leimbach, "Tolkien: a Biography" by Humphrey Carter, "Myself When Young" by Daphne Dumaier, "At Random" by Bennett Cerf and "A Great and Glorious Romance: The Story of Carl Sandburg and Lillian Steichen" by Helga Sandburg.

People in the world of entertainment are featured in "Changing" by Liv Ullmann, "Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks" by Borton Herndon, "The Beatles Forever" by Nicholas Schaffner and "Getting to Know Him: a Biography of Oscar Hammerstein II" by Hugh Fordin.

James Stanton Is Candidate For Register of Wills



James R. ("Smokey") Stanton announced today his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the office of Register of Wills of Garrett County.

Mr. Stanton, a native of Garrett County, resides in Oakland with his wife, Sandra, and is the son of Mr. Robert and Berylne Stanton.

A Vietnam era veteran of the U. S. Army, Mr. Stanton graduated from Southern High School in 1965, and completed schooling at Potomac State College and West Virginia University prior to entering the service. Now employed as administrator of the Garrett

County Health Department, he completed his master's degree at West Virginia University in social work with an emphasis in Public Administration in 1976.

Presently serving as President of the Oakland Town Council, Mr. Stanton was elected to a two year term of the Oakland Mayor and Town Council. He is a member of the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department, Oakland-Mt. Lake Park Lions Club, and is Chairman of the Oakland Planning Commission.

Other county-wide activities include member of the Garrett County Memorial Hospital Board of Governors, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Appalachian Adult Activities Center, and member of the Health Systems Agency of Western Maryland. He has served as consultant to various local, state and national groups, both private and governmental.

Clifford DeWitt Files For Clerk Of Circuit Court



Clifford C. DeWitt, of Crellin, has filed this week as a Republican candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court for Garrett County, Mr.

DeWitt has been a Deputy Clerk in that office for the past 18 years and has been Chief Deputy Clerk since April, 1976, under Richard L. Davis, present Clerk, who will be retiring this year. He is a member of the Maryland State Court's Clerks Association and has completed several courses in Court Management at the University of Maryland.

Mr. DeWitt is a native of Garrett County, a graduate of Southern High School, and is a member of the Crellin Assembly of God Church. He served two years in the U. S. Army. He also plays for the Messenger's Quartet, a local gospel quartet that has sung throughout this area.

Richard L. Davis will serve as his campaign Treasurer.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1978

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

Although the town crews of Oakland have done a wonderful job in keeping the streets open and almost free of snow, due to severe weather conditions, it has become necessary to avoid traveling the alleys. The day we, employees

of Southern Sanitation, stopped traveling the alleys, it was announced on the radio by Terry King that all garbage should be set out in containers on the front street.

There hasn't been a week that we haven't run our regular routes. A couple of times, due to severe cold weather, Southern Sanitation was a day or two behind schedule, but it was made up before the weekend.

Anyone desiring to have their garbage picked up will have to put it on a front street until the snow melts and we can get through the alleys once again with our trucks.

Sincerely,
Roy J. Zimmerman,
manager and driver for
Southern Sanitation

Dear Editor:

Stop! Stop! Stop commercial developers from making our Garrett County into a typical coal mining county.

Four, five, six acres of bare, ugly, macadam parking lots should no longer be permitted. Junkyards need not be a part of our scenic beauty. Etc. etc. Modern counties, such as Fairfax County, Va., have ordinances against such sights and enforce them. It is not a great problem to beautify or screen by trees and shrubbery.

Must we forever be behind the times?

The Md. Dept. of Natural Resources has people skilled in landscaping and they are available for our use. They could advise us as to the impact that proposed plans for commercial development would have on the area.

Developers, knowing this, would upgrade those plans before submission.

We Garrett Countians have only to make our desires known. We have only to tell our commissioners — and it will be done.

The cost — perhaps only a commissioner or two.

Sincerely,
Pine Nut

When they visit actual court trials next year, I wonder if they will see the sort of thing I saw in a court last summer. You have my word of honor these facts are true:

Three lawyers were there, young, handsome, well-mannered family men, active in community affairs and politics. Let's call them A, B, and C. Lawyer D wasn't present. He had filed three

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for
Mr. and Mrs. John Bischoff

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Sincerely,
Jennie Mandrovsky

Dear Editor:

I am one of many concerned parents who have children riding school bus #29-A which travels over the county roads of White Church-Steier and Oak Grove-King Wildesen area. Our bus driver is a concerned, careful and dedicated friend to each child he has the responsibility of transporting to and from school, but at times his task is nearly impossible. Bus #29-A leaves between 7:00 and 7:15 a.m. There have been mornings this winter that the bus didn't reach Loch Lynn Elementary School until 9 a.m. What took him so long? The fact that he had to travel through 2 to 4 feet, yes feet, not inches, of snow on the two county roads previously mentioned. At times the temperature was several degrees below zero. What would have been the destiny of our children had the bus stalled? They might have been trapped with no heat for hours, or had the choice of walking a mile or further to reach the next farm house.

I called the County Roads Dept. at 7:20 a.m. this morning (Tuesday) and was told it should be through "any minute". It's 10:05 a.m. and "any minute" hasn't come yet.

In order to be counted as a full day of school, sessions must be held until 1:00 p.m. Why not call school in session at 10:30 or 11 a.m.? This would give the road dept. a chance to get over the roads and open them to one lane traffic.

Are the children of Garrett County so unimportant that their lives and futures mean nothing? This is not the opinion of us parents who have the choice of sending them and risking their lives, or keeping them home safely with us and having them retained in Kindergarten until they are 16 years old!</



\$1000 BOOST — Miss Edith Brock, head librarian for the Ruth Enlow Library in Oakland, accepts a check for \$1000 from Mrs. Ruth Durst and Mrs. Ann Englander, members of the Oakland Civic Club. The generous gift was made possible from proceeds of the annual Charity Ball, sponsored by the Civic Club. Mrs. Durst, pictured center, was co-chairman for the event this year and Mrs. Englander was chairman.

Mason Schedules Hearings On Coal Tax, Utility Costs

Senator Edward J. Mason (R-Allegany-Garrett) will conduct two public hearings Saturday at Allegany Community College, one on the proposed coal tax increase and the other on utility bills.

The first hearing will discuss the coal tax from 9 a.m. to noon in ACC auditorium.

From 1 to 4 p.m., the second hearing will discuss high utility bills and the fuel rate adjustment problem. That hearing will also be held in the college auditorium.

Mason's coal tax bill presently proposes a severance tax of 2½% of the gross value of coal mined each year, although the minimum tax rate would be 30 cents per ton. The tax would not apply to coal mined in Allegany and Garrett counties and used in those counties.

The bill proposes to begin levying the tax January 1, 1979. The tax revenue would be split between the state and counties with each county receiving an amount in proportion to the number of tons

of coal mined in that county.

Mason said he wants to make it very clear that figures in the bill, such as the 2½% of gross value of coal mined, "are anything but hard and fast figures."

He said he is hopeful testimony given at Saturday's hearing "will deal extensively with and be directed to the revenues that can and should be produced by this subject legislation."

He noted this bill was drafted with "a conceptual change which converts the Maryland coal tax from a pure sales tax to a severance tax that is based partially on proceeds derived from the sale of coal that is severed from Allegany and Garrett counties."

For the afternoon hearing concerning increasing utility service costs, Mason has invited the Public Service Commission, Columbia Gas of Maryland, Potomac Edison Company and the Organization for Consumer Justice representatives to the meeting.

He said of particular interest during the hearing will be the fuel adjustment charge, which has continued to increase. He urged anyone with an interest in the utility cost problem to attend.

D. Wayne Carstens Named Fellow In Actuary Society



The Society of Actuaries of the United States has announced that D. Wayne Carstens has been elected a Fellow in the Society.

The Society of Actuaries is the only recognized organization which represents the actuarial profession. There are only 3000 Fellows in the United States and Canada. They work in industry and government consulting and developing pension plans, insurance plans, employee benefits, etc.

This honor for Wayne is the culmination of seven years of self study and discipline. During this period, he has been employed by Lincoln National Life Insurance Co., in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, where he was a part of their Actuarial Training Program. Wayne is now Director of Health Actuarial operations and is responsible for Lincoln National Life Individual Health Insurance operations.

Wayne is married to the former Connie Kay Deister of Ft. Wayne, and has one son, Adam, two years old. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carstens of McHenry, and will be visiting with his family during Winterfest.

Oakland Personals

Mrs. Bernice Gaither, Pennington Street, is a patient at Garrett County Memorial Hospital recuperating from a broken hip and shoulder. She fell on the ice last Wednesday night. She underwent hip surgery.

Mrs. Mary Crowe, Mt. Lake Park, and Mrs. Ross Crowe, Gortner, attended the funeral of Melvin Keim in Front Royal, Va. last Saturday.

Mrs. Marvin Jones spent the first part of the week in Elkins, W. Va. where she visited her mother, Mrs. C. H. McGee, who is a hospital patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett James and daughter were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert James, Swanton; Mr. and Mrs. John Foley and Mrs. Hester Foley, Oakland.

Mrs. Jack Goltfety, Memorial Drive, fell while roller skating Saturday and broke four bones in her left wrist and hand.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hanst and two children, Baltimore, and Mrs. Jane Burks and four children, Elkins, W. Va., were weekend visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hanst, South Third Street. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Decker, Cumberland, were Tuesday overnight guests.

Clear Days Are Welcome Change In Weather

Several clear days were a welcome change from continued snow of the previous weeks. This was broken again with another eight inches of snow late Monday. Temperatures averaged several degrees below normal.

Skies were clear or mostly so from last Thursday through Sunday. There were, however, a few flurries Saturday morning. Clouds began to gather Monday morning becoming overcast with the snow beginning to fall about 3 p.m. By Tuesday morning it had tapered off the light snow or flurries and remaining cloudy the rest of the day. Yesterday began cloudy but clouds broke and skies were clear late in the afternoon. Clouds gathered overnight with a very light snow falling this morning.

Temperatures averaged 13.9 degrees below normal. Highs averaged 27.7 degrees or 12.7 below normal. The highest was last Thursday's 34 degrees. Other highs have been in the upper 20s. Lows averaged 3.1 degrees or 15.1 below normal. The lowest was a minus 20 degrees last Friday and minus



FREE PARKING FOR OAKLAND — New "Kwik Park" signs at designated spots around Oakland will allow shoppers to make quick purchases without the added inconvenience of feeding a meter. The free parking was instigated by Mayor H. D. Swartzentruber and councilmen at a recent meeting, and are placed strategically around the town for shoppers' convenience.

14 Saturday. The mercury sank into the teens or lower every morning.

Precipitation totaled 44 inch for the week with all falling as the eight inches of snow Monday night. Snowfall so far this month totals 11.8 inches. The total for the 1977-78 season is 99.7 inches to date.

The snow emergency was in effect late Monday and early Tuesday but no particular difficulties were encountered.

Husky Halls

By Pam Butler
And Judy Detrick

William P. Ewing Director of Admissions from Garrett Community College will visit Northern from February 27 to March 3 to speak with the Sr. High English classes. He will discuss GCC programs and answer questions. A later date will be set for Mr. Ewing to speak with individual students.

Movie Shown

The movie *The Computer Wore Tennis Shoes* was shown to the student body on Thursday, February 9. Sr. High students saw the movie periods 1 and 2. Jr. High students viewed the movie periods 5 and 6. This was a reward for the

THANK YOU

Eternal gratitude and heartfelt thanks to all the kind people, neighbors, friends, firemen, and the rescue squad, who were so generous with their assistance during our recent fire.

Sincerely,
THE FRED TICHNELL
FAMILY

Admission is \$2.00 single and \$3.00 couple. Dress for the dance is semiformal. Students from Northern and Southern in grades 9 thru 12 are invited. King, Queen, and Princesses will be selected.

Test Results

Group interpretation of the ASVAB test were held on February 13 for girls and

February 14 for boys.

ACT Test

The closing date for April 1 ACT is March 3. Interested Jrs. and Srs. should see Mr. Tomas for application packet. Any Jr. planning to apply for admission to a U. S. Service Academy next year should plan to take the April ACT or the May SAT.

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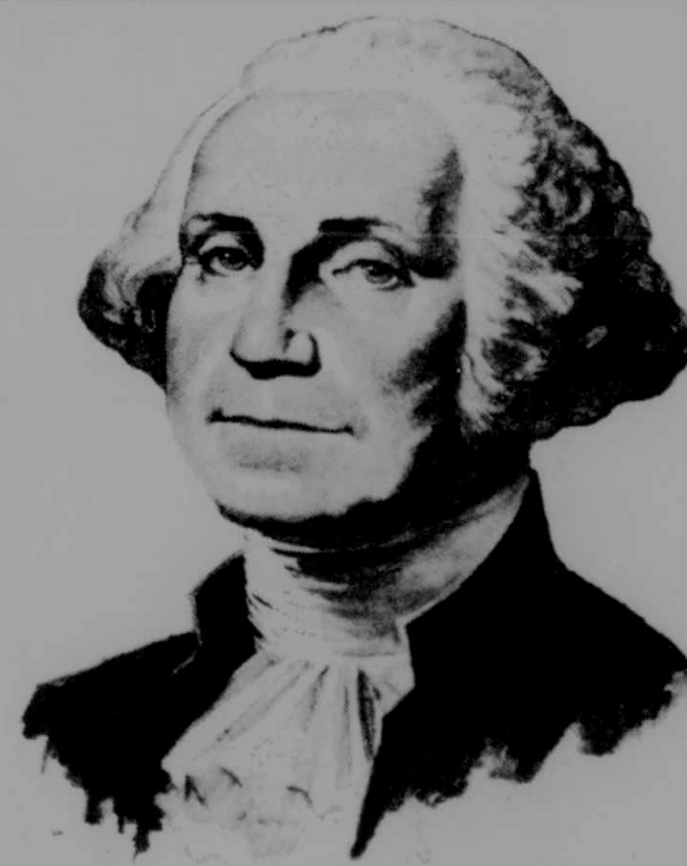
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Yakapah Garbobo Day —

Fun For The Whole Family

By Charity Janssen

On Sunday, March 5, at 12:00 noon, skiers will assemble at Wisp Ski Area in holiday costume to celebrate the eleventh annual Yakapah Garbobo Day, a day dedicated to spring skiing and general merrymaking.

For the last several years Yakapah Garbobo Day has been held as part of Wintertest festivities. This year Wisp Ski Club is sponsoring the Yakapah Day costume parade and fun races in connection with Wintertest. Parade and races are scheduled for 12:00 noon with registration beginning at 10:00 a.m., in front of the lodge at Wisp.

Numbers and parade instructions will be given participants at that time. Gold, silver, and bronze Orders of Yakapah will be presented for the three best costumed entries in Adult, Child and Group categories. Entries will be judged on originality and representation of the spirit of spring skiing.

The original Yakapah Garbobo Day was an outgrowth of the efforts of several ski patrol members and members of the Western Maryland Ski Club (parent club of the present Wisp Ski Club.) These skiers in searching for a way to celebrate the last days of winter decided to center the

activities around an unusual ski patrolman, Yakapah Garbobo, brainchild of Dr. William Savage, patrol member.

Yakapah, as the story went around the patrol shack, signed the patrol roster faithfully each morning and evening, reporting for duty on the slopes of Wisp each weekend during the season of winter 1968. Little by little, details of this extraordinary skier became known. According to Dr. Savage, Yakapah, of royal Rumanian background, was allowed the privilege of serving the patrol in absentia because of his exalted heritage. The fact that

no one had ever seen him was attributed to certain peculiar talents which only certain royal Rumanians possessed.

As winter wore on, skepticism ran high as to the existence of this skier, until patrol members found posted on their roster board, a picture of Yakapah, who although bearing a striking resemblance to Doc Savage's family dog, nevertheless wore the authentic jacket, pack and goggles of the ski patrol. Since the existence of Yakapah had been proven, it was decided to honor this personage at the first annual ski celebration dedicated to the "first, worst day of spring skiing."

The Orders of Yakapah that first year were given to Judge Fred Thayer, his son, Rick, and friends who earned the gold medal for descending the mountain in a yellow rubber life raft. Guy Hinebaugh was presented the silver medal after he successfully negotiated the slopes on a "spare" wooden log strapped to his back. The bronze medal was presented to Mrs. Martha Lou Ashby for her unusual costume of bathrobe and haircurlers. She was heard explaining later

that it was "pretty hard to get five boys to the slopes on time" and that nobody had told her it was going to be a costume event.

The first event was so successful that Yakapah himself, still bearing a resemblance to the family dog, continues to appear in person each year complete with his royal entourage and interpreter. The events have been enlarged to include fun races such as the "swallow," where the skiers down a beverage at each ski gate, a three-legged race, a couple's race and more.

Costumes have ranged from group entries such as the Oregon Ridge Ski Patrol's entry of a Roman Legion, complete with toga clad slave girls, trumpets and litter-borne emperors to an "outhouse" on skis. There have been colorful clowns, dazzling damsels, riotous roosters and once a small sailboat under sail.

If all this sounds slightly crazy — it is and is meant to be. All of it adds up to an afternoon of fun for the whole family. Wisp Ski Club invites any and all to come and join in the festivities. Rummage around in your Aunt Annie's

attic, dress up all the kids and come help celebrate the end of winter, the beginning of spring and Yakapah Garbobo Day.

Three Larcenies Are Under Investigation

Members of the Garrett County sheriff's department were called to investigate several incidents in the past few days, including three larcenies and a destruction of property.

William Friend, Star Route 2, Oakland, reported that while his car was parked along Route 39 near Crellin on the night of the 13th, someone took his CB radio and a tape tray. Total loss value was set at \$189.95.

Thomas Harsh, E. Oak Street, Oakland, reported that a larceny occurred while his vehicle was on the parking lot of Deep Creek Lodge the night of January 28. According to his report, clothing valued at \$383 was taken from the back seat of the car, which was unlocked. The larceny was reported just this week to the law officers.

Donna Brant, Star Route 1, Oakland, reported that someone had entered and ransacked her trailer home near Sand Flat on February 9. The only items she could find missing were approximately \$1 in change, and some food from the refrigerator.

Two snowmobiles caused extensive damage to pine trees in the yard of Lewis Boone, Grantsville, on February 12. Mr. Boone estimated damage at \$60 to his property.

Cancer Meeting Postponed A Week

The meeting of the Board of Directors for the Garrett County unit of the American Cancer Society scheduled for February 13 has been postponed until next Monday, February 20.

The meeting will be held at 8 p.m., in the board room of Garrett Memorial Hospital.

Few Criminal Cases Are Heard

Few criminal cases were heard in District Court during the week ending February 15. Judge Lewis R. Jones presided at three cases, one of which is being continued.

James Darrell Boyce, Kitzmiller, has been charged on two counts. He is charged with assault on Michael E. Hershberger at Kitzmiller January 29. Boyce is also charged with robbery of Hershberger's wallet containing money and other items at the same time. Boyce is being held on \$500 bond and the case has been sent to Circuit Court.

Catherine P. Halterman, Bradley Manor, Oakland, is charged with false pretense by passing a worthless check. The case was set with full restitution to be made.

Annual Radiothon To Be Aired On Heart Sunday

Shirley Hinebaugh, local Heart Chairman for the American Heart Association — Western Maryland Chapter, has announced the annual Radio-Thon-Talent Show, held in conjunction with Heart Sunday, will be held again this year from 1:00-4:00 p.m. on "Heart Sunday," February 19. The headquarters for the show and pledge call-ins, as well as volunteer Heart Sunday collections, will be in the cafeteria of Southern High School.

Heart Sunday volunteer workers have begun collecting and will bring or call their results to their chairmen at the headquarters on the 19th.

Mrs. Hinebaugh reported there will be many various forms of entertainment at the Radio-thon which will be broadcast over WMSG. Persons interested in helping or having questions should call her at 334-9888 or 334-3316.

Record Amount Of Gasoline Used In State During '77

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein announced today that a record 2,007,325,986 gallons of gasoline were used in Maryland during 1977. "This is the first year that more than 2 billion gallons of gasoline have been consumed in Maryland," Mr. Goldstein said.

The Comptroller noted that gasoline consumption in the state had reached the record level despite signs of a leveling off of consumption growth during October and November 1977.

"The 177.9 million gallons of gasoline used during December 1977 reversed the stabilizing trend, reflecting a substantial increase over the 169.6 million gallons consumed during December 1976," Mr. Goldstein said. "Gasoline consumption in Maryland during December 1977 was the second highest of any single month."

The consumption record for a single month was also set in 1977, when 180,425,979 gallons of gasoline were consumed during August 1977.

Motor vehicle fuel taxes have yielded \$116,226,978 in revenue for the first six months of Fiscal Year 1978, a 3.77 percent increase over the \$112,000,540 received during the same period of the previous fiscal year.

"A total of \$114,195,524 from this revenue has been distributed to the Transportation Trust Fund of the Maryland Department of Transportation during the first six months of Fiscal Year 1978. That's 3.88 percent more than the \$109,844,168 distributed to the fund at this same time last year," Mr. Goldstein said. "Part of this money is redistributed by the Department of Transportation to Maryland subdivisions."

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- Close public museums, art galleries, and historic buildings which require heating and lighting
- Operate stores and other places of business for no more than six days a week with a maximum of 54 hours of operation a week.

Here's what residential customers can do to continue conserving electricity at home during this emergency:

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Gerry H. Smith Named Manager At Browning's



Frank Biser, Jr., manager of the Oakland store of Browning's Foodland, Inc., recently announced the promotion of Gerry H. Smith, Jr. to the position of Front End Manager for the Oakland market. His duties will include supervising all cashiers and packers, scheduling, money control, front end operations, customer and employee relations, and customer service.

According to Mr. Biser, "Gerry's initiative and ambition to better himself has played a major factor in his success with the company. He has always had a healthy attitude and is quite an asset to the store as well as the entire company."

Mr. Smith started with the company in June 1974 as a part-time bag packer while still attending high school. After his graduation from Southern High School in 1976, he worked at the Warehouse Outlet, then transferred to the Oakland Foodland for full-time training in front end operational procedures.

Mr. Smith's interests include water and snow skiing, golfing, and fishing. He resides at 718 Oak Street, Oakland.

Ohiopyle Man Killed In Collision Tuesday With Fratz' Trailer

An Ohioyle man was killed and his wife injured in a collision with a tractor-trailer owned by W. H. Fratz, Inc. of Accident, early Tuesday, February 14, in Uniontown.

Ralph L. Whipkey, 36, of Chalk Hill Road, died shortly after arriving at Uniontown Hospital following the 2:37 a.m. wreck. His wife Loretta, 37, was admitted and listed in good condition at the hospital, suffering minor head injuries.

Harry Vaughn Vitez, 26, of Accident, driver of the tractor-trailer rig, was not injured. The tractor sustained over \$1,000 worth of damage.

Uniontown police said the accident occurred at the intersection of East Main Street and Crossland Avenue, apparently after Whipkey's car slid on the slushy pavement on a curve at the intersection.

The driver's side of the car struck the front of the rig. Mr. Whipkey was owner of Key Aviation, the fixed base operator at Connellsville Airport. Mr. Whipkey, a licensed pilot, operated the firm which sold fuel to aircraft, operated a repair service and offered flight instruction.

Uniontown ambulance personnel attempted to revive Mr. Whipkey enroute to the hospital and further attempts at the facility were unsuccessful. Funeral arrangements are being handled by the Brooks Funeral Home at Connellsville.

To Sing At Rosedale

Miss Linda Babb, Johnson City, Tenn., a singing evangelist, will be speaking and singing at the Rosedale United Pentecostal Church on Tuesday, February 21.

Rev. Ralph Jacks invites the public.



trends by jim willis



We went to do our laundry the other evening — what a mistake! It took hours! After renting a U-haul, we drove to the laundromat, which is next door to our apartment. I've decided since then, that fellow patrons of the local suds shops are not very cooperative—they are extremely possessive of the machines. As we staggered in with our 12 baskets of laundry, the soap section of the local grocery store, and our carpeting, three women threw themselves on top of a row of empty washers. "Oh no you don't," one of them said accusingly, "we know your type." I ignored them as I stuffed my bedding into a double-loader. "Kristin," I inquired, "should a mattress be washed in cold water?" She gave me a pained look.

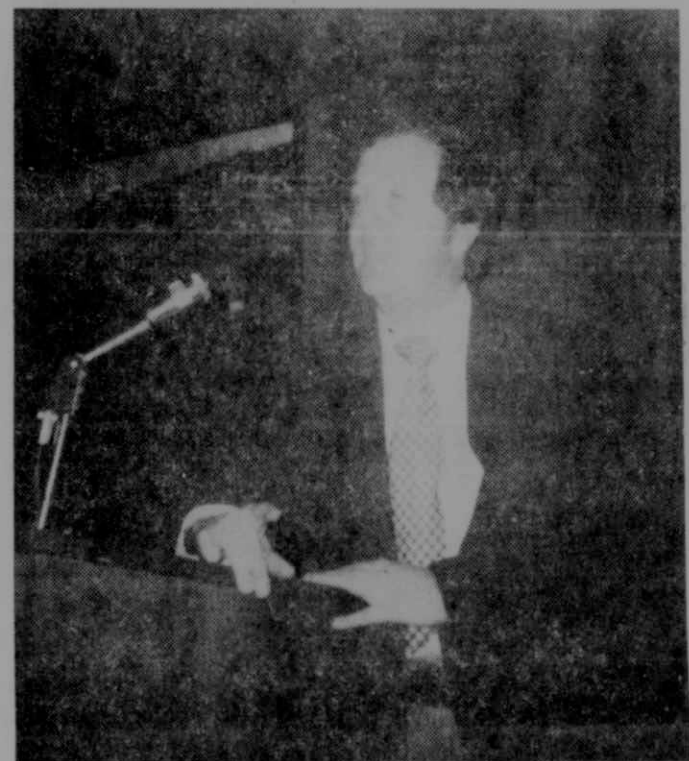
You can get very bored in a laundromat, but it is always fun to watch how the other customers are combatting their boredom. I watched two young girls doing the California Shuffle to the rinse cycle of a Maytag. I observed a harried housewife trying to

extricate her five-year-old from the centrifuge spinning machine. Another lady was preparing a crock pot dinner for her family, and two thugs were trying to remove the coin box from the pop machine — they were two and three years old, respectively.

There is always at least one strange person in every laundromat, and this one was no exception. This guy was sitting in a chair with his feet propped up, a can of beer in one hand, hot dog in the other, and he was cheering on a front-loading washing machine. Obviously an avid sports fan.

Laundromats can be dangerous places. I've learned never to turn my back on one. While in the middle of doing the wash, a gigantic hand, connected to a huge arm, came plummeting out of my washer and grabbed the fabric softener right out of my hand. Some weirdo in a chain mail outfit on a white horse, charged me with a lance and turned my expensive color-coordinated sheets white.

Yoder Addresses Lions on H.B. 647



Guest speaker at the February 13 meeting of the Oakland-Mt. Lake Park Lions Club was Gary Yoder, capital programs administrator for the Department of Natural Resources. Mr. Yoder is presently assigned to Deep Creek Lake's management program. His topic was House Bill 647 and management of Deep Creek Lake by the Department of Natural Resources. Born in Cumberland, Mr. Yoder obtained a B.A. degree in journalism and M.A. degree in counseling and guidance from W.V.U. He worked five years as a policeman for the Department of Natural Resources on Deep Creek Lake, and taught at Garrett Community College before accepting his present DNR position.

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Mrs. Wagner Is Heart Chairman For Fund Drive



Mrs. James A. (Nina) Wagner, McHenry, has accepted the position of Heart Sunday chairman for the McHenry, Accident, Bittinger and Cove areas, according to Charlie Miller, general chairman for the Northern Garrett County American Heart Association, Western Maryland chapter.

Mrs. Wagner has been chairman of these areas for the past nine years and has also worked as a volunteer. Mrs. Wagner is an active member of the Mt. Top Christian Assembly, Mt. Lake Park. She and her husband live in McHenry with their three children.

Heart Sunday will be

February 19 from 1 to 4 p.m., in conjunction with the annual radiothon at Southern High School. Heart Sunday headquarters will be at the home of Mrs. Wagner for her chairmen and other volunteers.

Mrs. Wagner will be assisted in Accident by Mrs. Anna Mary Fratz, business chairman and residential volunteers Jimmy Illick, Mrs. Wayne Fike and Sharon Fike. At Cove, Mrs. Walter Margroff and Mrs. Kathy Margroff are business and residential chair-

men. For Bittinger, Mrs. Joyce Brennenman is business chairman, Mrs. Yvonne Miller residential. Mrs. Betty Gibellino will be business chairman for McHenry, assisted by Mrs. Sharon Perando, Miss Sheila Wagner, Mrs. Sarah Ramsey, resident volunteers.

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The One and Only, [PG], Henry Winkler is Andy Schmidt, who is positive that he's the one and only. The problem is that the only other person who realizes it is Kim Darby who plays his wife — as the advertisement reads, "she

married him, because she was too ashamed to date him." Even she has her doubts however, when Andy fails at a Broadway acting career and starts to share camaraderie with an assortment of freaks and sideshow attractions. Milton the midget is one of these. He is portrayed with fervor by 3' 11", Herve Villechaize who combats short-people jokes with some mildly risqué humor.

Bea Arthur's actor-director husband, Gene Sacks, adds some amusing New York flavor to the role of a tough promoter. For all of its tender story line, this Carl Reiner film is hilarious and Henry Winkler as the fey superstar hopeful in wig and pink tights is a wonderful characterization of comic relief.

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Faculty Forum

By Kristin Milne
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Possibly one of the most hotly debated bones of contention among faculty members universal — present company not excepted — divides "The Jocks" against "The Bookworms", with no one

keeping score. Not wanting to rely on labels, let us assume "The Jocks" constitutes those individuals who are unflagging athletic supporters (really, no pun intended) and "The Bookworms" embodies those individuals dedicated to the proposition that all elements of the curriculum were created equal, with strong minds being just as important, and at times

more so, as strong bodies. I know of no teacher of either side who, at one time or another, has not exchanged either locker room or academic slurs, respectively. It is not uncommon for a basketball coach to be a miserable speller, nor is it impossible to imagine the Shakespeare enthusiast totally baffled when confronted with a complex field maneuver. As long as the Physical Education Department sticks to diagramming football plays and the English Department remains absorbed in diagramming sentences, then all's well that

ends well. The trouble begins when the two opposing "teams" clash. It then takes on the air of departmental dueling, with each side considering itself to the immovable object surmounting a stoppable force. All of this is a roundabout way of getting to this point: such bloody combat is currently raging through Southern Middle School, making it an interesting, if not awesome, place to work for the past few weeks.

So what has this to do with teachers in other schools not remotely connected with the goings-on in the middle school? Simply this: it is growing apparent that the shell-shocked folks in that school need some unbiased advice on how to settle the problem without wiping out the teaching staff altogether. Suggestions anyone?

The issue is not whether gymnastics is "better" than algebra. The affray concerns whether or not to instate interscholastic sports (teams playing other teams from other schools) or to fulfill the need for team sports solely through an intense intramurals program. To date, no one has scored any definite winning or losing points for either side of the debate. Some valid persuasive thoughts to ponder have been confronted, though.

I have listened to as many arguments pro and con as can be conceived by the human brain. I pass on to you the three outstanding arguments for honest appraisal. There is one drawback to either stand

on this issue, and that is the position documented by the Board of Education that interscholastic sports, as part of the middle school philosophy, may or may not have a part in the curriculum there. Confusing?

The Jocks view interscholastic sports as a natural extension to intramurals. There is no reason on God's green Earth why any boy should be denied the privilege of further developing his skills by competing against the best that other schools have to offer. This is one of the more reliable methods of proving oneself: if you can beat the best, then you are the best. Kind of a paraphrase of Muhammad Ali's creed.

As to the financial side of things, there's no call for despair: support groups from all over the county have the clout and drive to pursue the arrival of more teams to the area. I say teams, with an accent on the plural: what goes for Southern Middle must apply to Northern Middle as well. Besides, any fool knows that the cost of creating teams will more than pay for itself when the audience (adult) sees the delight in the faces of these budding athletes and exuberant pint-sized fans as they tackle the opponent from the field, floor, or stands.

And who's to say that a few missed classes will demolish the academic progress of the junior stars? A prerequisite for all team members would be a respectable scholastic standing in all classes. There would be

no exceptions to this rule, and every effort will be made to enforce this policy. On the whole, interscholastic sports would be an extra-curricular activity; nevertheless, an occasional game should be scheduled during school hours to keep up the spirit of things and to give those kids who can not play on the team or attend most games due to reasons of proximity, home duties, etc., to see their boys in action.

Boys? Did I say Boys? Excuse me — girls are to be included as well. It may take a while to persuade the money-makers to lend an equal hand to the females, but let's not rule out the possibilities. A girls' football team? Well, who knows at this point. Let's just say that "powderpuff" sports (whatever that means) could just as easily become a reality if those who will be involved are willing to get out and work for it.

The Bookworms oppose interscholastic sports by declaring that they (sports) will, without question, cost too much. Additional coaches' salaries, meager as they are, must be purchased, either indoor or outdoor — no one is sure at this time which sport will reign supreme: football, basketball, Musical Chairs? The possibilities are myriad. Scoreboards, uniforms, insurance, money for bus transportation for players and from games (while all class field trips no longer are financed), and on and on.

Then there's the one about missed class time. If interscholastic sports were only an extra-curricular endeavor, then no young athlete on the team should have to miss any class time. That's what school is all about anyway, isn't it — reading, writing, New Math? So what happens when the only time the Big Game can be scheduled is at 1:00 in the afternoon, in another school, in another county? Off goes the team with cheerleaders in tow, leaving the Home Economics test on nutrition for a more convenient day. What The Bookworms want to hear is a solemn pledge that no regular class time will be sacrificed to sports, but no sports director can make such an oath.

"Got jock itch?" queries one ad seen in most men's publications. Then scratch it! One of the best remedies for this ailment in a school without means to scratch the itch is to form a team and get out there and play ball. Maybe two or three teams. And here lies another argument: since girls supposedly don't suffer "jock itch," then they must not feel that same urge to satisfy their

competitive sports' abilities, and, therefore, no team allotment is necessary for them. Wrong. Some of you may be offended by the allusion to this personal physical affliction of an intimate nature. There are those Bookworms, however, who find team sports discrimination just as offensive.

So where does this leave us? I won't hazard a guess. I'll tread lightly from here on out lest I be captured and convicted of editorializing. I just wish someone would do something to relieve the strained state of affairs as they presently exist. If the issue is dropped for another year, then The Bookworms win by default. If interscholastic sports are ushered in, The Jocks will not taste the "agony of defeat." If it were simply a philosophical question, then there would not be so much hassle involved in reaching an answer. The only question in my mind remains this: can any proposed alteration in curriculum be worth this ferment if all it succeeds in doing is creating dissension among the ranks?

Child Abuse Cases Increase To 25 In This County

Garrett County's reported cases of child abuse increased from 13 reported cases in 1976 to 25 in 1977, according to figures from the HELP Resource project. The HELP project is a statewide federally funded child abuse and neglect program.

Allegany was one of four Maryland counties with fewer reported cases of child abuse in 1977 than in 1976. The other three are Caroline, Kent and Montgomery.

For the entire state, a total of 2,597 cases of suspected abuse were reported, in comparison to 2,115 cases handled in the previous year. The increase marks the highest annual reporting since the state child abuse law went into effect in 1966.

Curtis L. Decker, director of the HELP Resource project, said he was not surprised at the large number of cases. "While the figures are staggering, they do show a high level of public concern for the safety of children," he said.

Currently, Maryland is one of only three states not having a statute requiring the reporting of child neglect.

The state law says that a person who believes a child is being abused should report the situation to the local department of social services. A bill that would require professionals in the fields of medicine, social work, law enforcement and education to report suspected cases of child neglect or abuse has been introduced in the current session of the General Assembly by Del. Pauline Menes, (D-Prince Georges) and Del. Lucille Maurer (D-Montgomery).

The HELP report says 18 percent of the cases in Maryland, or 464, involved sexual abuse, an increase from the 292 cases, or 14 percent, of the 1976 total.

Deaths of nine children were attributed directly to maltreatment, down from 16 the year before.

Allegany County's reported cases dropped from 42 in 1976 to 33 in 1977. Of the four westernmost counties, Washington showed the greatest

number of cases, 82, up from 55 the previous year.

Frederick's 1977 number of reported cases was 50, up from 33 in 1976.

The largest number of reported cases, as well as the greatest increase, was in the Baltimore metropolitan area, comprised of Baltimore city, Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford and Howard counties, where 1,509 cases were reported, up from 1,192 in the previous year.

Husband and Wife

Art Work Shown At Local Library

A husband and wife art exhibit is currently on display at the Ruth Enlow Library, during the month of February. Artists are Marcus and Carol Oliver, both graduates of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, Va.

The couple moved to Oakland in January 1977 as VISTA volunteers. Marcus enjoys working with the housing program of VISTA, as he majored in architecture. His hobbies include reading, hiking, and outdoor nature activities.

Carol enjoys bicycling, cooking, quilting and other crafts. An art major, she now is working with the VISTA youth program.

Theme of the current exhibit is Christianity, and works are in oils, pencils, charcoals and acrylics.

Art Course To Be Offered At GCC

An Adult Art course will be offered by the Oakland Center of Garrett Community College beginning on February 28, at the Oakland Center of the College on Tuesday evenings from 7:00-10:00 for a total of 12 weeks.

Paintings and drawings will be the main topics of this individualized course. Emphasis will be placed on oil and acrylic paints. The instructor will be Laraine Heise.

The fee for the course is \$20.00 plus materials. Formal registration will be held on Tuesday, February 21, from 7:00-8:00 p.m. at the Oakland Center. Pre-registration is encouraged and may be done through the Oakland Center of the College.

ARMED SERVICES REVIEW

Pfc. Craig D. Hutson was recently promoted to Specialist 4 in the U. S. Army.

Hutson is stationed with the 173rd Aviation Company in Hanau, Germany, where he has been serving since February 1977.

Spec. 4 Hutson recently earned letters of commendation and appreciation for his outstanding contribution as helicopter crew chief in the exercise, Reforger 77 Mission.

Craig is a son of Dan and Caroline Hutson, Swanton, and grandson of L. C. Hutson, Kitzmiller, and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rhodes, Swanton.

He is a 1976 graduate of Southern High School and entered the Army in August of that year.

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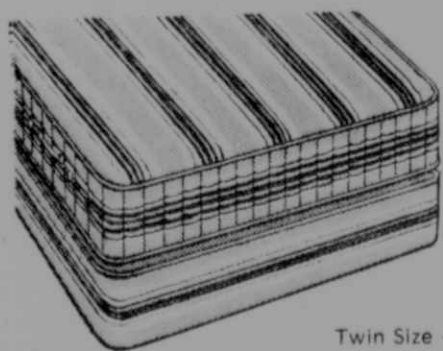


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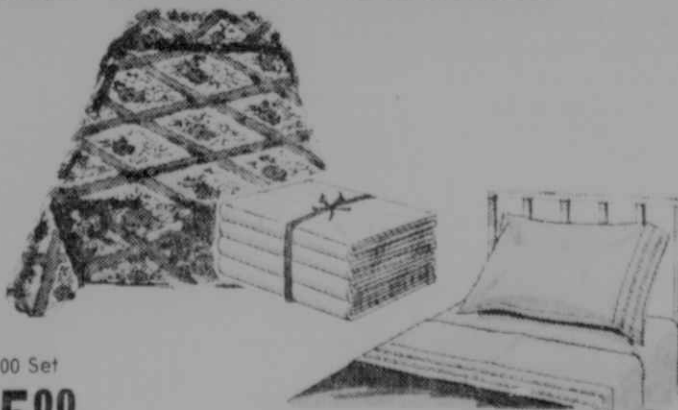
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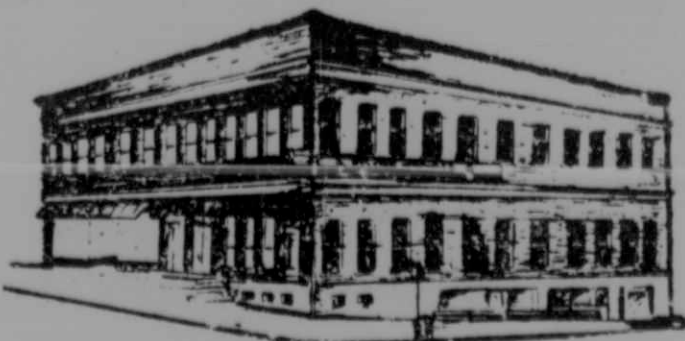
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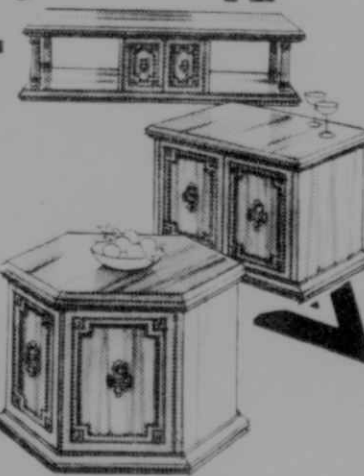
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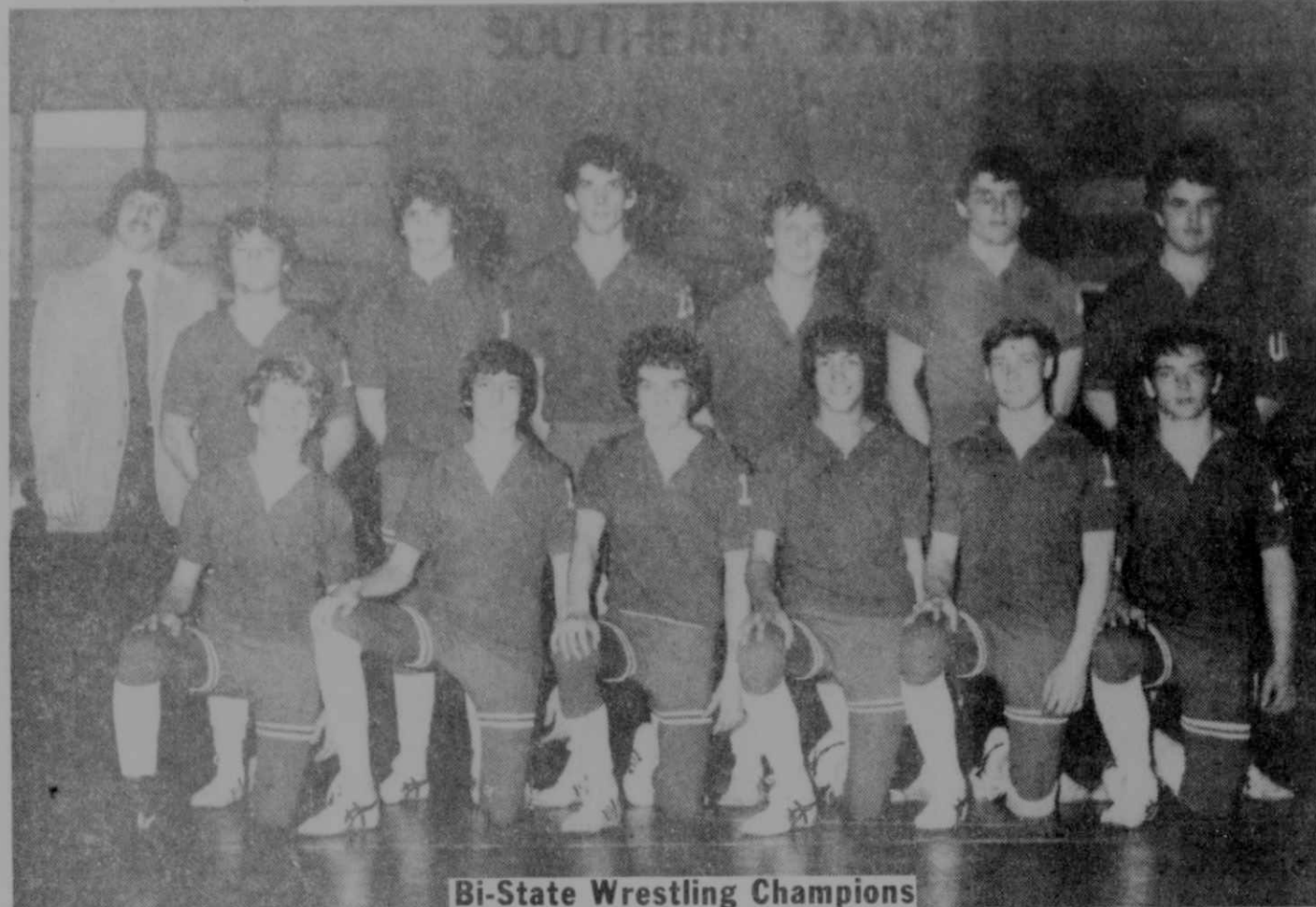


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Southern High Rams Earn Bi-State Wrestling League Championship



Bi-State Wrestling Champions

Top row, left to right: Coach Mike Huddleston, Jim Barnes, Perry Clark, Greg Skiles, Jim Clark, Jeff Hinebaugh. Bottom

row: Bill Herring, Jeff Paolucci, Bob Wolfe, John Hayhurst, Dave Browning and Stan McRobie.

Southern High School's grapplers, logging a better record than they've had in 10 years, pinned county rival Northern High with a score of 38 to 12, Tuesday afternoon at Southern. The win captured the Bi-State Wrestling League championship in only the second year of Coach Mike Huddleston's guidance. The title was the culmination of a three-game streak this week, beginning when Bill Herring and Dave Browning scored pins for the Rams as they wrestled to a 30-20 win over Bruce, Thursday evening at Westernport.

Herring speared Eric Whetzel in the 95-pound class and Browning topped Steve Johnson in the 126-pound class. In the 126-pound class, four Rams, John Hayhurst, John Toston, Stan McRobie and Jim Clark chalked up decisions for Southern.

All three Bruce advantages were by decision and were scored by Harry Duckworth, Rich McKenzie and Mike Watson. Two matches were battled to a stand-off as John McKenzie of Bruce and Southern's Bob Wolfe ended in a 4-4 draw, and Bruce's Keith Lewis and Jeff Hinebaugh of Southern finished with a 1-1 tie.

Then with the smell of victory in the air, Southern moved within one win of the Bi-State honor Saturday by totaling Valley, 38-15 on the Rams' mats. Jim Clark (165) and Jeff Hinebaugh (Unlimited) upped their unbeaten records to 9-0 and 8-0-2,

respectively.

With mounting excitement the Rams met Northern High before Southern's entire student body on Thursday in a title battle which gave Southern a 6-1 league standing at the finish. Allegany and Beall tied with identical records of 5-1-1.

The Rams finished out their regular season with an overall 8-1-1 and the triumph over Northern was Southern's first in six matches.

During the championship match, Southern scored four pins and four decisions while the Huskies gleaned three decisions from the contest. One match ended in a tie with Ram, Perry Clark and Northern's Kurt Lear battling to a 3-3 stalemate.

Scoring pins for Southern were Jeff Paolucci over Dale Carpenter, Dave Browning over Brent Breneman, John Toston over Rick Yommer and Jim Clark over Lenny Yommer. Ram decisions were by Bob Wolfe, Stan McRobie, Jim Barnes and Jeff Hinebaugh.

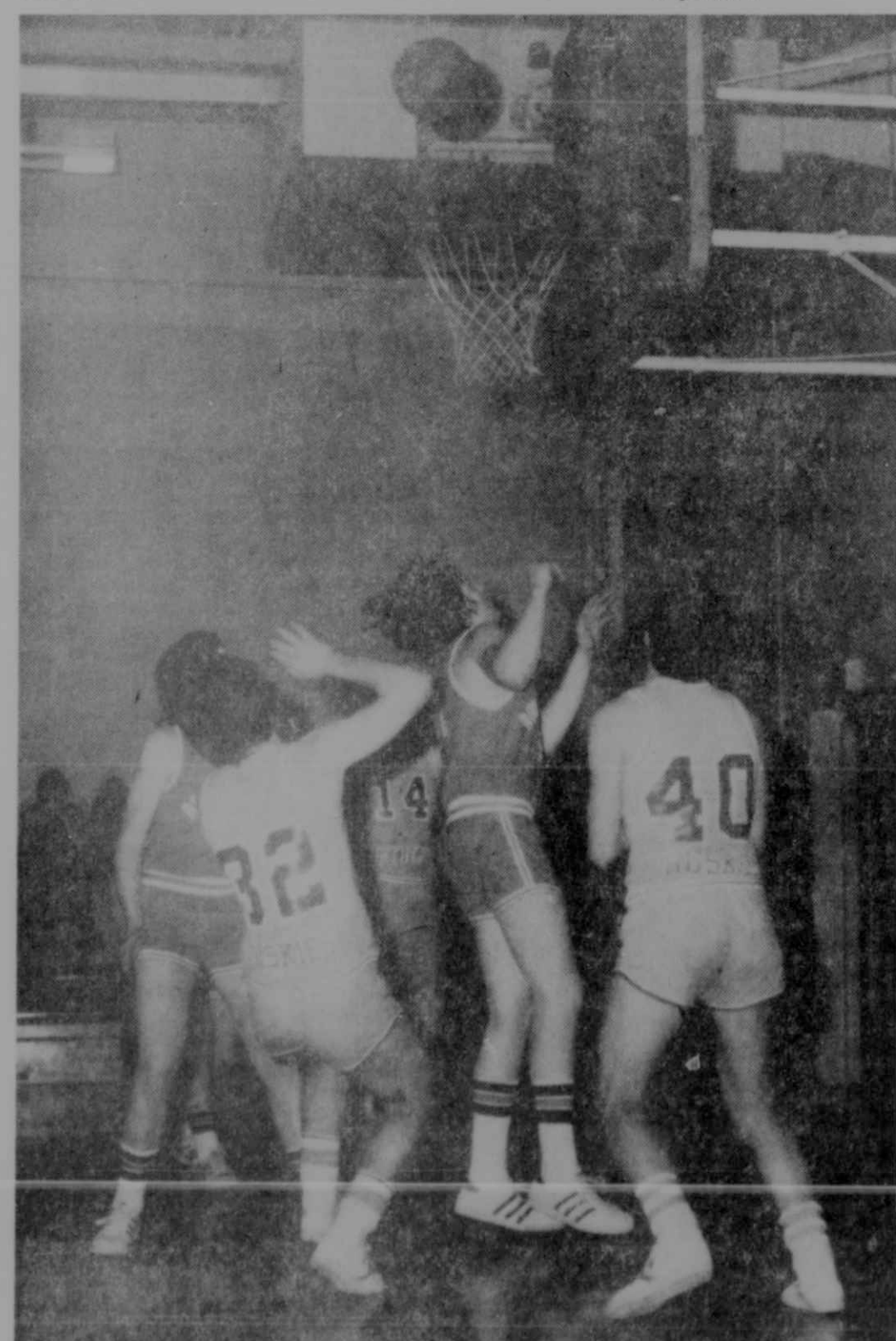
Northern entered decisions from Don Gillum, Randy Broadwater and Dave Frazier. Both Northern and Southern travel to South Hagerstown High School today to participate in the District Tournament.

98-Bill Herring (5) decided Steve Thomas (V) 4-2.
105-Kevin Lee (V) decided Jeff Paolucci (5) 10-3.
112-Bob Wolfe (5) decided Dave Johnson (V) 17-0.
116-John Hayhurst (5) won by forfeit.
126-Dave Browning (5) pinned Jay Brade

(V) 30-0 of the third period.
124-Don Gillum (V) decided Bill Herring (V) 4-4.
128-Mark Duckworth (V) decided John Toston (5) 4-3.
145-Gary McKenzie (V) decided Jim Barnes (5) 2-1.
152-Terry Clark (5) pinned Mark Crable (V) 1-25 of the second period.
167-Ron Bennett (V) pinned Mike Klier (5) 1-31 of the second period.
185-Jim Clark (5) pinned Alan Stafford (V) 1-30 of the second period.
Unlimited-Jeff Hinebaugh (5) decided Kevin Krumpach (V) 5-1.

Southern 30, Bruce 20
95-Bill Herring, Southern, pinned Eric Whetzel 1-30.
105-Harry Duckworth, Bruce, decided Jeff Paolucci 12-2.
112-John McKenzie, Bruce, and Bob Wolfe, tied 4-4.
116-John Hayhurst, Southern, decided Curtis Kooker 12-0.
126-Dave Browning, Southern, pinned Steve Johnson 1-30.
132-Stan McRobie, Southern, decided John Richards 4-4.
138-John Toston, Southern, decided Don Taylor 2-1.
145-Rick McKenzie, Bruce, decided Jim Barnes 9-3.
155-Mike Watson, Bruce, decided Perry Clark 8-5.
167-Jim Leavellyn, Bruce, pinned Mike Klier 5-10.
185-Jim Clark, Southern, decided Tom Sutherland 2-0.
Unl Keith Lewis, Bruce, and Jeff Hinebaugh, tied 1-1.

Southern 38, Northern 12
98-Don Gillum, Northern, decided Bill Herring 9-4.
105-Jeff Paolucci, Southern, pinned Dale Carpenter 12-2.
112-Bob Wolfe, Southern, decided Gale Kamp 11-6.
116-Randy Broadwater, Northern, decided John Hayhurst 11-3.
126-Dave Browning, Southern, pinned Brent Breneman 12-2.
132-Stan McRobie, Southern, decided Jim Warrick 2-0.
138-John Toston, Southern, pinned Rick Yommer 12-0.
145-Jim Barnes, Southern, decided Dale Rodehorst 2-4.
155-Perry Clark, Southern, and Kurt Lear tie 3-3.
167-Dave Frazier, Northern, decided Greg Skiles 7-0.



WAIT FOR THE REBOUND—Several Northern Huskies and members of the opposing team from Rowlesburg High anticipate grabbing a rebound. Identifiable are Huskies Brad DeWitt #22, Scott Schwing #32, Danny Beller #14, and Tim Miller #40.

GCC Downed By One Point Again!

The Bay College Barracudas bit the Garrett Community College Lakers in another close game, ending in a double overtime, 120-119, loss Saturday at McHenry. Bay defeated GCC by two points earlier this season.

The Maryland JUCO American division loss dropped the Lakers to 14-10 overall and 5-8 in the division. Six of those losses were by one or two points.

John Guadagnino led Garrett with 27 points and completed the throw that sent the game into the second overtime. Ric Phillips added 23, Ken Niner 20, as Kevin Liller and Neil Rice had 18 each.

Garrett held a 54-45 halftime advantage and the regulation time ended 102-102. It was 114 all after the first overtime.

With seven seconds left in the second overtime, Barracuda, Freddie Moore completed both of his one-and-ones to give Bay College the 120-119 edge.

Moore was fouled in the overtime and he made six of nine attempts and one field goal. Curt Weatherspoon left the bench to add two for three goals and all three of his free throws in the two overtime sessions.

Freddie Lisbon led six-double digit Barracudas with 27 points. Laurence Huntley had 24, Harold Smith and Freddie Moore, 17 each, Robert Foster 16 and Curt Weatherspoon, 11.

	G	F	P	F	T
Bay	7	2	5	16	
Foster	5	7	11	4	17
Moore	4	0	0	4	8
Harrell	9	9	11	3	27
Lisbon	12	0	0	5	24
Huntley	8	1	1	5	17
Smith	3	5	5	1	11
Weatherspoon	4	2	2	2	10
Totals	48	24	29	120	
	G	F	P	F	T
Garrett	11	5	8	3	27
Guadagnino	6	7	5	18	
Liller	2	0	0	3	4
McGarvey	8	9	5	20	
Niner	7	4	10	18	
Rice	4	1	2	4	9
Ziminski	9	5	3	23	
Phillips	0	2	0	0	0
Brosnihan	4	2	4	16	
Totals	45	29	44	119	
Halftime Score Garrett 54, Bay 45. End of Regulation: 102-102. First Overtime: 114-114.					

Volleyball Standings

Mountain Top Volleyball League Standings as of February 8 are as follows:

Wynlins	36-3
Mt. Top Paving	32-7
Niner's Construction	32-7
Stores	31-8
Health Depart. II	22-17
State Farm	16-23
Health Depart. I	12-27
Board of Ed.	11-25
Gar. Me. Hospital	8-31
Woods Products	5-31

Oldtown Girls

Beat Northern

Sandy Sisler led the Northern girls basketball team with 14 points as they lost a 31-26 decision to host, Oldtown, Monday evening.

Cindy Shaffer sunk 13 points as the Oldtown girls upped their record to 7-10.

Liller's Points Break Record, Rams Stomp Elk Garden, 82-68

Steve Liller scored a school record 47 points to lead Southern High School to an 82-68 victory over hosts Elk Garden in a Potomac Valley Conference clash, Tuesday evening.

Liller connected on 21 field goals and five of six from the stripe as he out-distanced the old record of 43 established by Toby Colaw. Liller, the area's leading scorer was aided by Dave Bittinger's double figured score of 12.

The Stags took a 13-12 lead in the first period but Liller and company moved to a 41-31 advantage at intermission and proceeded to lead 57-43 entering the last quarter.

High point scorers for Elk Garden were Don Marple and Jim Endler with 16 each, Tom

Liller Breaks Record, Lakers Win 106-80

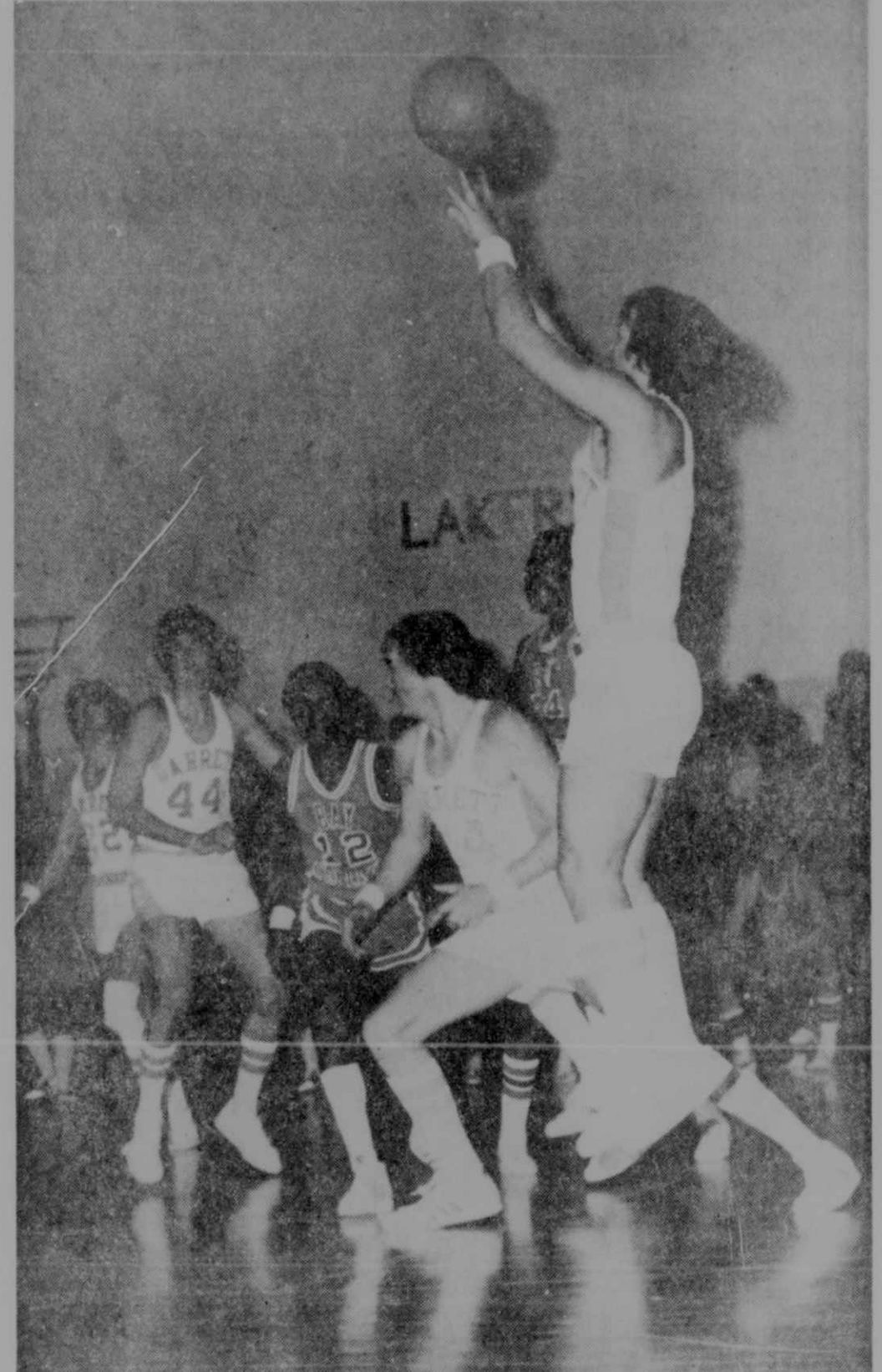
Kevin Liller broke Mike Saturday's single game scoring record as the Lakers shot to a 106-80 victory over visiting Dundalk in a Maryland JUCO contest Friday evening.

Liller connected with 36 points on 15 baskets and six of seven from the 15 foot mark to top the old record of 34.

GCC led 49-36 at intermission and increased their record to 15-9 with the aid of Ken Niner's and John Guadagnino's 16 points and Wally Ziminski's and Ric Phillips' 20 points.

Johnson with 27 and Smith with 25 led Dundalk.

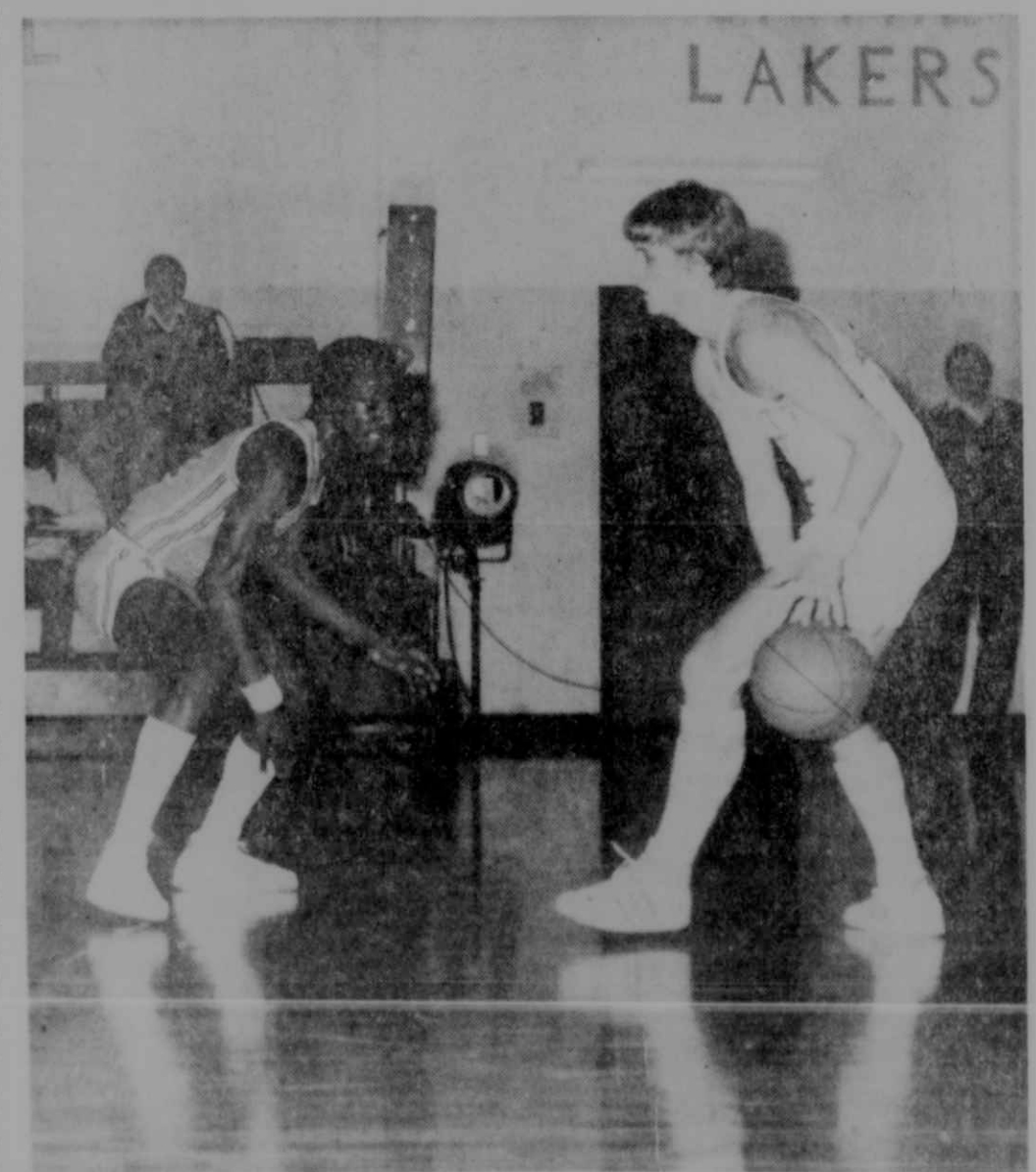
	G	F	P	F	T
Dundalk	11	5	5	27	
Johnson	3	2	5	8	
Lewis	2	2	4	3	6
Pullen	10	5	6	32	
Smith	8	1	5	3	1
Battle	2	2	4	6	
Nepenger	0	0	3	0	0
Senn	2	3	3	7	
Cowd	30	20	35	28	80
Totals	77	22	11	16	
	G	F	P	F	T
Garrett	3	0	0	5	6
Guadagnino	4	8	5	16	
McGarvey	2	2	4	6	
Niner	5	0	2	10	
Rice	4	2	3	10	
Ziminski	2	2	4	6	
Phillips	4	2	3	10	



Lakers, Neil Rice #22, Bill McGarvey #44, and Ken Niner #34, rally around high-scorer, John Guadagnino as he shoots his way to a 27-point personal total when GCC confronted Bay College this week. The final results were exasperating to the Lakers as they watched a 54-45 halftime lead slip into oblivion with the game ending in yet another double overtime, one point loss, 120-119.



HUSKIE FREE-FOR-ALL—In what appears to be an intrasquad riot, several Northern Huskies make a dive for a loose ball. Identifiable in the photo are Doug Ringer #30, Larry Edgar #20, and Kenny Bowman #42.



Kevin Liller's fast court tactics and 18 points weren't enough to stop the Bay College Barracudas from taking the Lakers to a double overtime, 120-119 loss last Saturday at McHenry.

Northern Scores Seventh In Row

Northern chalked up their seventh straight victory, a 75-59 decision over Rowlesburg Thursday evening. Coach Harvey Speicher's Huskies established a 25-point lead early in the fourth quarter after substituting freely in the third quarter with the game well under control. Bill Bender, Tony Doerr and Jim Spear led the offensive drive throughout the game.

Bender finished with 18 points, Doerr with 17 and Spear with 16 as Northern shot their way to the tenth win in 16 contests. The Huskies led all quarters by scores of 24-16, 40-26, and 61-36.

Rowlesburg's high scorer was Casteel with 22 points, while teammates Hooten and Ely scored 13 and 11 points, respectively.

Northern outgunned their opponents by a 33-28 margin and the Huskies converted ten of 21 attempts from the foul line versus Rowlesburg's three-for-eleven effort.

Rowlesburg	G	F	P	F	T
Alayne	1	0	0	7	7
Casteel	11	0	3	12	12
Cramer	1	0	1	2	2
Holbaugh	2	0	2	4	4
Sipley	0	0	0	0	0
Hooten	6	1	3	13	13
Ely	5	1	1	11	11
Hovatter	2	1	1	5	5
Totals	28	3	10	59	59
Northern	G	F	P	F	T
Workman, J.	1	0	0	1	1
Schrock	0	0	0	1	1
Doerr	0	1	1	17	17
Spear	6	4	6	16	16
Bender	8	2	4	18	18
Workman, P.	5	2	3	12	12
Ringer	1	0	0	2	2
Schwinn	1	0	4	2	2
Miller	1	1	2	0	0
Edgar	0	1	0	0	0
Beiler	0	0	1	2	2
Bozman	1	0	0	2	2
Totals	33	10	21	75	75
Rowlesburg	16	26	36	59	59
Northern	24	40	61	75	75

Southern Canned 76-50 By BW

Southern took a tumble from Bishop Walsh Friday evening with a 76-50 loss in a Potomac Valley Conference clash on the team's court.

The loss dropped Southern to 2-5 in the PVC and 8-8 for the season. The area's leading scorer, Steve Liller dropped his game average considerably with only 12 points for this contest and teammate Reg Messenger finished with ten. The win was the fourth in a row for the Spartans who upped their overall record to 12-6.

The Spartans held a 21-15 advantage at the close of the first session with Kevin Carcella benching it as his team ended the second quarter 33-30.

Bishop Walsh came on strong and widened the gap with a 55-43 lead in the third period.

The Spartans held a 32-21 edge from the floor and converted 12 of 22 foul shots to eight of 14 for the Rams.

Carcella led three BW players in double figures with 21 points as Mark Rogers finished with 16 points and Jim

McIntyre with 15 for the Spartans.

Bishop Walsh	G	F	P	F	T
Perrin	3	1	1	7	7
Carcella	8	5	5	21	21
Wood	3	2	6	8	8
Farrell	2	0	0	3	3
Yost	0	1	2	6	6
McIntyre	7	1	2	15	15
Rogers	8	2	1	16	16
Carney	1	2	4	1	1
Totals	32	12	22	50	50
Southern	G	F	P	F	T
S. Liller	5	2	3	12	12
Bittinger	3	3	3	9	9
T. Liller	4	0	0	8	8
D. Simons	1	0	1	4	4
Messenger	5	0	3	10	10
Kahl	1	1	2	0	0
Green	1	0	0	2	2
Steger	1	0	1	2	2
Eitel	0	0	0	1	1
Totals	21	8	14	50	50
Southern	G	F	P	F	T
Bishop Walsh	21	33	55	76	76
Southern	15	30	40	50	50

Southern Girls Lose 59-28 To Valley

The Southern girls' basketball team met defeat at the hands of Valley High School last Wednesday evening. Kim Trickett was high scorer for Southern with six points, but the girls lost the defensive game, despite a valiant effort, by a final score of 59-28.

Shirley Hardman, Sharon Garrison and Rachel Getson netted ten points each for Valley.

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Lakers Lose 74-58 To Pot State

Kevin Liller topped the Lakers with 18 points as Garrett Community College dropped their overall record to 15-11 with hosts Potomac State College snapping a 4-4 tie and rolling to a 74-58 victory.

The Catamounts hit 15 unanswered points in the first few minutes of the game and continued to lead at intermission, 38-29.

The Cat's Wayne Wharton led his team with 25 points as Terry Fahey, Dave Britton and Wendell Ramsey added 15, 12, and 12 points respectively.

Lakers, Wally Ziminski and Neil Rice took 22 points each

Lakers Skin Hagerstown, 102-85

Coach Paul Holzshu used his subs freely as the Garrett Community College players took a 102-85 victory over hosts Hagerstown Junior college last night.

Six Lakers scored in double figures with Kevin Liller taking 20 points, Ken Niner and Wally Ziminski, 18 each, Dave McPherson 14, Ric Phillips 13 and Bill McGarvey 10.

Garrett outshot Hagerstown from the floor by a 47-31 margin but matched an eight-for-11 effort for free throws against the loser's 23 of 33.

The Lakers captured a 50-35 halftime lead and held the game securely from the outset.

Schukraft and Wheeler led

as their Potomac State rivals upped their record to 17-4.

Garrett CC	G	F	P	F	T
McPherson	2	0	0	1	1
Guadagnoli	2	0	0	1	1
Liller	8	2	5	18	18
Rice	4	3	6	3	3
Niner	1	0	0	1	1
McGarvey	0	2	2	5	5
Ziminski	5	1	3	2	2
Phillips	0	4	6	3	3
Totals	23	12	21	58	58
Potomac St.	G	F	P	F	T
Britton	4	4	5	12	12
Jackson	3	2	3	1	1
Fahey	7	1	1	15	15
Bullitt	0	2	1	2	2
Wharton	11	2	7	5	5
Ramsey	6	0	0	12	12
Graham	0	0	1	3	3
Totals	31	12	20	74	74
Score by Periods	29	58			
Garrett	29	58			
Potomac St.	38	74			

Hagerstown with 28 and 23 points, respectively.

GCC finishes its regular season at home Saturday with an 8 p.m. game against Frederick Community College.

Garrett	G	F	P	F	T
Dave McPherson	7	0	0	14	14
Kevin Liller	9	2	3	20	20
Ken Niner	9	0	0	3	3
Neil Rice	2	0	0	4	4
Bill McGarvey	5	0	0	10	10
Wally Ziminski	8	2	4	2	2
Ric Phillips	6	1	1	13	13
Pete Brzoznhan	1	2	4	5	5
Tom Steger	2	0	0	2	2
Totals	47	8	11	74	74
Hagerstown	G	F	P	F	T
Daniels	6	4	5	3	3
Crumme	7	1	4	3	3
Kretzer	5	1	3	2	2
Schukraft	10	8	9	28	28
Wheeler	8	2	2	3	3
Totals	31	23	33	55	55
Halftime score: Garrett 50, Hagerstown 35					

Par-Matt Lanes Games Activities

League action continued this week at Par-Matt Lanes.

In the Thursday Early Mixed League, Island Creek Early

Birds were in first place, followed by Road Runners and

Challengers and Wilt Trucking, Inc., tied for third. High team

series was won by Road Runners with a 3094. Chal-

lengers were second with a 2944 and Late Ones were third

with a 2920. The Road Runners took the high team game with

1066, followed by Island Creek Coal Co., and Road Runners

with 1057's and Unpredictables were third, rolling a 1006. Tony

Sullivan rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 624. Henry Slawter

was second with 595 and Bill Smith was third with a 589.

High individual game was won by Henry Slawter with a 258

followed by Don Butler with a 236 and in third place was Jim

Sanders, who rolled a 225. In ladies' action Marlene Talia-

ferro rolled the high individual series with a 579, followed by

Donna Tasker with a 532 and Lois Few was third rolling a

508. High individual game was also won by Marlene Talia-

ferro who rolled a 238, followed by Donna Tasker in second

place with a 190 and in third place was Anna Polce who

rolled a 188.

In the Mt. Top Men's League, Tail Ends were in first

place, followed by Beachy Lumber Co. and Shirers tied for

second and Island Creek in third. High team series was

won by Big Tee with a 3096. Island Creek was second with

a 3009 and Mt. Top Paving was third with a 2988. Reeves

Fence took the high team game with a 1065, followed by

Big Tee with a 1064 and Mt. Top Paving was third, rolling a

1057. Greg Parsons rolled the high individual series for the

week, scoring a 629. David Parsons was second with 602

and Jr. Giotfelty was third with a 600. High individual

game was won by Jim Stephens, Jr., with a 255 followed by

Greg Parsons with a 226 and in third place was Don Callis, who

rolled a 222.

In the Skirts League,

Unpredictables were in first

place, followed by Alley Cats and Dreamers. High team

series was won by Tar Babies with 2267. Screwballs were

second with 2196 and Leftovers were third with 2192. The

Ball-babies took the high team game with 775, followed by

Tar Babies with 772 and Screwballs were third, rolling 770. Erma

Stephens rolled the high individual series for the week,

scoring 585. Jerry Arnold was second with 542 and Cheryl

Coddington was third with 536. High individual game was

also won by Erma Stephens with 212, followed by Shirley Stem

with 199 and in third place was Lori Stephens, who rolled 196.

In the Civic League, Army-Navy was in first place,

followed by Little Seven and 135 Meat Market. High team

series was won by Rusty Five with 3184. Oakland Electric

was second with 3156 and Mt. Top Carpet was third with

3034. Mt. Top Carpet took the high team game with 1066,

followed by Rusty Five with 1065 and Mt. Top Carpet was

third, rolling 1050. Harold Fike rolled the high individual

series for the week, scoring 634. Greg Parsons was second

with 633 and Bill Stewart was third with 622. High individual

game was won by Greg Parsons with 276, followed by

Harold Fike with 236 and in third place was Jim Cogley,

who rolled a 235.

In the Cream Puff League, Build Ups were in first place,

followed by Rip Offs and Head Hunters. High team series

was won by Rip Offs with 2087. Build Ups were second with

2072 and Head Hunters were third with 2025. The Wipe Outs

took the high team game with 707, followed by Rip Offs with

706 and Build Ups were third, rolling 706. Cheryl Landis

rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring

495. Bev Trautwein was second with 460 and Bonnie Zimmer-

man was third with 446. High individual game was won by

Bev. Trautwein with 179, followed by Bonnie Zimmer-

man and Mae King, who each rolled a 177.

In the Midnite League, Foul

Five were in first place, followed by Miller's High Life

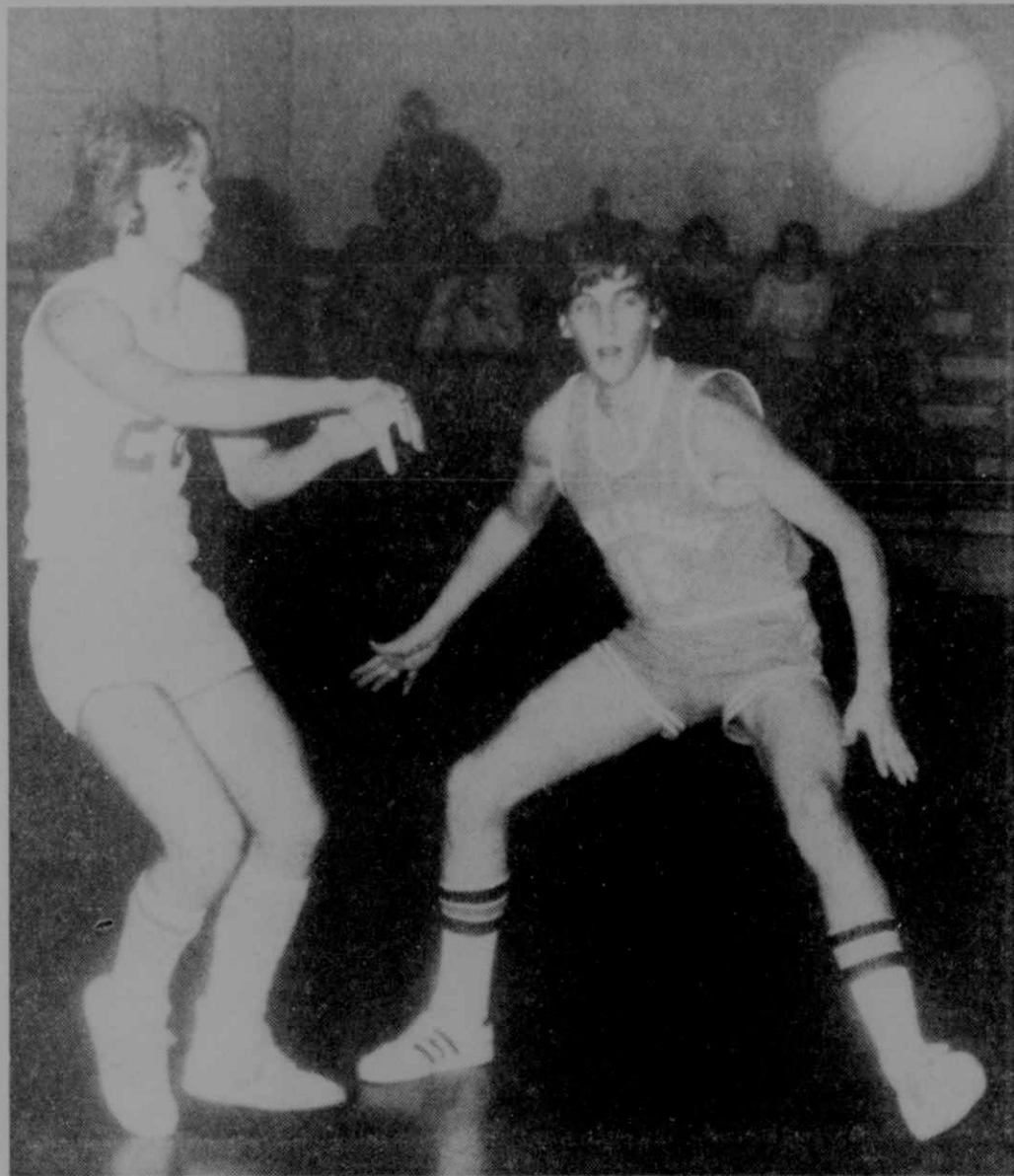
Par-Matt Lanes

In the Sunday Mixed League, Par-Matt was in first place, followed by Island Creek and W. M. Wagner. High team series was won by Par-Matt with 3078, Miller's Market was second with 3057 and Lucky Five was third with 2978. The Lucky Five took the high team game with 1060, followed by Par-Matt with 1036 and Miller's Market was third, rolling a 1025. Bink Sisler rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 585. Ron Michaels was second with 577 and Sonny Browning was third with 561. High individual game was also won by Bink Sisler with 211, followed by Sonny Browning with 206 and in third place was Ron Michaels, who rolled a 201. In the ladies' action Opal Michaels rolled the high individual series with 523, followed by Pat Filsinger with 47 and Marolyn Johnson was third rolling a 509. High individual game was won by Pat Filsinger who rolled 223, followed by Barbara Cassidy in second place with 222 and in third place was Anna Sisler, who rolled a 206.

In the Monday Night Mixed League, Ollie's Body was in first place, followed by Cee

Dee Restaurant and Rainbows. High team series was won by Ollie's Body with 2207, Roadrunners were second with 2198 and 2180. The Ollie's Body and Roadrunners took the high team game with 768 followed by Rainbows with 753 and Martin's Auto was third, rolling 746. Jim Matthews rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring 574. Jesse Gnegy was second with 544 and Mike Collins was third with 542. High individual game was also won by Jim Matthews with 215, followed by Mike Collins with 206 and in third place was Paul Viragh, who rolled a 200. In the ladies' action Eleanor Beckman rolled the high individual series with 478, followed by Sally Martin with 444 and Marion Stahl was third rolling a 410. High individual game was also won by Eleanor Beckman who rolled 199, followed by Sally Martin in second place with 164 and in third place were Patsy Mikles and Doris Gindlesberger who each rolled a 158.

In the Ladies' Merchant League, Village Inn was in first place, followed by Farmers' Fruit Market and Walt's Store. High team series was won by Farmers' Fruit Market with a 2297. Teets' Travelers



Northern Huskie Brad DeWitt tosses the ball past a Rowlesburg defender in a game last Thursday evening. The Huskies defeated the West Virginians, 76-57, to record their seventh straight victory.

were second with a 2196 and Walt's Store was third with a 2174. Walt's Store took the high team game with an 804, followed by Farmers' Fruit Market with a 783 and C. E. Jackson was third, rolling a 777. Marlene Tallaferro rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 521. Sandy Iden was second with 498 and Kim Calhoun was third with a 489. High individual game was won by Sandy Iden with a 199, followed by Sue Ingram with a 190 and in third place was Anna Bishop, who rolled a 189.

In the Skirts League, Unpredictables were in first place, followed by Alley Cats and

Dreamers. High team series was won by Leftovers with a 2222. Alley Cats were second with a 2175 and Ballbabies were third with a 2153. The Alley Cats took the high team game with a 770, followed by Leftovers with a 769 and Ballbabies were third, rolling a 732. Pearl Daniels rolled the high individual series for the week, scoring a 535. Gerry Arnold was second with 526 and Cheryl Coddington was third with a 519. High individual game was also won by Pearl Daniels with a 204, followed by Maxine Jamison with a 196 and in third place was Gerry Arnold, who rolled a 194.

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Board Declares School Budget Outlook Bleak

Following the Board meeting Thursday, February 9, the Board of Education released the following statement:

Superintendent of Schools, Dr. William Buser began by saying, "It is apparent from the tentative amounts of additional funding available from state and local sources that next school year will see many more cuts in materials of instruction, textbooks, program, supporting services, personnel salaries, and fringe benefits than experienced in recent years by the Garrett County Board of Education. The Board wants to make it clear to employees, parents, and the general public that it cannot spend money which it will not have. We therefore will make every effort to develop understanding with the school community and public of the problems relative to developing the

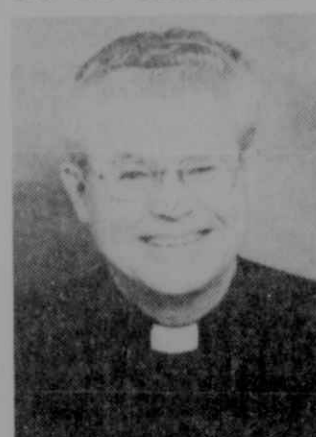
budget."

Herbert G. Harman, Board president, indicated that even though funding appears to be limited the Board expected the staff to continue with completing the budget based on needs of the system and the Board would present to the Garrett County Commissioners what they believe to be a realistic budget.

Dr. Buser, indicated that, based on the tentative budget income figures, serious consideration may need to be given to reducing the number of employees, eliminating programs less directly related to current local and state board priorities such as interscholastic athletics, outdoor education, resource center services, driver education, and others. He indicated that maintenance services and opening schools in the evenings for community groups may need to be eliminated or a fee structure established to cover the costs of heat and light. Dr. Buser also indicated it now appeared to him to be impossible to grant to employees salary improvements and fringe benefits at the levels provided in prior years.

Board members Clarence Stem, vice-president, Robert Diehl, Troy Gnegy, and Brooks Hamilton, Dr. Jerome Ryscavage, and Albert Ringer had attended a meeting with the Garrett County Commissioners on February 6, where many of these concerns were shared by the Board of Education with the County Commissioners.

St. John's Pastor To Be Installed



The Rev. Herbert B. Schutte will be installed as pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod) in the Cove, near Accident on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Pastor Richard Neagley of McKees Rocks, Pa., will preach the sermon and Pastor Ronald Johnson of Forest Hills, Pa., will be the installing officer for the Eastern District of the Missouri Synod. The public is invited to the service and the reception which will follow.

Pastor Schutte was born March 30, 1920 and raised on a southern Nebraska farm. In October of 1942 he enlisted in the USAF and served during World War II, after which he returned to farming. In 1957 he entered Concordia Seminary, Springfield, Ill., where he studied for the ministry. He graduated in 1962.

He has served congregations in Oregon, California, and Ontario, Canada before coming to St. John's. He has also conducted regular weekly radio broadcasts in Coos Bay, Oregon, and recently has done a series of Bible Classes over local television in Sarnia, Ontario.

Pastor and Mrs. Schutte have a daughter, Tammy, and will be living in the St. John's parsonage in the Cove.

Court Hears 215 Cases In 1977

Judge Fred A. Thayer released today a statistical analysis of activities in the Circuit Court for Garrett County for calendar year 1977, based on computer records of Maryland's Administrative Office of the Courts.

At the beginning of 1977, there were pending in the Circuit Court 406 cases in all categories, classified into four groups by the Administrative Office as: Criminal, Juvenile, Law and Equity. During the full year, an additional 641 cases in all categories were filed.

The Court actually heard in open Court trial 215 cases, of which eight were jury trials and 207 were Court trials. These hearings required an

average of 3.63 days per week of trial time. An additional 375 cases were disposed of without formal hearing, either in uncontested litigation, motions, stipulations or dismissals.

Not included in the analysis are two cases transferred to Garrett County for trial from other Maryland counties, each charging the crime of murder and each requiring nearly a week for trial.

Three appeals from the decisions of the Court were filed to Maryland's Court of Special Appeals; two were affirmed and one remains pending in that Court.

In addition to the activities in the local Court, Judge Thayer presided on the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City one week in each of the months of May, August and October.

Detailed statistics in each of the categories listed by the Administrative Office are as follows: Criminal cases filed, 84; Criminal cases tried, 45; Criminal cases otherwise disposed of, 23; Juvenile cases filed, 168; Juvenile cases tried, 117; Juvenile cases otherwise disposed of, 79; Law cases filed, 132; Law cases heard, 13; Law cases otherwise disposed of, 96; Equity cases filed, 257; Equity cases tried, 40; Equity cases otherwise disposed of, 177.

Woman Unharmed After Intruder Fires Several Shots

An intruder fired several shots at a Friendsville woman Monday, after he had burst into her home, but fled without harming the woman.

According to Mrs. Olive Lowdermilk, in a report to the sheriff's department, she was alone in her home at Frazee Ridge after her husband had left to attend livestock sale.

She noticed a black car pulling into their driveway, and watched as a young man came to her door and knocked. As she did not know the man, she did not answer the knock. The young man returned to the car, which started to leave, but then pulled back into the driveway.

This time the young man came to the rear of the house, to the kitchen door, and kicked the door off its hinges. When he entered the house he was carrying a gun, but when he saw Mrs. Lowdermilk, he fled from the house. While he was leaving he fired several shots at the house, but none of the bullets struck Mrs. Lowdermilk.

Police are looking for the car which contained three white males, and are continuing their investigations into the incident.

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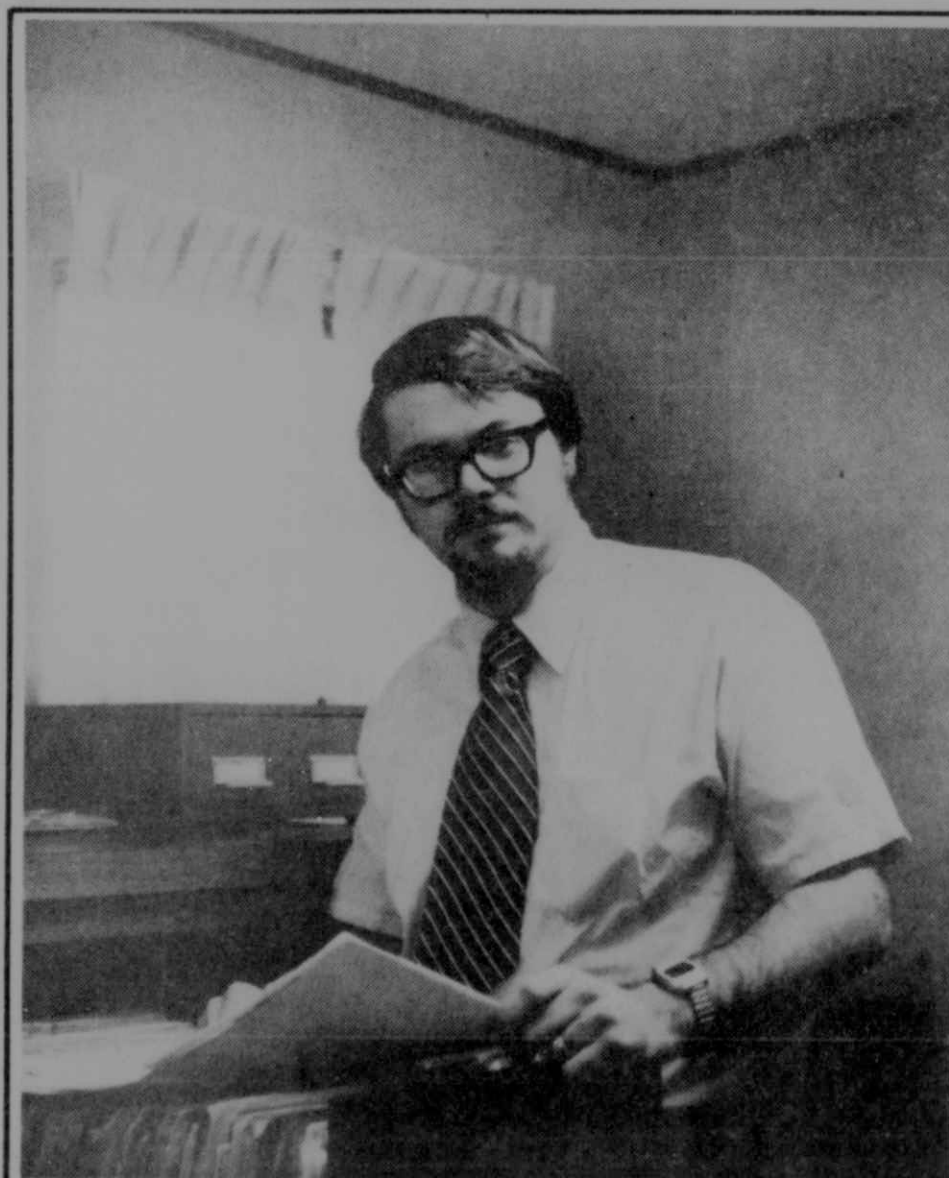
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by jim willis



Mange is a severe skin irritation caused by mites. There are two types of mange common to cats and dogs, sarcoptic mange (scabies) and demodectic (red mange).

Pets suffering from poor diet, chronic illness, intestinal worms and trauma or stress, are prime targets for mange mites. These parasites take advantage of your pet when its resistance is extremely low.

Demodectic mange is characterized by reddened skin that may ooze, thicken and wrinkle (hence the name). These mites prey on the hair follicles where the individual hairs penetrate the skin. As the mites progress they cause the hair to fall out and they then begin to absorb the blood system's nutrients. They primarily attack the skin surrounding the eyes, the forehead, legs and the base of the tail. Modern ointments effectively permeate the follicular apertures to eliminate the mites, and it is generally no longer necessary to destroy the animal as it once was before the development of the more modern treatments.

Sarcoptic mange causes itchy, dry, flaking skin which begins to form scabs from the animals scratching. Sarcoptic mange is therefore also commonly called "scabies." Scabies is characterized by red lines on the epidermis where the female mites have tunneled under the skin to deposit eggs. This mange can cause rapid hair loss to your pet and it spreads at an alarming rate, giving your pet a very noticeable odor. It is most often treated with an ointment containing a sulphur-based insecticide.

Mange is a serious problem and should not be taken lightly as it can be highly contagious. Your pet's bedding should be changed often if the animal has been contaminated and small children and other pets should be kept away from the afflicted animal. Pregnant bitches and queens should be examined carefully to avoid contaminating newborn litters.

It is important to wash your hands after treating or examining an animal with mange because it can be transmitted to humans. Mange requires the examination of a veterinarian who can then recommend the proper treatment. You can make your pet

more comfortable until you are able to visit the veterinarian. Begin by applying an oil or lanolin based lotion to the affected areas of the skin. Next, trim the animal's nails to prevent further skin damage from scratching. When feeding the animal, add one teaspoon of vegetable oil (or Linatone) to the animal's canned food and supplement feedings with vitamin additives... and remember, a clean, healthy animal is the best mange preventative on the market.

Letter Sent To SHA Concerning Finzel Road Exit

A letter requesting that the Finzel access road from Route 48 be given immediate priority was sent to the State Highway Administration, following discussion at a recent meeting of the Frostburg mayor and council.

The topic was brought up at the Frostburg meeting by finance commissioner John N. Bambacus, following a meeting he and D. Duane Oswald, administrator of the Frostburg Community Hospital, had with community leaders in the Grantsville area.

The Grantsville citizens stated that they would like to use the facilities of the Frostburg Community Hospital, but, because of the poor condition of the Finzel Road exit from Rt. 48 to Rt. 40, were hesitant to do so.

Wayne Green Gets 1977 Safety Award

The Fourth Quarter 1977 Safety award for the trucking industry was presented recently to Wayne Green of Garrett County. Wayne's rig is leased to Jay Lines, Amarillo, Texas.

To receive this award, a driver must travel accident-free miles, make check calls, deliver loads on schedule, turn paperwork in on time, have a good attitude toward work, and maintain good customer relations.

Wayne was presented with a plaque and a check for \$100. He and his wife Linda and children Jeffrey and Melissa live in Grantsville. Wayne is a son of Mrs. Harold Green, also of Grantsville.

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Emergency Change In Tax Procedure Might Save Taxpayers Some Money

By Louis L. Goldstein, Comptroller

So you've heard or read that there's been a change in Maryland State income tax procedures that might save you money. It has something to do with itemizing deductions on your Maryland income tax return, but how do you go about taking advantage of this change? Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein estimates that approximately 200,000 State income taxpayers could benefit this year by itemizing deductions on their State tax returns, even though they weren't allowed to itemize on their Federal tax forms. The following questions and answers tell you how to take advantage of this change in tax procedures. This information is not contained in the tax instructions.

Q. How do I know if I should itemize deductions on my Maryland income tax return?

A. If you were required to take the "zero bracket amount" (Standard Deduction) on your Federal income tax return but your itemized deductions total more than \$500 (\$1,000 for married taxpayers with two incomes) it may be beneficial for you to file an itemized Maryland tax return this year. If you were permitted to itemize deductions on your Federal return this year, you may also itemize on your Maryland tax form.

Q. Ok, that sounds like me. I couldn't itemize on my Federal form, but I have some deductions. How do I know exactly what I can deduct?

A. Generally, everything you can deduct for Federal purposes, you can also deduct for Maryland tax purposes. The major exception is State and local income taxes, which may not be deducted on your Maryland income tax return.

Q. So how do I go about filing an itemized Maryland income tax return if I wasn't allowed to send in an itemized Federal form this year?

A. First, figure all your deductions on the Federal schedule "A" (Form 1040-Itemized Deductions) which lists itemized deductions. Secondly, transfer your total deductions under each category to appropriate lines on the back of the Maryland in-

come tax form (502). Thirdly, subtract your State and local income taxes on the line designated to do so. Fourthly, carry over your total Maryland deductions to the designated place on the front of the Maryland tax form. Fifthly, attach a copy of that Federal schedule "A" of Form 1040 to your Maryland return when you send it in.

Q. Where can I get a copy of the Federal schedule "A" I need to send in along with my Maryland income tax return?

A. All branch offices of the Maryland Income Tax Division have supplies of the Federal schedule "A" of Form 1040. Copies are also contained in the Federal Form 1040 packet you may have received from the Internal Revenue Service.

Q. It sounds easy enough, but what if I have more questions?

A. We'll be happy to answer your questions. You may call or stop by any of the offices listed on the back of the Maryland income tax packet or in your local directory.

In addition, all offices of the Maryland Income Tax Division will be open regular business hours on Monday, February 13, 1978 and Monday, February 20, 1978 when most State offices will be closed because of Lincoln's birthday and Washington's birthday.

Q. Isn't all this in the instructions I received with my Maryland tax packet?

A. No. This is an emergency change in Maryland tax procedures which took place too late to be included in this year's tax instructions.

Q. How about if I already sent in my Maryland income tax return using the standard deduction because I was required to take the Federal standard deduction?

A. You may file an amended Maryland income tax return, but we'd suggest you wait until the General Assembly formally approves emergency legislation allowing Maryland taxpayers to itemize on their State tax returns even though they weren't allowed to itemize on their Federal tax forms.

Q. What if the Maryland General Assembly doesn't pass the legislation?

A. The State Income Tax Division is accepting the itemized returns pending the

General Assembly's approval of the new law change. If they do not pass the legislation, the State Income Tax Division will bill the appropriate taxpayer at a later date. For the present, however, this change will save both the taxpayer and the State time and money.

PE Cautions Homeowners On Generator Use

As rotating electric power blackouts become a real possibility because of the prolonged coal strike, some local residents may be considering the use of in-home emergency generators.

In recognition of this, Potomac Edison officials today warned that "possible loss of life and property damage" can result from improper use of such emergency generating equipment.

According to G. E. Hoak, the utility's safety administrator, "Unless an emergency generator meets all electrical codes, it is a very dangerous piece of machinery. Damage to homes and recreational vehicles can be caused by improperly installed home generating equipment," he said, "and it is quite conceivable that people working on lines could be injured or killed should power from an emergency generator flow back into our lines. Similar dangers exist," he said, "for farms and commercial and industrial buildings."

To make sure emergency generator installations are handled correctly, the electric company recommends six steps to be taken:

1. Notify the electric company that you plan to install the generator.
2. Employ a competent electrical contractor and ask him to coordinate his work with Potomac Edison.
3. Insist that the installation pass electrical inspection.
4. Notify Potomac Edison when the installation is complete.
5. Have your contractor go over with you the generator's operation and get from him a manufacturer's manual for future reference.
6. Set up an inspection and maintenance schedule and follow it. You'll want the generator to work in an

emergency.

Hoak has a special warning for those owning recreational vehicles containing electric generators. "When the power goes off," he warned, "it is a great temptation to use this generator by running a line from the recreational vehicle to the nearest household outlet. Don't do it unless proper precautions are taken. Unless properly installed, your generator could become overloaded beyond its capacity which could result in extensive damage to the generator. Without adequate protection," Hoak said, "your generator can be ruined when our power comes back on, and fire is a definite possibility."

Chairmen Named For Heart Fund

Chairmen for Oakland and surrounding area for the Heart Fund drive planned this Sunday, February 19, were announced today by Mrs. Betty Wildesen and Ms. Barbara Rexrode.

Volunteers who have taken chairmanships are: Mrs. Flora Godwin, Altamont; Mrs. Earlene Evans, Kitzmiller; Mrs. Reese Tasker, Jr., Bethlehem, Eagle Rock; Mrs. Elfreda Putnam, Bradley

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Mrs. Nancy Fazanbaker, Fingerboard Road; Mrs. Rose McRobie, Deer Park, Paughville, Shady Acres, Garrett Road; Mrs. Betty Wolford, Loch Lynn; Mrs. Dale Fike, Mt. Lake Park; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Flinn, Oak Park.

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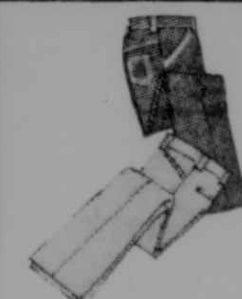
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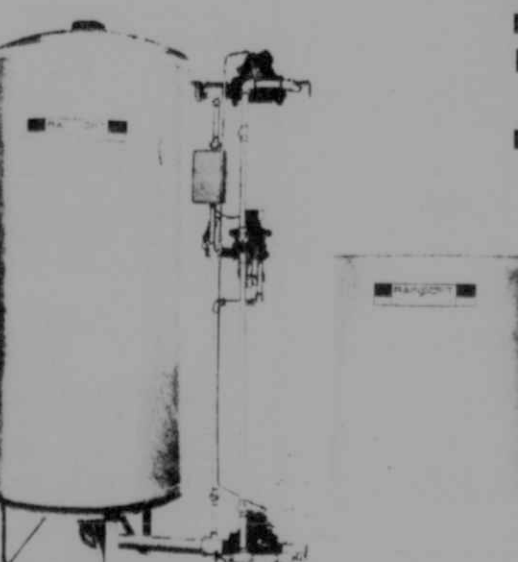
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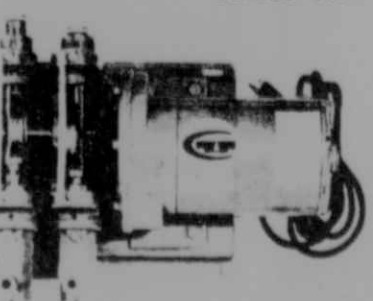
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LIONS PRESENT \$500 CHECK — Fred Colaw, right, president of the Oakland-Mt. Lake Park Lions Club, presented a check for \$500 at Monday night's meeting to Allen Murray, chief of the Oakland Fire Department, as part of the club's community service projects. Funds for the donation were raised from the annual Halloween carnival and from other events.

State Office Lists Deficiencies Of Area Nursing Homes

The Maryland Office on Aging and the State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene have jointly compiled lists of deficiencies noted in Garrett County nursing homes. These deficiencies, found by state inspection teams during their most recent annual surveys, are now on file at the

county Commission on Aging offices at 310 Bradley Manor, Oakland.

These lists, the nursing homes' plans for correction and findings of a 60-day post certification visit to determine what actual corrections have been made, are open for public review upon request.

Interested persons may study this public information by visiting the office of Robert Ford, Chairman of the Garrett County Commission on Aging.

Students Meet Immunization Rules

At the meeting of the Garrett County Board of Education last week, Board members learned that at the present time all students in Garrett County schools were in compliance with the regulations of the school immunization program. Dr. William H. Buser thanked the public for their support in this important effort and stated it was his desire that these requirements be met in years to come with less feelings of frustration and anxiety on the part of some students and parents.

In other action, the Board of Education adjusted the school calendar using March 23, March 28, April 7, May 5, June 9, 12, 13, 14 and 15, 1978 as student days in addition to the current calendar, thus making up all days missed up to the present time because of inclement weather.

The Board of Education took action to support a pilot trowel trades program in each of the two Garrett County high schools. They also developed a position statement relative to a gifted and talented student program and authorized the Board president, Herbert G. Harman, to make a statement at the public hearing in Hagerstown on February 16 in relation to competency-based prerequisites for graduation from Maryland public schools.

The Board re-announced the special public meeting to be held at the Southern Middle School on Monday, March 13, 1978, at 7:30 p.m. At that time the Board will give information to the public related to the budget and will spend the majority of time permitting the public to ask questions relative to the Garrett County Public School System.

Superintendent Announces Evening Appointments

As part of the total effort of the school board to improve communications with the public, Dr. William H. Buser, Superintendent of Schools, indicated four evenings during the next four months when individuals who are unable to make day appointments may schedule appointments with him. The meeting dates will be on a Monday toward the end of the month — February 27, March 20, April 24, and May 22, 1978, from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Interested persons are requested to call Dr. Buser or his secretary, Mrs. Lucille Ludvigsen, at 334-3121 during weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to schedule an appointment which cannot be scheduled during the daytime hours.

The meetings will be held in the office of the superintendent, Fourth and Green Streets, Oakland. Dr. Buser indicated a decision to continue or not to continue the meetings will depend on the degree of public interest in them.

Income Taxpayers

Filing Earlier, Problem Noted

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein announced today that state income taxpayers are filing their Maryland tax returns slightly earlier than last year. Mr. Goldstein noted that 251,500 forms have been received by the State Income Tax Division, compared with 247,000 at this time last year. Comptroller Goldstein noted the major problem area with this year's state income tax returns involves confusion over the recent changes in procedures concerning itemized deductions.

"I have instructed the State Income Tax Division to accept Maryland income tax returns with itemized deductions, even if the taxpayer was not permitted to itemize on his or her Federal tax return this year. We are asking taxpayers who are filing itemized returns under these conditions to send a completed Schedule A of Federal Form 1040 along with

their Maryland income tax return. The Federal Schedule A lists your itemized deductions, such as taxes, contributions, medical expenses, and interest expenses. I have taken this action pending approval of appropriate emergency legislation by the Maryland General Assembly," Mr. Goldstein said.

Inquiries at offices of the Maryland Income Tax Division indicate that taxpayers are aware that changes in the procedure affecting itemized deductions are being made, but that they are unsure of what procedure to use in completing their tax returns. Approximately 200,000 Maryland income taxpayers will be spared an additional \$5.00 to \$175.00 on Maryland tax forms now being filed under the change.

"If the emergency legislation fails, we will have to bill the taxpayers at a later date, but this will save both the tax-

payers and the state time and money for the present," Mr. Goldstein said.

The Comptroller noted that his office has advised area television stations to stop running public service announcements which inform taxpayers they must take the Maryland standard deduction if they are required to take the federal "Zero Bracket Amount." Those TV spots were made prior to the change in procedures.

Elks To Sponsor Shooting Match

Oakland Elks Lodge #2481 will sponsor a shooting match this Saturday, February 18, at the Lodge Hall on Hamill Street in Oakland, beginning at 1:00 p.m. Hams, turkeys and bacon will be awarded as prizes and all proceeds will go to the American Heart Association-Western Maryland Chapter.

The Mardi Gras was said a "showering" event this year in New Orleans.

Fred Thayer Files For Judicial Court

Judge Fred A. Thayer, Oakland, announced this week he was cross-filing in Annapolis for the position of Judge of the Fourth Judicial Court.

His present term in that position began January 3, 1977, following the resignation of former Judge Stuart F.

Hamill, and will continue until the general election this year.

Prior to his appointment to fill Judge Hamill's unexpired term, Judge Thayer had served three terms as State's Attorney from 1962-1974.

He has been recommended for the position by the American Bar Association and unanimously recommended by the Judicial Nominating Committee.

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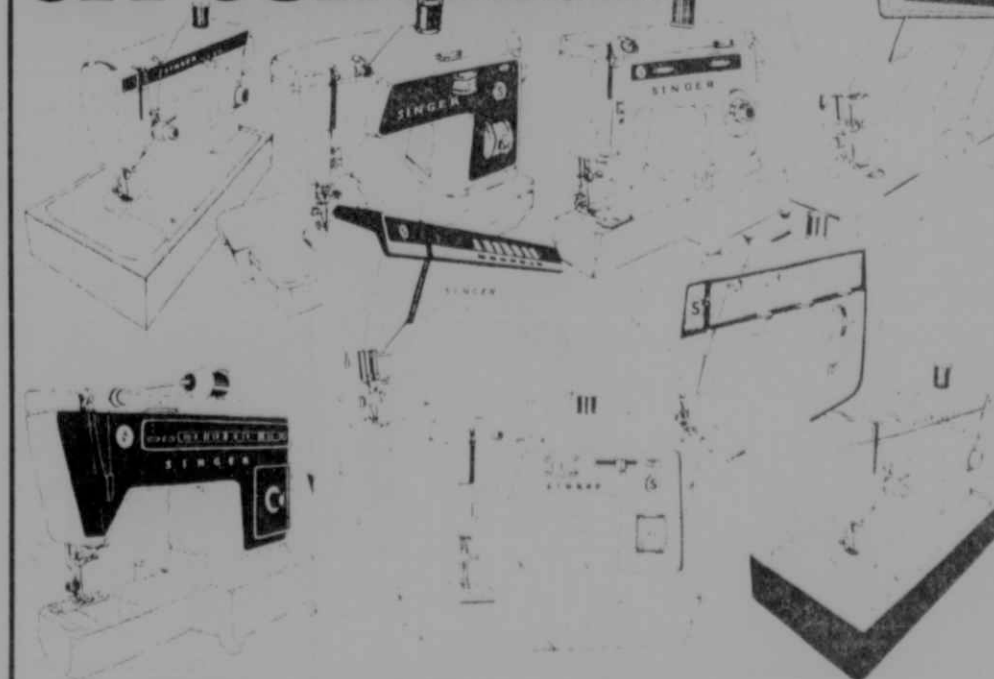


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Home Builders Elect Directors

The Mountaintop Home Builders Association elected its board of directors in a close election Tuesday night at the American Legion.

Thirty-four members and guests heard John Nelson, Zoning Administrator for Garrett County, speak on the purposes and mechanics of zoning.

Elected for two-year terms were Dave Beachy, Pete Nichols, Jake Bowles and Sib Skipper. Elected for one-year terms were Rogers Pike, Harry Fienmyr and Don Nine.

The elected officers are also members of the board. These include Dick Morris, president; Ed Wilburn, vice president; Kathryn Pen-singer, secretary; and Jim Adair, treasurer.

The board of directors is the active governing body of the organization and, as such, sets goals and policies for the

group.

Mr. Nelson, a native of Frostburg and Zoning Administrator for the past year, stated that the primary aim of zoning is to protect people's property values from going down due to increasing density and the infringements of non-compatible land uses.

He stated that currently only the Deep Creek Lake area and most of the larger towns in the county are protected by zoning ordinances.

A distinction was clearly drawn between the planning commission which draws up the actual zoning plans, and the zoning officials who carry out and enforce the regulations.

In all cases, zoning plans must be approved by elected officials after public hearings. John also outlined the procedures for getting exception to, or modifying existing ordinances.

Several members brought up a specific problem developers have with zoning. When a developer files a subdivision

plat in order to establish a particular zoning use for his land and thereby to protect his investment from future changes in land uses around his development, the assessment office immediately raises his taxes even though the use of his land has not yet changed.

This reassessment adds substantially to development costs. The extra cost of the higher taxes must then be passed on to the home-buyer in the form of higher house prices, according to Mr. Morris.

Goshen College Chorale To Sing At Springs Church

The Goshen College Chorale, directed by Dr. Doyle Preheim, will present a concert of sacred music at Springs Mennonite Church, Springs, Pa., Monday evening, February 20, at 7:30 p.m.

The performance is part of

the Chorale's six-day tour to churches and schools throughout Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, and Indiana.

The program will include a praise section, an Easter section, and a section of hymns composed by Mennonite musicians.

The Chorale is the larger of two choral groups at Goshen College, performing primarily sacred music from various periods and styles. In addition to an annual tour the Chorale appears in two on-campus concerts each year and performs church programs in the Goshen area. Members of the Chorale come from fifteen states, two Canadian provinces, and Japan.

Dr. Preheim has been a member of the Goshen College music faculty since 1972, teaching music history, voice, and conducting. He is conductor of the Chorale and Chamber Choirs and also director of the Elkhart Symphony Chorus.

Goshen College, Indiana, is a four-year liberal arts school numbering about 1220 students. Identified with the Mennonite Church, it offers majors in 30 different fields.

Needpoint Topic Of Extension Class

Needpoint will be the featured topic of the February Leisure Time Update Series being sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service. The class will be held on Thursday, February 16, at Northern High School from 7:00-9:00 p.m., and on Thursday, February 23, at the Oakland Center of G.C.C., from 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Participants are asked to bring along a needpoint kit or needpoint canvas, tapestry yarn, tapestry needle and masking tape.

Instructors for the classes are Mrs. Bertha Tower, Northern, and Mrs. Robert Dickinson, Oakland.

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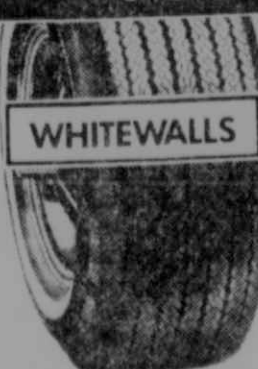
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Electric Range	G.E.	150.00	100.00
Electric Range	G.E.	300.00	150.00
Electric Range	G.E.	125.00	70.00
Electric Range	Westinghouse	125.00	50.00
Gas Range	Magic Chef	125.00	70.00
Refrigerator with Ice & Water Dispenser	G.E.	450.00	250.00
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Haldeman Theory Says Nixon Caused Watergate Burglary

WASHINGTON (UPI) — H.R. Haldeman, Richard Nixon's top aide during the White House years, says Nixon caused the Watergate burglary and personally attempted to erase incriminating portions from secret presidential tapes.

Haldeman's description of events during the Watergate period is contained in his forthcoming book, "The Ends of Power," portions of which were reported today by the Washington Post.

Haldeman says the impetus for the break-in at the Democratic Party headquarters stemmed from Nixon's and presidential assistant Charles Colson's desire to "get the goods" on Democratic Party chief Lawrence O'Brien.

"Which leads me to my own theory of who initiated the Watergate break-in, Richard Nixon, himself, caused those burglars to break into O'Brien's office," Haldeman writes.

Haldeman says Nixon was involved in the Watergate coverup from "day one" and three days after the burglary on June 17, 1972, told Haldeman they would be raising money for the Watergate defendants.

Haldeman's theory about the famous 18 1/2 minute gap on one of the tape recordings made of conversations in the Oval office is that Nixon tried unsuccessfully to make the erasures himself and then left it to someone else, possibly his secretary Rosemary Woods, to do the job.

"Nixon was the least dextrous man I have ever known; clumsy would be too elegant a word to describe his mechanical aptitude," so he gave up trying to erase the tapes himself, Haldeman says.

Haldeman says much of the motivation for installing the recording system was Nixon's concern over "the unpredictable Henry Kissinger," whom Haldeman depicts as a scheming, conspiratorial figure. Kissinger was keeping his own log of conversations with the president and Nixon wanted a record of his own, Haldeman says.

And it was Kissinger, Haldeman says, "whose anger at leaks really started the 1969 FBI national security wiretapping." Haldeman's bitter portrayal of Kissinger generally reflects the reported attitude of several Nixon loyalists who regarded the former secretary of state as publicity-hound.

Haldeman also offers an unflattering description of Colson, who earned a reputation as the president's hatchman. "Dealing with Colson was no fun for White House staffers at any level," Haldeman writes.

Haldeman indicates Nixon considering defying the Supreme Court order to turn over his tapes if the ruling turned out not to be unanimous. The decision was unanimous, however, and Nixon announced his compliance seven hours after the court acted.

Haldeman, 51, is now serving a prison term for his role in the Watergate coverup. He portrays himself as having been surrounded by lawyers who plotted every move to protect themselves.

Bombs Hit Banks

In Puerto Rico

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico (UPI) — Five bombs exploded within 90 minutes early this morning in American-owned banks and department stores, causing major damages but no personal injuries.

Police said the bombs exploded at two Chase Manhattan Bank branches in the cities of Santurce and Rio Piedras, a Citybank branch across the street from the Rio Piedras Chase and Woolworth and Bakers stores in San Juan.

All the stores were closed when the devices went off within 90 minutes of each other starting at 1 a.m. (midnight EST), police said.

The explosions sparked fires in the two department stores and blew out huge windows at the three bank branches, fire-fighting authorities said.

No one took responsibility for the bombings.

A Chase branch in San Juan was bombed last week by a group that said Chase was a "financial octopus" that was overcharging Puerto Rico's telephone company, whose 6,200 workers have been on strike since Dec. 27.

A group calling itself the "People's Armed Forces" took responsibility for this bombing.

Bill Passed To Increase Black Lung Benefits

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Legislation to spread benefits to more coal workers with "black lung disease" has cleared Congress and been sent to the White House for signature.

The House Wednesday approved the bill 264-113. The Senate approved it Feb. 6.

In addition to broadening coverage of benefits, the bill makes it easier for miners who were turned down earlier to reapply and get consideration of their claims for black lung benefits.

Black lung is a condition suffered by miners who have inhaled coal dust for years.

A companion bill paying for the benefits passed Congress in January. It puts a tax on coal production: 50 cents a ton from underground mines and 25 cents a ton from surface mines, up to a limit of 2 percent of the price of coal.

The latest legislation lists the eligibility and steps for miners or their survivors to get benefits for suffering from black lung, whose name is pneumoconiosis.

The bill would: —Broaden the definition of "miner" to include workers in and around a coal mine or preparation facility, in mining or preparation or transportation of coal. Even construction workers exposed to coal dust from a mine could be eligible.

—Accept affidavits for eligibility of survivors of a miner who died, when there is no conclusive medical evidence.

—Give special speedy treatment to reapplications from miners who had been turned down for benefits under the old law.

—Pay benefits, on certain reapplications, dating from the original application.

—Make sure a miner would not lose benefits because his company merges with another firm or is sold or liquidated. The new company would pick up claims in some instances and the old company under some cases in which it survived in changed form.

Common Cause is simply trying to use the issue to highlight its own bill, he said, but "you can't assume that everyone who disagrees with Carter has sold out."

Martin also said \$10,000 of his contributions came in 1974 from a North Carolina medical association when he was not on the Ways and Means Committee.

Subcommittee Chairman Daniel Rostenkowski, D-Ill., received \$10,500. He has suggested legislation for voluntary controls on health industry costs — using Carter's mandatory controls as a fallback approach.

Dayan Says U.S. Cannot Maintain Role In Mideast

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Israeli officials say Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan, arriving today for talks with U.S. leaders, wants to express his country's doubts that the United States can maintain its "honest broker's role" in the Middle East negotiations.

Dayan, on a fund-raising tour in the United States, was invited to Washington to meet Secretary of State Cyrus Vance. The White House announced Wednesday Dayan also would pay a courtesy call on President Carter.

In news conferences in Chicago and Los Angeles, Dayan expressed sharp opposition to the U.S. decision to sell Egypt 30 F-15s and Saudi Arabia 60 F-15s — the most advanced warplane in America's arsenal. Israel, as part of the arms package would get 15 F-15s and 75 F-16s, a smaller version.

Israeli officials said Dayan would discuss the arms sales and "the role of the United States as 'honest broker' which we are now beginning to doubt."

Since the breakdown of the Jerusalem foreign ministers' conference in January, both Egypt and Israel asked the United States to play a more active mediation role.

Assistant Secretary of State Alfred Atherton, who was to take part in the talks with Dayan, will leave this weekend for the Middle East where he had planned to shuttle between Egypt and Israel.

The primary goal in those negotiations has been to put together a declaration of principles, which could be used as a framework for a comprehensive Middle East settlement.

That effort has been overshadowed by the strains which have developed in the past week in the relations between Israel and the United States. Before the open disagreement over the sale of the planes, sharp words had been exchanged publicly over the Israeli policy on settlements in occupied Arab territory.

A State Department spokesman denied Wednesday there was any crisis in the relations between the two countries.

Committee Plans To Help Rising Hospital Costs

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A House subcommittee today tackled plans for holding down rising hospital costs with a new issue injected into its deliberations — campaign contributions and public financing of congressional elections.

Common Cause, on the eve of the Ways and Means Health subcommittee's drafting sessions, said Wednesday that eight subcommittee members received a total \$73,462 in campaign contributions from hospital-medical groups in the last two elections.

"For those who still wonder whether political contributions can affect congressional actions, we recommend that they carefully follow the upcoming procedures in the health subcommittee," said Fred Wertheimer, vice president of the self-styled citizens lobby.

But Rep. James Martin, R-N.C. — who was listed as the member with the largest total contribution at \$15,332 — replied that Common Cause really was lobbying not for President Carter's hospital cost containment bill but for the organization's long-sought goal of public financing of congressional elections.

Carter last year asked Congress for legislation limiting increases in hospital revenues to 9 percent a year. Hospital inflation has been about 15 percent annually. The proposal won little support from lawmakers.

"They (Common Cause) don't know if it's good legislation or bad legislation," said Martin, saying that he felt it made no sense to hold hospital increases to 9 percent when the hospital's own costs aren't controlled.

Common Cause is simply trying to use the issue to highlight its own bill, he said, but "you can't assume that everyone who disagrees with Carter has sold out."

Martin also said \$10,000 of his contributions came in 1974 from a North Carolina medical association when he was not on the Ways and Means Committee.

Subcommittee Chairman Daniel Rostenkowski, D-Ill., received \$10,500. He has suggested legislation for voluntary controls on health industry costs — using Carter's mandatory controls as a fallback approach.

Both sides got a persuasive boost in a 90-minute meeting with President Carter Wednesday in the Roosevelt room of the White House.

Marshall, his undersecretary, Robert Brown, and chief federal mediator Wayne Horvitz sat at the head of the conference table with the negotiators for the miners and the coal companies.

Sociologist Richard Gelles of the University of Rhode Island said in testimony prepared for a House subcommittee studying family violence that between 1.4 and 1.9 million American children are abused by their parents each year.

He said that figure, drawn from a nationwide sampling of 2,143 families — not just those who admitted having child abuse problems — underestimates the incidence.

The true figure is probably higher, he said, because the survey relied on parents' self-reports, it omitted children under 3, it sampled only intact families, it did not ask about sexual abuse or burning and it examined only abuse received from one parent.

Gelles said the study found: —Between 900,000 and 1.8 million children have had parents who tried to or actually did shoot or stab them.

—Between 3.1 and 4.1 million children were kicked, bitten or punched at some time in their lives by their parents.

—Between 1.4 and 2.3 million children have been beaten while growing up.

"Mothers are more likely to use violence and to use abusive violence on their children," he said, and, "Sons are more likely to be the victims of child abuse than daughters."

The most abused children are the 3-to-5-year-olds and the 15-to-17-year-olds.

The 30-day forecast calls for below normal temperatures and precipitation in this area.

Trident Sub Costs Rising

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Navy's trouble-plagued Trident submarine program will cost an extra \$1.2 billion because of "refinements" in cost estimates.

And the Navy's new F-18 Hornet carrier-based fighter now costs as much as a more sophisticated Air Force jet that flies faster and almost twice as far.

Those items were among a review of the Pentagon's 50 major weapons programs issued Wednesday, showing that estimates for total costs rose by \$17.4 billion in the final three months of last year.

Trident missile submarine construction already has drawn fire because of the Navy's disclosure last fall that the first of the new ships will be up to a year late and cost about \$400 million more than the original estimate of \$793 million. It will be one of the Pentagon's biggest ship cost overruns ever.

The new figures showed an additional \$187 million in costs because of revised inflation estimates and \$963 million in what the Pentagon described as "refinement of the submarine estimates," bringing the total program for 14 submarines and their nuclear missiles to an estimated \$25 billion.

The Hornet, still in development and billed as a lightweight fighter that will cost less than the Navy's F-14 Tomcat, added more than \$1 billion in revised inflation estimates and \$443 million because the program was slowed down from its original schedule.

It will now cost a total of \$14.3 billion for 812 aircraft and on a per-copy basis will run an estimated \$17.6 million, the same as the Air Force's first line F-15 Eagle fighter.

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NOTICE ANYTHING UNUSUAL about this cat? He's a rare Cornish Rex, a wavy-haired and curly-whiskered breed gaining popularity in the United States for their "super" abilities. For more on "Kinky," see page 21.

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Lifegiving Surgery Ordered For Baby Despite Parent Plea

SALEM, Mass. (UPI) — A judge has ordered potentially life-saving surgery for a 43-day-old baby, born with severe mental and physical defects, despite her parents' plea she be allowed to die.

Essex County Probate Judge Henry R. Mayo Jr., in what was believed the first decision of its kind in Massachusetts, ordered Wednesday that Kerri Ann McNulty undergo surgery to repair a defective artery.

Kerri Ann, who has remained at Tufts-New England Medical Center since her birth, suffers from defects including blindness, deafness, heart failure and artery deformities. Doctors have testified she will probably be mentally retarded and require institutional care for the rest of her life.

Her parents, Dennis and Donna McNulty of Lynn, had petitioned Jan. 20 for permission to withhold life-prolonging equipment rather than have her live a life of sensory and mental deprivation.

They said they would not fight Mayo's order.

"We just didn't want to see her suffer through an operation," Mrs. McNulty said. "She can't see or hear. Her only comfort is to be held and touched. I would prefer not to have the operation performed."

Mayo said a state Supreme Court opinion Nov. 28 giving probate courts the right to decide on withholding life-sustaining equipment requires him to rule in favor of treatment.

His order authorized the baby's court-appointed guardian, lawyer Earl M. Weissman, to give consent to the surgery, and relieves the hospital of liability for performing the operation without the parents' approval.

Mayo's order was believed the first since the high court ruling to deny a petition for removal of life-sustaining equipment.

Mayo was also the first Massachusetts judge to approve removal of life-prolonging equipment from a state resident. He allowed a Salem man in December to disconnect life-sustaining equipment from wife, who died 37 hours later.

The U.S. official said the brighter picture was due chiefly to the decision of the oil producing countries not to put into effect price increases so far, according to the conference sources.

Solomon spoke at the start of a two-day closed meeting of the so-called "Working Party 3" — a group of high-level monetary experts — of the 24-nation Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, the intergovernmental watchdog of economies of the richest nations.

Working Party 3 discusses balance of payments problems.

A small resort community in California was recently washed away by floods.

A report said the economic growth is expected to continue through 1978.

Pays Taxes On Nonexistent Land

COLUMBUS, Ohio (UPI) — The Catholic Diocese of Columbus has been paying taxes for 70 years on a 55-acre parcel of land which apparently does not exist, it was reported today.

The Columbus Citizen-Journal said the land was supposedly part of the reserve land for St. Joseph Cemetery.

However, when the diocese hired a firm to survey cemetery land for tax purposes, the plot could not be found.

Vincent L. Volpi of the county engineers office said after a survey of records "we have found the parcel does not exist."

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Maryland Farms Are Being Sold To Foreign Investors

CENTREVILLE, MD. (UPI) — Maryland Farmers plagued by rising costs have sold thousands of acres of valuable Eastern Shore farmland to European and South American investors, it was reported this week.

Charles E. Anthony Jr., supervisor of assessments in Queen Anne's County, said more than 3,200 acres — more than 40 percent of the county's farmland — have been sold to corporations since 1975, the Baltimore Sun reported.

The Sun said seven of the biggest sales — some ranging up to \$1.4 million — in recent months were arranged by out-of-state law firms or other agents in New York, Washington and Atlanta for foreign investors.

The land is being worked by local farmers who either rent the property or grow corn or soybeans on shares.

Anthony said the rising cost of farm equipment has made it impossible for a farmer to make a living on 400 acres of land. He said a farmer will expand his operation to 1,200 or 1,500 acres by renting or sharecropping the land being bought by the out-of-state and out-of-country absentee owners.

He said that in 1962 he was the broker in the sale of a farm in Queen Anne's County for \$56,000. After 15 years, with no improvements, the same tract of land was sold for \$500,000.

Anthony said it is difficult for farmers to resist offers like that.

One 778-acre tract was sold to a West German corporation last May for \$1.4 million, according to Carl H. Cofer, an Atlanta lawyer, whose firm specializes in the sale of farmland to foreign investors.

Cofer said the land was a bargain because good corn land is less expensive in Maryland than in the Midwest. He said the investor was putting his money in American farmland for "capital preservation."

Purchasers are usually difficult to identify because the sales are made through American financial intermediaries, according to the Sun.

In Caroline County, a 532-acre farm on the Tuckahoe River was sold to Caroline Farms Inc. for \$750,000.

E. Douglas Fleetwood, the county's supervisor of assessments, said the land was first sold to an Easton farmer and then to the corporation. He said there is speculation the corporation is owned by foreign investors, but there is no way to prove it.

Eight California Counties "Disaster"

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — President Carter Wednesday declared a major disaster in eight California counties hard-hit by a recent onslaught of snow and high tides, paving the way for residents, businesses and farmers to obtain federal help.

Carter's declaration, in response to a request earlier this week by Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr., is the 27th such order in California in the last 20 years and affects Los Angeles, Kern, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara, Ventura and Tulare counties.

William H. Wilcox, administrator of the Federal Disaster Assistance Administration, said disaster recovery efforts in the affected areas have already begun, with federal and state assistance centers being established.

The Red Cross also said it would help families in "immediate need of emergency assistance" with housing, transportation, food, clothing, medical and nursing care and replacement of work tools.

Meanwhile, the effects of the heavy rain were still being felt. While residents of the devastated Big Tujunja Canyon area north of downtown Los Angeles dug out of the mud and debris, some hilltop homesteaders in Santa Barbara to the north tried to keep their homes from dropping down a cliff.

Two homes plunged 40 feet down an embankment and a vacant house, valued at \$100,000, threatened to follow it Wednesday as the rain-soaked ground slowly gave way.

Residents had removed many of their belongings when they first noticed the ground beginning to slide away Tuesday and there were no injuries.

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POPULAR CULTURE:

Mirror Of American Life V:

Editor's Note: This is the fifth in a series of 15 articles exploring "Popular Culture: Mirror of American Life." In this article, Robert Sklar, Chairman of the Department of Cinema Studies at New York University, discusses the role of movies as purveyors of dreams and spectacles. This series was written for *Courses By Newspaper*, a program developed by University Extension, University of California, San Diego, and funded by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

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HOLLYWOOD: THE DREAM FACTORY

By Robert Sklar

Hollywood! The studio sound stages are empty, the props and costumes auctioned, the back lots turned into office buildings. The Garden of Allah and Romanoffs are gone, part of Hollywood Boulevard a sleazy strip of adult bookstores and fast-food restaurants.

But the place retains its magic aura. The tourists come all the same, look at the old-time stars' footprints at the Chinese Theatre, buy the maps that guide them past the present day stars' homes.

Though a shadow of its former self, Hollywood still holds a firm grip on the public imagination as the popular culture capital of America — indeed, of the world.

The Dream Factory, they called Hollywood in its heyday. Every week, 10 or more films came off the studios' assembly lines. For decades movies made in Hollywood dominated the world's screens.

All that has changed. Television arrived. Political controversy in the 1940s disrupted the old Hollywood. A federal antitrust suit brought about a restructuring of the movie companies. Attendance dropped, then production.

From a weekly habit, movie-going became an event, like going to the theater. People began to think of movies less as part of popular culture, more as one of the arts.

The Dream Factory shifted to the small screen. Television producers took over some of the old studios. Their programs reach far more viewers than the movies did even at the height of their success. On television, Hollywood's products are more popular than

ever.

Purveyors of Dreams

But movies still fulfill a unique role as purveyors of dreams to a popular audience. Even today, Hollywood's glamorous attraction derives more from movies than from television. Our feelings about current films are passionately formed and avidly debated.

Movies occupy a much more central place in contemporary popular culture than simple numbers would indicate.

The reasons for this are partly psychological. Our reactions are shaped by our personal histories, our cultural backgrounds, even our momentary moods — what pleases us one day may be distressing the next, or the reverse.

Nevertheless, some aspects of moviegoing seem to have a common impact. As we sit in the darkened theater, watching larger-than-life-size figures moving freely through time and space, we may easily enter into a dreamlike state. We feel a sense of heightened power and awareness, and a close identification with the heroes and heroines on the screen.

In real life our dreams are often troubled. Movies, with their fictional plots, can provide emotionally satisfying resolutions — an underdog's triumph, a wrong righted, a true love fulfilled.

When this happens we walk out of the theater with that familiar "bigger-than-life" feeling of well-being. A recent film that gave audiences that experience was the Academy Award-winning "Rocky," the story of an Italian-American club boxer who gets a crack at the heavyweight title.

Historical Role

The roots of our attachment to movie heroes and heroines also lie in the specific way movies became a part of our cultural life early in this century.

When movies became part of the American scene around 1900, they were looked down upon by the comfortable classes. Movies found their first audience in the big city working class districts and immigrant ghettos, where it cost only a nickel to see their flickering images in hot, rank storefront theaters.

The silent movies were accessible to the polyglot audience of Eastern and Southern European immigrants as language-based entertainment, such as theater and magazines, was not. The new-

comers, faced with the task of shaping a culture from their old country origins and their new urban setting, discovered new heroes and heroines in the movie players.

Actors and actresses were not simply characters in a filmed story. They were people the audience saw week after week, striving through the different conventionalized plots to gain success or romance, some small, secure foothold in pursuit of the American dream.

Familiar faces, such as those of Mary Pickford and Lillian Gish, served as surrogates for the immigrant audience, achieving a triumph one week, suffering tragedy the next. Though film players were anonymous, the working class public recognized its favorites. Enterprising producers, themselves immigrants who learned the trade operating nickelodeon theaters, began to promote the favored players into stars.

Throughout the history of American movies, the beguiling and emblematic images of the stars have given the medium its pervasive and lasting power as a force in popular culture.

Meeting Audience Needs

The needs of that early working class audience also fundamentally shaped motion picture content. Seeking release from their toils, moviegoers liked to laugh, to be amazed, shocked, titillated. The moviemakers provided their viewers with large doses of comedy, science and horror fantasy, Western and urban violence, and sexual innuendo.

By World War I most of the major movie companies were run by immigrant entrepreneurs, such as Adolph Zukor and William Fox, who had sprung from the same urban ghettos where the movies first showed their popular potential. These men were the "moguls" and "tycoons" of later legend.

Although some immigrants, such as newspaperman Joseph Pulitzer, had previously risen to prominence in the communications field, the movies were the first medium of popular culture that seemed to be broadly controlled by people who did not share the ethnic and religious backgrounds of the traditional cultural elites.

With their upstart producers and indecorous content, the movies were for a long time — and indeed in some places still are — regarded by many Americans as a



"OSCAR" AND THE HEAVYWEIGHTS — Actor Sylvester Stallone and World Heavyweight Champion Muhammad Ali, right, ham it up at the 49th Annual Academy Award presentation. Stallone played the title in *Rocky*, a story of an underdog's triumph.

disreputable and unsafe form of entertainment, providing access to false values and ideals, contributing to juvenile delinquency, sexual promiscuity, and other social ills.

For some years a number of states and municipalities precensored movies before they were allowed to be shown. Following a threatened boycott of theaters by the Roman Catholic organization, the Legion of Decency, the movie industry from the 1930s to the 1960s strictly enforced a production code. Over the past decade it has simply rated

movies for their suitability for young viewers.

Fantasy Images

Despite such criticisms and controls, movies expanded steadily in importance in American popular culture for half a century. The view of America they presented was attacked as unrealistic, but the producers realized that their fantasy images of American life were exactly the point of their success.

The movies have never offered a full and rounded portrait of American society on the screen.

Rather, this most character-

istic feature has been their presentation of extremes — extremes of wealth and glamour, of violence and action. Think of the great movie names, such as Garbo, Hepburn, Bette Davis, Cagney, Bogart, John Wayne. The lure of their pictures and performances has been their capacity to take us out of our own lives and into distant and exotic worlds — the Park Avenue penthouse, the underworld hideout, the Western frontier.

"A Star Is Born" and "King Kong," recent remakes of motion picture classics, have

reemphasized the appeal both to audiences and producers of extremes of glamour and exotic violence.

Nevertheless, the movies have also portrayed a counterbalancing image of social harmony — the traditional American ideal of happiness achieved through family and community. The "Andy Hardy" series of the 1930s and 1940s, starring Mickey Rooney, offered one of the most long-lasting and successful versions of this social ideal.

Since the rise of television and the subsequent decline of motion picture attendance, the movies have less and less often tried to present this balancing social theme. The most successful recent movies — "Jaws," "The Godfather," "Star Wars" — have been closer to the extreme.

The movies today are preeminently a popular culture medium of spectacle, and have left to television the opportunity and challenge of creating images of who we are now.

About The Author:

Robert Sklar is now Professor of Cinema and Chairman of the Department of Cinema Studies at New York University, having previously taught history at the University of Michigan from 1965 to 1976. The author of more than 50 articles and books and film reviews, he received the Theater and Library Association Award for "Movie-Made America: A Cultural History of the American Movies." His other books include "F. Scott Fitzgerald: The Last Laocoon," and "The Plastic Age: 1917-1930."

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Next Week: Professor Sklar discusses the most pervasive of the mass media, television.

Popular Culture**Discussion Forum****Starts February 24**

The first in a series of community discussion forums on Popular Culture is scheduled for Friday, February 24, at 7 p.m. in the Garrett Community College auditorium. The public is invited to attend the forum whose topic will be the impact of Hollywood on our popular culture.

Robert L. Trantham and Mrs. Betty Snyder of the college, and Rev. John Grant will lead the discussion where issues such as the effect a movie might have on a family's vacation plans or on the economy of a resort area, as well as on our daily lives will be considered. Following the discussion, participants will view a Clint Eastwood film, after which there will be a wrap-up and summary session.

Some discussion will be based on the article that will appear in this paper next week as part of the Course by Newspaper being offered at the college this semester.

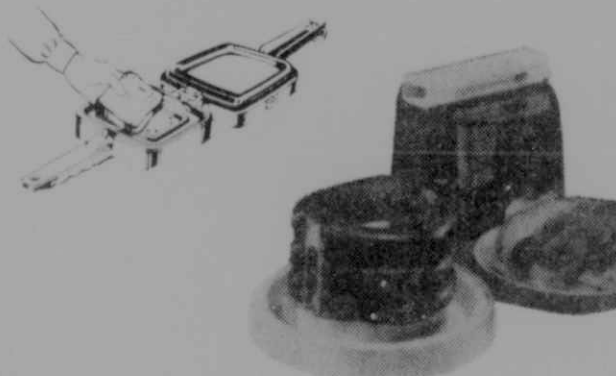
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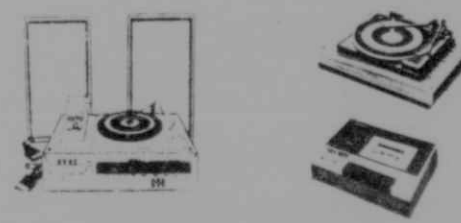
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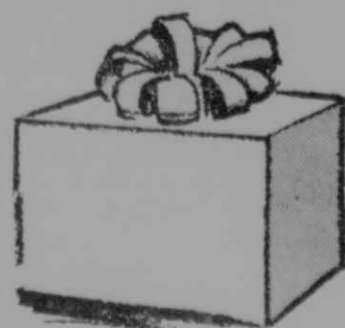
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Church of the Nazarene, 8th and Alder Sts., Oakland. Rev. Ellsworth McCracken, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.; Junior Meeting, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic, Oakland. Rev. Martin E. Feld, Pastor. Mass Saturday, 7 p.m.; also 5:15 p.m., Sunday. Sunday Masses, 8 and 10 a.m., winter; summer, 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Confessions before Masses. Immaculate Conception, Kitzmiller, winter, Sunday, 12 noon, and summer, Saturday, 6 p.m. Confession before Mass.

St. Mark's Lutheran, Oakland. Rev. Richard A. Seaks, Pastor. Sunday Church School, 8:45 a.m.; The Service, at 10 a.m. (Church Nursery).

St. Matthew's Episcopal, Oakland. The Rev. Manning Smith, Rector. Holy Communion Service, 8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1022 John Drive, Oakland. Priesthood meeting, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sacrament meeting, 11 a.m.; Primary and APW meetings, Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Pleasant View Baptist, Rev. I. M. Martin, phone 334-9630. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study and Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Wed., Boys and Girls in Action, 7:30 p.m.; Thurs., Young People's meeting, 7 p.m.

Loch Lynn United Brethren, Rev. O. W. Hall, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, Each Sunday Evening, 7:30 p.m.; Teenarama, each Sunday, 6:30 p.m.; Prayer and Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church, Friendsville, Md. Rev. Lene Bonnell, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Church Service, 9:00 a.m.

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Otterbein United Methodist, Swanton. Rev. Frank Johnson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7 p.m.; 2nd and 4th Sundays, 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Prayer Meeting, Youth Fellowship Meeting, Boy & Girl Fellowship, all on Tuesday evening from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Paradise United Methodist, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Worship Service, 9:45 a.m.; Church School, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 2nd Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 2nd and 3rd Sunday, 7 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran, Red House, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Service, 11 a.m. Rev. Bernard W. Carl, Pastor.

Bittinger Lutheran Parish, The Rev. James S. Mitchell, Pastor. St. John's, Meadow Mountain, Worship, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Emmanuel, Bittinger, Worship, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Zion, Jennings, Worship, 11:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Holy Communion in each Church, 1st Sunday of each month.

Christ Lutheran Church, Grantsville, Md. David E. Fetter, Pastor. Service at 11:00.

Zion Lutheran Church (LCMS), U.S. 219, Accident, Pastor, Fred Illick. Sunday Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran, (Missouri Synod), Cove, Rev. Fred Illick, Pastor. Service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.

Faith Presbyterian Church, Oakland. John A. Ladden, Pastor. Sunday Bible School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.; Mid-week Services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Bear Creek Church of the Brethren, Accident, Rev. William C. Shimer, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Jennings Church of God, Rev. George Platts, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a.m.; Preaching at 7 p.m.; Y.P.E. every Thursday evening at 7 p.m.

Laughlin Church of the Brethren, Pastor, Mrs. Evelyn M. Bowman. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. Minnie Bittinger, Supt.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Laurel Run Church of God, Friendsville, Philip J. Geoghan, Pastor. Sunday Worship Service, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

Mt. Lake Independent Baptist Church, 1005 Broad Ford Rd., John Schrimshire, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Service, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.; Prayer Service, Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Women's Missionary Circle, 2nd Tues., 7 p.m. The Evangelistic Center of Garrett County.

Independent Full Gospel Revival Center, Loch Lynn Heights, E. W. Elliott, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, Sunday evening at 7. Mid-week Services, Wednesday evening at 7.

McHenry United Methodist, The Rev. Ellis Harvey, Pastor. Church School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. Evening Worship, 4th Sunday, 7:45 p.m.; Youth Fellowship, 1st and 3rd Sundays, 7:45 p.m.; Prayer Service and Bible Study, Wednesday.

Savage River Full Gospel Church, Rev. Hilda Cavey, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday night services, 7:30 p.m.; Every third Saturday night of the month, regularly, Hymn Sing.

Sand Flat Assembly of God, Rev. Alvin Kyle, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Youth Service, 7:30 p.m.; Bible Study Service, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Bayard Church of God, Bayard, W. Va. Rev. Chesley Noel, Jr., Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Services, 7:30 p.m.; Y.P.E. Services at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday.

Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren, Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m. on Rt. 219, 1 mile north of Rt. 40. Rev. Earl Harper, Pastor.

Egton Church of the Brethren, Maple Spring, Rev. Donald Westmoreland, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Gladeview: Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.

First United Presbyterian Church, Terra Alta, W. Va. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00. Rev. Francis E. Ihman, Pastor.

Loch Lynn Church of God, Rev. Robert H. Fletcher, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Brookside, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. Mt. Grove, Worship, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. every Sunday.

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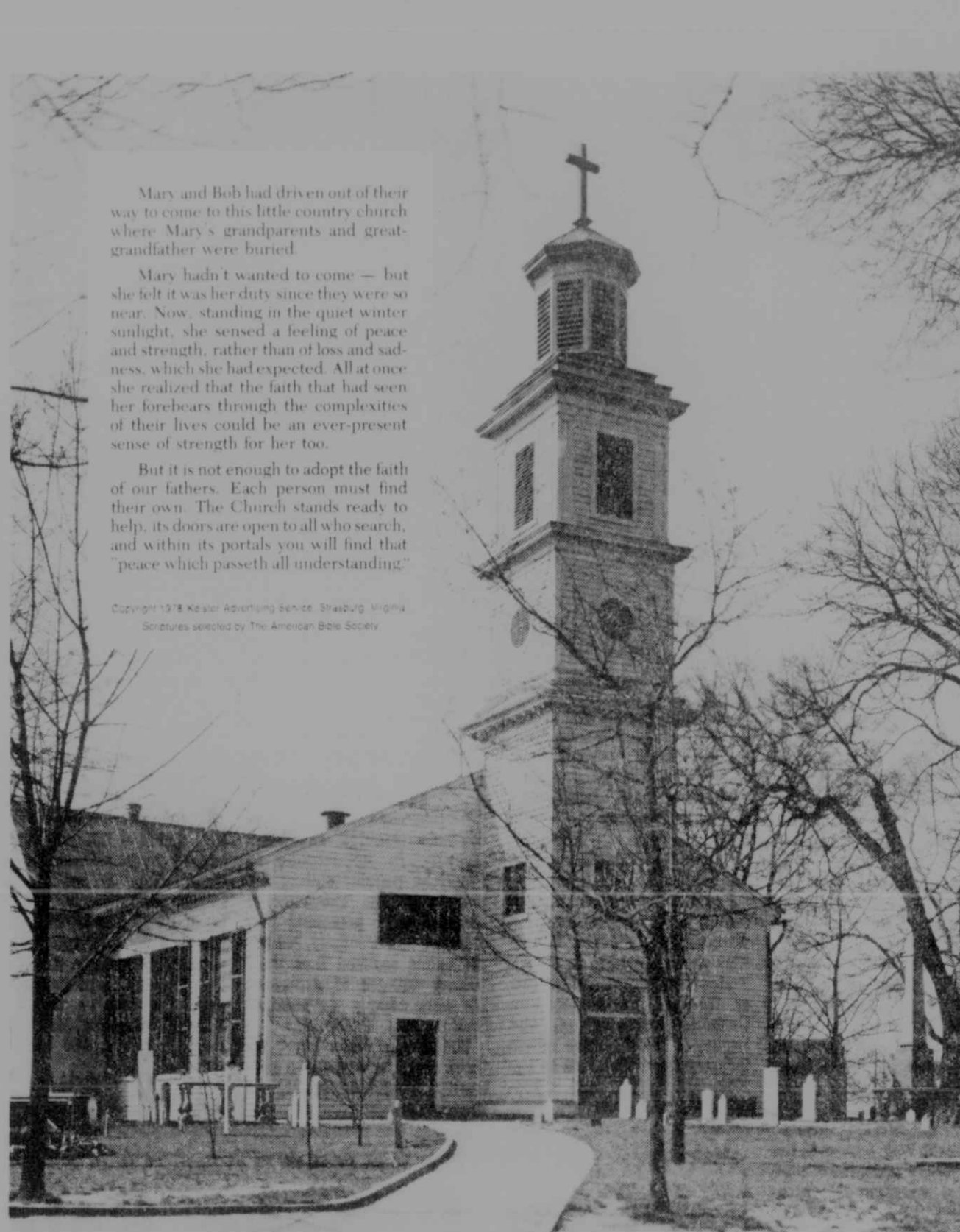
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Mary and Bob had driven out of their way to come to this little country church where Mary's grandparents and great-grandfather were buried.

Mary hadn't wanted to come — but she felt it was her duty since they were so near. Now, standing in the quiet winter sunlight, she sensed a feeling of peace and strength, rather than of loss and sadness, which she had expected. All at once she realized that the faith that had seen her forebears through the complexities of their lives could be an ever-present sense of strength for her too.

But it is not enough to adopt the faith of our fathers. Each person must find their own. The Church stands ready to help, its doors are open to all who search, and within its portals you will find that "peace which passeth all understanding."

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Faith of our Fathers



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Matthew 18:23-35	Matthew 20:1-16	Matthew 21:23-32	Matthew 21:33-46	Matthew 25:14-30	Matthew 25:31-46	Luke 15:1-7

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the ROCK PILE



by Cathy Helbig

Although the beginning of this Lent season has come and gone, we should take a reflective look at the Lent season during the year of 1910 and the guide it served: "All persons more than 21 years old, unless exempt by dispensation are required to fast, which means that only one full meal a day is allowed. Meat is permitted once on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, with the exception of the second and last Saturdays of Lent."

"On Sundays meat is allowed to be eaten at all meals, but on Wednesdays and Fridays meat is forbidden."

Halley's Comet was to be visible to Garrett County residents in 1910 and "simple directions for seeing the Great Terrestrial Wanderer" were given.

As the year went on, a notice appeared during the month of April that probably changed many a hobo's habitat: "All persons in jail on April 15 will be known as jail birds for the next ten years; To those who are in the habit of getting behind bars, the advice is given to take a vacation for a short while, because if you don't the census man will get you. Then for ten years you will be listed on the government records as a jail bird. People in jail on the date of April 15, and maybe just a few days later, will have their 'place of abode' put down on the census books as 'in jail'. It will make no difference to Uncle Sam what the offense is

or what the sentence is, the records will for ten years show you a resident of the jail."

The summer of '10 held unfortunate experiences for some of the area's residents: "A strange Slav was the victim of an attempted robbery as he was making preparations to spend the night in a box car. One man held his wrists while another took him by the throat and held him on the ground while going through his pockets. He declared that he had no money, hence the robbers secured nothing."

"In a West Virginia town Sunday a minister was attacked by one of his parishioners and knocked down. Did the parson turn the other cheek? Not so you could notice it. He just lambasted the man into insensibility. Which the same, though not scriptural conduct, is wholesome."

Ralph Nader could've been alive and well in 1910 as a consumer advocate was denouncing ice cream as injurious to the youth of the country. "The next thing some scientific iconoclast will be holding forth on the deleterious nature of the moonlight-exposure germ and the dangers of the park-concert microbe. And the youth of the country will continue in these germ-inviting ways and will survive, as it has done since romance and ice cream were invented."

November was election month and "The Republican office was headquarters for election news Tuesday night. After returns began to come in, the crowd, which until that time had been a merry one in anticipation of victory, was plunged. At ten o'clock when it was sure that defeat was our portion the meeting broke in two without even a suggestion. Everybody took a quiet sneak for their respective homes and some have not been seen since."

In Dec. of 1910 there was an energy crisis for the people of Oakland which, fortunately, was short-lived. It seems a gas main was erupted leaving many Oakland citizens cold and hungry until it could be repaired. Housewives in the area helped one another prepare meals as some were lucky enough to have coal ranges also in their kitchens. Schools were closed until the gas was restored.

"A Marathon Race was Run in Garrett County Monday."

"With snow covering the

face of the earth, with no rules to hamper the contestants being a fellow named Smith who was recently sent to the House of Correction from Garrett County to serve a term of seven months for theft and Deputy Sheriff Shartzter and Bliss Jamison, the latter pressed into service by the officer.

"Sheriff Shartzter and Jamison were handicapped by Smith. They were loaded with heavy artillery and a warrant, while Smith ran in his stocking feet and shirt sleeves. The course covered a distance computed at twelve miles with Smith in the lead at the start which he maintained until the officers gave up the race and returned home sore and weary, also empty handed and winded, while Smith crept into a haymow near his former home and slept the sleep of the escaped convict, since which time his whereabouts, so far as the officers are concerned, have been shrouded in mystery."

"Smith walked out of the House of Correction two weeks ago Sunday, but the matter was kept quiet by the local officers as it was surmised he would return to his home and could be picked up quite easily,

but they failed to take into consideration that Smith is a runner."

Sand Flat Native Receives Certificate



Miss Nancy C. Harvey, Alexandria, Virginia, was recently presented with an Outstanding Performance Certificate for her work in the office, Secretary of the Army at the Pentagon, where she has worked for three years and has been employed by the U. S. Government for 14 years. Miss Harvey is the daughter of Mrs. Hazel Harvey, Sand Flat.

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New Boy Scout Troop Chartered

Garrett County is celebrating National Boy Scout Week this week with the official chartering of a new scout troop. Troop 93, sponsored by the Bradley Manor Tenant organization, was recognized this week. David Gale Albert has been named scoutmaster, and the troop starts with eleven members.

Troop 93 joins 17 other Boy Scout units in Garrett County. There are now 10 scout troops and seven Cub Scout packs, with a total membership of 324 boys.

The Boy Scouts of America organization is celebrating its 68th anniversary this week.

Southern Speaks

By Patti Keefe

School was open and functioning as usual between the latest spattering of snow days.

The funeral procession of a former Southern student and athlete, Terry Colaw, who died suddenly on Thursday, February 9, was routed past the school on Monday, February 13, at 11:30 as tribute to him.

Garrett Community College has invited interested juniors and seniors to make use of their Writing Laboratory during specified hours this semester. There will be no charge or college credit given, but materials and instruction will be available to aid students improve their writing skills. Interested students should contact their English

teachers. Representatives from the college were at Southern on Monday and Tuesday, February 13 and 14, to speak to junior and senior English classes about attending GCC.

Tryouts were held for both the junior and senior class plays in the past weeks and practices began this week.

The Future Business Leaders of America club held a Valentine's Day party for all members on Tuesday, February 14.

The wrestling Rams challenged Northern in a match on school time, Tuesday, February 14; the student body was permitted to attend this

match which was postponed from January 9 and finished the wrestling season.

Varsity basketball games yet to be played are as follows: Friday, February 17, Union at Southern; Wednesday, February 22 at Bruce; Friday, February 24, at Northern; and Saturday, February 25, a make-up game at Union. This week the Rams met Elk Garden on their court Tuesday and welcomed Northern on Wednesday.

The girls have finished their basketball season.

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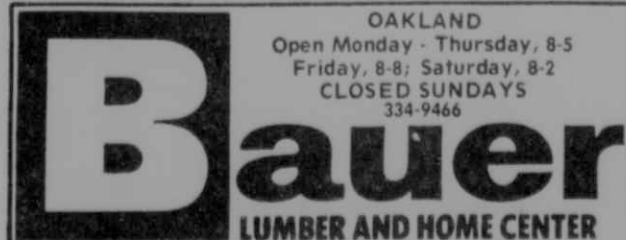
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